April 19, 2005

Annemarie Sawkins 4100 North Morris Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53211

RE: Annemarie Sawkins

C.I. File No: 05-S-58

Dear Ms. Sawkins:

We have received your claim in the amount of \$674.69, relating to damage sustained to your vehicle on September 15, 2004 when a windblown traffic sign fell on it near North 13<sup>th</sup> Street and West Mt. Vernon Avenue.

Our investigation reveals the actual loss location was 254 North Emmber Lane. The Infrastructure Services Division records indicated the traffic warning signs were placed there in conjunction with the Marquette Interchange Project. The records further noted the project is under the jurisdiction of the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation Marquette Interchange Team. They may be contacted at the following address, WISDOT, Dan Rivers, WISDOT-District II, P.O. Box 798, Waukesha, WI 53187. Since the City did not cause your loss, it cannot accept liability, therefore, 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 date 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

ROBERT M. OVERHOLT Investigator Adjuster

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