

# CITY OF MILWAUKEE

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

Re: Communication from Attorney Charles S. Blumenfield  
on behalf of Patricia Wright  
C.I. File No. 99-L-184

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, Patricia Wright, 4747 North Green Bay Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53216, alleges through her attorney, Charles S. Blumenfield, 735 North Water Street, Suite 1200, Milwaukee, WI 53206-0611, that on August 23, 1999, she sustained injuries when she stepped on a defective piece of curb in front of 4747 North Green Bay Avenue and fell. They claim damages in the amount of \$150,000.00

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division has no record of any request for patching repairs at this location for one year prior to this incident. Upon notification of this defect, they patched the curb. Prior to this complaint, the City had no notice of this defect in the curb and because of this lack of notice, the City would not be liable. Accordingly, we recommend that this claim be denied.

Very truly yours,

  
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Enclosure