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To the Honorable Common Council  
of the City of Milwaukee  
Room 205 – City Hall

Re: Communication from Leonard Sobczak  
C.I. File No. 1048-2018-2609

Dear Council Members:

We return the enclosed document which has been filed with the City Clerk and ask that it be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Legislation with the following recommendation.

On January 3, 2018, Milwaukee Water Works received a report of a leak in the street at 2035 N. Prospect Avenue. Leak detection efforts were conducted with sound equipment to check for possible water main breaks. However, the leak detection effort did not find any leaks in the roadway.

On January 4, 2018, Heiden Plumbing was hired to investigate a possible leak with water surfacing at 2027 N. Prospect Avenue. Their investigation identified a leak on the 3” branch on the owner’s side of the branch pipe. However, upon further investigation, it was discovered that the leak on the 3” branch at 2027 N Prospect Avenue was actually located on the city side of the branch pipe. On January 7, 2018, M.J. Construction was hired to make the necessary repairs to the leak.

Milwaukee Water Works contends that the claimant’s incurred property damages in the amount of \$7,341.00 was a direct result of previous Milwaukee Water Works activity. Therefore, we recommend settlement of this claim in the amount of \$7,341.00.

Very truly yours,

  
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