## April 30, 2024

My name is Daniel McClain and I'm requesting a hearing. My vehicle was sideswiped by a city salt truck on the morning of January 16, 2024.

I have a witness whom saw the incident occur; the next door neighbor, she is a kind older citizen. Later on during the day I began to get myself ready for work, as I walk outside about to get in my car, I realized my vehicle had been hit on my driver's side. I assumed it was a hit and run due to the area of violent and police chases that always seem to occur in that area. The next door neighbor came outside and told me that a city snow plow hit my vehicle and kept going, the driver of the truck never stopped to knowledge or report the damages. I believe the driver of the truck didn't know that he sideswiped my vehicle, the roads over there in that residential area and narrow and tight, with traffic parked on both sides of the street.

The city is responsible for the damages to my vehicle and I just want my vehicle fixed. I still own money for this car and I need this car to get back and forth to work. I have responsibility and bills and its hard trying to manage.

Sincerely;



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April 10, 2024

Mr. Daniel McClain 10242 West Fountain Avenue Milwaukee, WI 53224 Mailed 4-16-2024

RE:

Communication from Daniel McClain

C.I. File No. 1030-2024-359

Dear Mr. McClain:

The City of Milwaukee is in receipt of your claim for vehicle damages, allegedly resulting from being struck by a City snowplow while it was parked at 3160 North 28th Street on January 16, 2024.

Our investigation into this matter revealed that the City of Milwaukee did not have snow plows in operation on the above-referenced time and date. There were City salt trucks working in the area, however, the City has no record or knowledge of one striking a vehicle at this location.

There is no evidence that the City of Milwaukee is liable for damages in this case. 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,

TEARMAN SPENCER

City Attorney

PATRICIA KLOSIEWSKI

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