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Stupar, Schuster & Cooper, S.C. Attn: Jeffrey S. Schuster 633 West Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 1800 Milwaukee, WI 53203-1955

RE: C.I. File Nos. 02-S-344; 02-S-344-1

Your Clients: Richard A. Kubczak; Helen V. Hand

Dear Mr. Schuster:

This office is in receipt of your claims on behalf of your clients relating to damages allegedly sustained by them on October 1, 2002 when their motorcycle struck a hole in the roadway in the 2200 block of West Clybourn Street.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division indicates that the City had no work in that area at that time. The Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District did have work in that vicinity. Their address is 260 West Seeboth Street and their phone number is 272-5100. As such, the City would not be liable. Accordingly we are denying your clients' claims.

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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