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To the Honorable Common Council
Of the City of Milwaukee
Room 205 – City Hall

Re: Resolution relating to the claim of Min'Imah Shaheed
Through her attorney S.A. Schapiro
C.I. File No. 08-L-334

Dear Council Members:

We return the enclosed document which has been filed with the City Clerk and ask that it be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Legislation with the following recommendation.

Claimant, Min'Imah Shaheed, 3574 North 11th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53206, alleges through her attorney, S. A. Schapiro, 4465 North Oakland Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53211, that on September 19, 2008 she sustained injuries when she tripped and fell on an uneven sidewalk located at the southwest corner of North 3rd Street and West Wells Street. they claim damages in the amount of \$50,000.00.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division records indicate that prior to September 19, 2008 the City had no notice of this hazard in the sidewalk and

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because of this lack of notice the City would not be liable. Therefore, we recommend that this claim be denied

Very truly yours,

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