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April 8, 2004

Ailyya Eason  
8248 West Winfield Avenue  
Milwaukee, WI 53218

RE: Ailyya Eason  
C.I. File No: 04-S-82

Dear Ms. Eason:

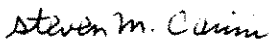
This office is in receipt of your claim in the amount of \$700.00, relating to damage sustained to your property on March 5, 2004 when your basement was flooded with backwater at 8248 West Winfield Avenue.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division records indicate that they investigated a backwater complaint at 8248 West Winfield Avenue on March 5, 2004 and found the City's main sanitary sewer to be clogged causing the backwater. The sewer was cleaned and restored to proper working condition at this time. The sewer is on a regular cleaning schedule and was last cleaned prior to the clog on January 14, 2002, which is within its normal cleaning cycle. This City main sewer has no prior history of clogs at this location. Because the sewer was on a regular cleaning schedule and the City did not have any notice of problems with the sewer, the City cannot be held liable. Accordingly, 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**  
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