

CITY OF MILWAUKEE

SETTLEMENT DRAFT REQUEST

Uninsured Motorist Claim Under Sec. 62.67 Stats.

CASE NAME: Willola Cornelius v. City of Milwaukee

DATE OF LOSS: August 8, 2024

C.I. FILE NO: 1029-2024-2057 CC FILE NO: 0095-2402386

AMOUNT REQUESTED: \$25,000.00

PAYABLE TO: Willola Cornelius and Gruber Law Offices, LLC – Trust Account

REASON FOR REQUEST:

Willola Cornelius, a City of Milwaukee Department of Public Works employee, was in the scope of her employment and working outside of the City vehicle which was legally parked facing west on West Silver Spring Drive with flashing lights. The uninsured motorist, who was traveling west on West Silver Spring Drive at a high rate of speed, failed to control their vehicle striking the City vehicle, and causing the City vehicle to strike the claimant. As a result of the conduct of the uninsured motorist, there is liability on the City of Milwaukee pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 62.67 and the City of Milwaukee's Uninsured Motorist Self-Insurance Plan.

Ms. Cornelius sustained fractured ribs, a ruptured spleen, and a left tibial plateau fracture. The claimed medical expenses and lost wages total \$371,865.80.

DATED: December 16th, 2025

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