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June 15, 2009

Eric M. Johnson
4472 North 39th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53209

RE: Eric M. Johnson
C.I. File No: 08-S-565

Dear Mr. Johnson:

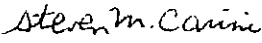
We have received your claim in the amount of \$1,246.79, relating to damage allegedly sustained to your vehicle on June 4, 2008 when it collided with a sunken communication manhole while you were traveling southbound on Lisbon Avenue within 10-12 feet north of North Avenue.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division records indicate that prior to June 4, 2008, the City had no notice of this hazard in the roadway and because of this lack of notice the City would not be liable. 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 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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STEVEN M. CARINI
Investigator Adjuster

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