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Alderman, Ashanti Hamilton, Chair Judiciary and Legislation Committee City Hall – Room 205

Re: Semi-Annual Claims & Litigation Reports

Dear Alderman Hamilton:

Pursuant to your letter of June 9, 2005 and Section 304-7, Milw. Code of Ordinances, ss. 2(f) requesting the submission of semi-annual reports as to the determination and disposition of all claims filed during the preceding period, the following reports are being submitted for the Committee's review. The first report *Semi-Annual Report of Claims Closed and Pending from July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010* lists the following information:

Total number of claims pending - 858 Total number of claims closed - 272 Total amount of claims denied - 113 Total amount of settlements - \$172,669.17

Also, attached is the *Semi-Annual Report of Litigation Closed and Pending from July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010* that lists the following information:

Total number of cases pending - 466 Total number of cases closed - 281 Total number of cases closed without payment - 254¹ Total number of cases settled - 20 Total amount of settlements - \$336,231.96 Total amount of settlements against the City - \$311,358.25 Total number of settlements against the City -17 Total amount of settlements for the City - \$24,873.71 Total number of settlements for the City -3

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¹ 27 cases closed with payment: some payments were made prior to 7/1/2010 but closed between 7/1/2010 and 12/31/10.

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> Total number of cases resulting in judgments - 0 Total amount of judgments - 0 Total number of judgments against the City - 0 Total amount of judgments against the City - 0 Total number of judgments for the City -Total amount of judgments for the City - 0

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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