

Dear City of Milwaukee,

11/2/2022

I am writing this letter and the date on the envelope is <sup>\*</sup>October 26, 2022. I wanted to appeal the claim for \$735.69 for the two tires that blew out due to road work not being fixed properly. This intersection had construction horses around the sewer cap in the center of the intersection for weeks. This is a one way street that was traveled on his ride home from UWM graduate school at night. This was the first night the construction horses were removed from the intersection and I'm guessing that they felt the sewer cap was fixed and clearly it was not filled in properly with asphalt!

I want to also state that I did call the Milwaukee police department (1-414-933-4444) and spoke to Operator #23 (9:41 pm) about 45 minutes after the accident. They sent an officer out there right away and they were going to get horses back up until it was repaired correctly. In the am of 4/8/2022 when it was daylight we had the car towed to the dealership and walked over to the intersection to take pictures which are in the original claim in your file. I then contacted City of Milwaukee and they sent me over to Public Works (Streets dept) and I was given a confirm #11787765. I then contacted the City Clerk for claim info and that number was 1-414-286-2221 I spoke to a woman named GLORIA!! I have called Patricia Klosiewski every month to check the status on this claim and each month she said it was on someone's desk in a pile and I am very surprised that it took this long. I had sent pictures, receipt's, dates, numbers and details that I know you have not gotten in others who submit a normal claim. I am quoting the second to last paragraph in the letter that states "The call center search revealed that Infrastructure Services has NO RECORD of any calls regarding this location and time-frame"!

This is completely false and I disagree with any Wisconsin Act that you are not liable for this damage! There was work being done on this intersection for weeks and I know that you can clearly find that somewhere in for search. The work was not done properly or these tires would not have blown! Please look at my facts and understand I have done my job by noting dates, times and some peoples names. I would like you to reconsider this claim and utilize that pictures send and the reiteration of all these details to better understand that this was no just some random pot hole that formed from our winters. This was major work done on this intersection and it was no done properly!

Thanks,




Mary E Holdsberg

Communication on behalf of Jason Holdsberg

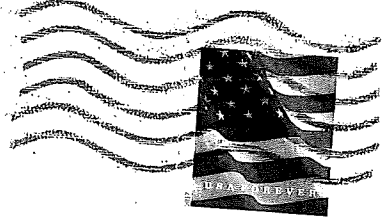
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Date of incident 4/7/2022

 Mrs. Mary Holdberg  
607 Chateaux Bourne Dr  
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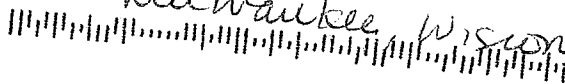
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October 14, 2022

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*Mailed*  
*10-14-22*

RE: C.I. File No. 1029-2022-587  
Communication on behalf of JASON HOLDSBERG

Dear Ms. Holdsberg:

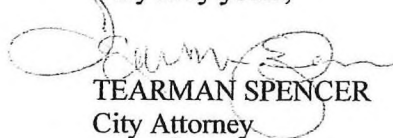
The City of Milwaukee is in receipt of your claim for \$735.69, relating to damages you incurred as a result of a defect in the street in the area of 2214 North Farwell Avenue on April 7, 2022.

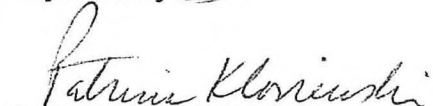
Based on 2011 Wisconsin Act 132, Wisconsin municipalities are not liable for any damage that occurs on or after April 5, 2012 due to a defect in a sidewalk or street. Although the city is not liable for damages, the city takes any report of defective streets or sidewalks seriously.

In response to this claim, call center records were searched from January 1, 2022 through April 7, 2022. The call center search revealed that Infrastructure Services has no record of any calls regarding this location and time-frame.

There is no evidence that the City of Milwaukee is liable for damages in this case. 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, WI 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,

  
TEARMAN SPENCER  
City Attorney

  
PATRICIA KLOSIEWSKI  
Investigator/Adjuster

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