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Isabel Monreal
908 E. Morgan Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53207

RE: C.I. File No. 1068-2019-2062
Communication from Isabel Monreal

Dear Ms. Monreal:

We have received your claim in the amount of \$241.82, from a loss on September 17, 2019.

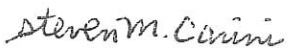
The Forestry Section records indicate that on September 17, 2019 a crew was removing a street tree at 908 East Morgan Avenue. Your flag pole was in the work zone. They made contact with, and received instructions from, you on how to lower the pole. They followed the instructions, lowered the pole without incident and completed the tree removal. There was no report of irregularities, challenges or recognized damage. The next day the Section received a service request that the pole had been damaged. They responded and noted then that the pole did not extend smoothly.

There is no evidence that the City was negligent in this matter. The City would not be liable. Therefore, we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a written statement requesting a hearing within 21 days of the postmarked date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. Please include a photocopy of this letter's envelope, showing the postmark, and retain the original in the event further proof is needed.

Very truly yours,


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