

CITY OF MILWAUKEE
C.I. File NO. 1029-2023-1544
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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE I, John Jones received your letter today, Friday December 15, 2023. Envelope postmarked December 11, 2023. Wish to appeal the decision denying my claim for \$685.75 for damage sustain to my vehicle caused by the defect, pothole in the street, on May 10, 2023 on Teutonia Ave. 4837 N. Teutonia Ave across the street from Lloyd's Dry cleaners and Big Load Laundromat. I would like a hearing for the following reasons:

① I sustained damage to my vehicle on May 10, 2023 and not February 10, 2023 that was write down in letter. claim was file May 15 2023.

② The address where I sustained damage on Teutonia^{ave} was 4837 N. Teutonia across the street from Lloyd's Dry cleaners and Big Load Laundromat, not 4937 N Teutonia as stated in letter. You had the wrong date and address in the letter regarding my claim.

③ The city had received a few calls in the area of 4837 N Teutonia in April 2023 regarding potholes in that area. A month before I sustained damage to my vehicle in that same area. For the

above reasons I would like to appeal and
schedule a hearing, if you not gonna pay me the
\$86.75 for damages sustained to my vehicle.

Sign John Jones
John Jones

Dated December 15, 2023

C.I. File NO. 1029-2023-1544


12-15-2023

I John Jones received your letter today, Friday December 15, 2023. Envelope postmarked December 11, 2023. Wish to appeal the decision denying my claim for \$85.75 for damage sustain to my vehicle caused by the defect, pothole in the street, on May 10, 2023 on Teutonia Ave. 4837 N. Teutonia Ave across the street from Lloyd's Dry cleaners and Big Load Laundromat. I would like a hearing for the following reasons:

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John Jones


Blond's Dry cleaner and BIS Load
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4837 N. Teutonia
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November 30, 2023

Mailed
12-7-2023

Mr. John Jones
6622 N. 51st Street
Milwaukee, WI 53223

RE: Communications from JOHN JONES
C.I. File No. 1029-2023-1544

Dear Mr. Jones:

We are in receipt of your claim in the amount of \$685.75, for damages sustained to your vehicle on February 10, 2023, as a result of a defect in the street while you were traveling at or near 4937 N. Teutonia Avenue.

Wisconsin municipalities have discretionary immunity from liability for any damage that is due to a defect in a sidewalk or street. The City takes any report of defective streets or sidewalks seriously and upon notice of any defect, the Department of Public Works sends a crew to investigate and/or patch, repair or barricade the hazard. Under discretionary immunity, the City is generally not liable for damages.

Our investigation revealed that the Infrastructure Services Division conducted a search of call center records between February 10, 2023 through May 10, 2023, for the 4900 blocks of N. Teutonia Avenue and there were no calls reported.

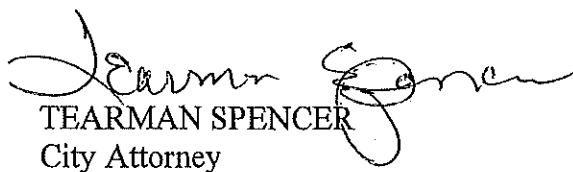
The Infrastructure Services Division did not have knowledge of a hazard in the roadway on this segment prior to February 10, 2023. Because of this lack of notice, and the City's discretionary immunity, the City is not liable for your damages.



Mr. John Jones
November 30, 2023
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If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a written statement requesting a hearing within 21 days of the postmarked date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. Please include a photocopy of this letter's envelope, showing the postmark, and retain the original in the event further proof is needed.

Very truly yours,


TEARMAN SPENCER
City Attorney


MICHELLE THOMPSON-GRAY
Investigator Adjuster

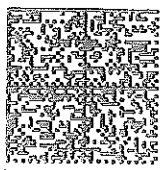
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