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May 19, 2004

Celester Perkins
4315 West Lisbon Avenue, #2
Milwaukee, WI 53208

RE: Celester Perkins
C.I. File No: 04-S-109

Dear Mr. Perkins:

This office is in receipt of your claim in the amount of \$2,510.00, relating to the towing and recycling of your 1988 Ford Taurus along with the contents in its trunk on January 20, 2004 while it was at the City of Milwaukee tow lot.

Our investigation reveals your 1988 Ford Taurus was towed to the tow lot for Illegal Parking and (parked in one spot in excess of 24 hours) and Unpaid Citations. The tow lot records note Latonya S. Perkins-Walker, the last registered owner was sent a letter on January 21, 2004 regarding the destruction of the vehicle. The letter was sent to 1930 North 36th Street and was returned to the tow lot stamped "attempted not known" by the United States Postal Service. The registered owner and her address is the official information on record with the Department of Motor Vehicles. The records further not you never claimed the vehicle and did not file a complaint at the tow lot. The vehicle was recycled on February 10, 2004 in accordance with applicable regulation, therefore, the City cannot accept liability for your loss. Accordingly, we are denying your claim.


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If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a letter within 21 days or 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
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ROBERT OVERHOLT
Investigator Adjuster

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