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Alderman Scott Spiker
City Hall
200 E. Wells Street, Room 205
Milwaukee, WI 53202
VIA EMAIL: Scott.Spiker@milwaukee.gov

Re: Reckless Driving Data

Dear Alderman Spiker:

Due to scheduling conflicts, a representative of our office will not be able to attend the Public Safety and Health Committee meeting this Thursday, July 24, 2025, to discuss reckless driving.

In our absence, here is the current data on reckless driving-endanger safety-2nd offenses from October 1, 2024, through July 21, 2025:

- 34 total cases have been referred to our office
- 16 cases so far (47% of referred cases) were issued by our office
- In 4 cases (12%) no charge or other citation offense was issued
- 7 cases (21%) were returned to the police department for the issuance of a different citation where it was determined that reckless driving did not occur, but another offense, like speeding, did occur
- 7 cases (20%) are currently pending in our office for the production of additional reports or evidence by the police department before a final charging decision can be made

At this time, we do not have sentencing data on these cases. We hope to provide that information later this year.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kent Lovern".

Kent Lovern
District Attorney