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February 14, 2009

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2009 FEB 18 PM 12:31
RONALD D. LEONHARDT
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Ronald D. Leonhardt
City Clerk
City of Milwaukee
200 East Wells Street
Room 205
Milwaukee, WI 53202
Re: C.I. File No: 08-S-782

Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

This letter is in response to a letter from City Attorney Grant F. Langley denying my initial claim for vehicle damages during a tow on December 22nd, 2008.

In his letter dated February 10th, 2009, Mr. Langley refers to a PT-27 form that I believe was filled out incorrectly on the day of the tow, as it "indicates scratches and dents all over the vehicle" and absolves the City from liability. My vehicle is a 3 year old sedan that has been well cared for and DOES NOT have scratches OR dents ANYWHERE (much less "all over") except for what the towing company put there on December 22nd when they towed my vehicle.

I am requesting a hearing date regarding this dispute be scheduled.

Sincerely,



Mark Harris

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Grant Langley
City Attorney
City of Milwaukee
800 City Hall
200 East Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202-3551
Re: C.I. File No: 08-S-782

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2009 FEB 18 PM 4: 14
RONALD D. LEONHARDT
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Dear Mr. Langley:

This letter is in response to your denial of my claim for tow-related automobile damage dated February 10th, 2009.

I was quite frustrated by your response. The PT-27 form allegedly filled out prior to the tow is not correct. My vehicle is a 3 year old sedan that has been well cared for and DOES NOT have scratches OR dents ANYWHERE (much less "all over") except for what the towing company put there on December 22nd when they towed my vehicle.

Needless to say, I will be appealing this "appraisal" of my vehicles condition by whoever towed it, the competency of "Investigator Adjustor" Steven M. Carini, and the City's liability for damage restitution. I will obtain legal counsel and will be infinitely patient. I am NOT going to let this one slide. Repairs are going to cost in the neighborhood of \$1000.00, but beyond the cost issue I feel obliged to compel the responsible parties to own up to the damage that they've done.

I will be informing my friends and family about this experience, and question whether I will continue to live in the City or move back to a suburban setting where parking is not such a hassle. Your response to my legitimate claim so far is very disappointing.

Sincerely,



Mark Harris

Cc: Alderman Nik Kovac

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COMPLAINT AND INVESTIGATION FORM

-CITY USE ONLY-

-CUSTOMER INFORMATION-

TOW #: 1385748

NAME: Mark Harris

DATE: 12/23/08

ADDRESS: 2633 N. HACKETT AV #C

CLERK ID: #600

PHONE #: 414-232-9842

PHOTOS TAKEN YES NO

DATE FILED: 12/23/08

PHOTOS ATTACHED YES NO

ALL FORMS COMPLETED YES NO

***Complaint must be signed by citizen completing form.

CITIZEN'S STATEMENT

The roof & door frame above the driver's door are scratched and ~~pushed~~ pushed in or dented

Added 12-24-08 - Plastic trim on drivers door damaged along with rubber gasket/seal on inside of door

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Mark Harris
***SIGNATURE

12/23/08
DATE

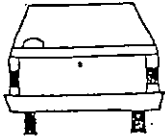
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CIRCLE AREAS OF DAMAGES USING THE DIAGRAMS BELOW

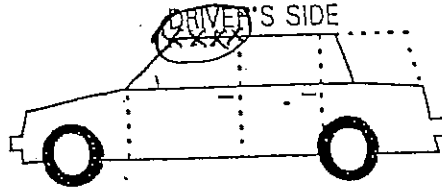
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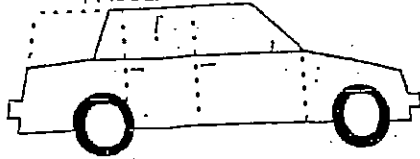
BACK



DRIVER'S SIDE



PASSENGER'S SIDE



To file a claim for *DAMAGE TO or THEFT FROM* your vehicle, Write a detailed letter and send to:

**CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
200 EAST WELLS STREET
CITY HALL, ROOM 205
MILWAUKEE, WI 53202
414-286-2221**

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INVESTIGATION RESULTS

ROUTE TO: D. LAWRENCE L. BLACK RETURN TO LINDA

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____