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November 22, 2021

Mr. Darrell Wilson
5341 North 57th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Mailed
11-29-2021

RE: Communication from Darrell Wilson
C.I. File No. 1068-2021-1178

Dear Mr. Wilson:


We have received your claim for the amount of \$2,064.85 in relation to the vehicle damage you sustained on August 6, 2021 after a branch from a City tree fell on or near 5341 North 57th Street.

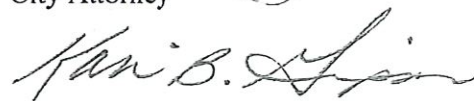
The Forestry Section records indicate a call for service was received on August 6, 2021 to remove a branch blocking a sidewalk and resting on a vehicle at 5341 North 57th Street. The tree branch was inspected, and found to be healthy with no signs of decay. The tree branch was subsequently removed by the forestry crew. Maintenance records also reveal the trees within this area were last pruned in December 2017.

There is no evidence that the City was negligent in this matter. As such, the City of Milwaukee would not be liable for your damages. Therefore, 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,


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