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March 4, 2004

Katherine E. Koehler 4277 West Highland Boulevard Milwaukee, WI 53208-2713

RE:

Katherine E. Koehler

C.I. File No: 04-S-46

Dear Ms. Koehler:

This office is in receipt of your claim in the amount of \$393.00, relating to damage caused by the Milwaukee Police on January 22, 2004 during an incident involving a loose and vicious pit bull dog at 4277 West Highland Boulevard.

Our investigation reveals that the police action taken in this matter was necessary and appropriate. Since the police were not negligent, but rather were acting within the sphere of their responsibility, the City would not be liable. Accordingly, we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a letter within 21 days of the receipt of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours.

GRANT F/LANGLEY City Attorney

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