November 3, 2003

To the Honorable Judiciary and Legislation Committee Common Council, City of Milwaukee Room 205 – City Hall

Re: Resolution authorizing settlement of lawsuit in *Patricia Wright, et al. v. City of Milwaukee, et al*, Case No. 02-CV-008008

Dear Committee Members:

Enclosed please find a proposed resolution. We ask that this be considered by the Committee on Judiciary and Legislation with the following recommendation.

The plaintiff, Patricia Wright filed a lawsuit against the City of Milwaukee seeking damages as a result of an incident occurring on August 23, 1999. Plaintiff broke her ankle when a piece of curbing collapsed at 4747 North Green Bay Avenue. The curb had been constructed to be placed directly over a manhole cover, without any material securing it. Plaintiff sustained a broken ankle when the curb rolled out of place. The plaintiff has agreed to settle the lawsuit in the amount of \$9,000.00.

Very truly yours,

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