## REQUEST FOR APPEAL AND HEARING C.I. FILE NO. 1030-2023-1712 CLAIMANT GABREL BLEDSOE

TO:

City of Milwaukee City Hall

Jim Owczarski, City Clerk

200 W. Wells Street, Room 205

Milwaukee, WI 53202

The claimant, Gabrel Bledsoe, an adult, residing at 3890 N. 6th Street, in the City and Company of the City and Ci County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, herewith gives notice of her Request for Appeal and Hearing of the City's denial of her claim as stated in the City's March 20, 2024 correspondence attached hereto. (Attached hereto as Exhibit 1.)

- 1. The attorneys for Gabrel Bledsoe, an adult resident of the City of Milwaukee, residing at 3890 N. 6th Street, are GENDLIN, LIVERMAN & RYMER, S.C., 10335 W. Oklahoma Ave. Suite 300, Milwaukee, WI 53227.
- 2. On April 8, 2024 Claimant's attorneys received the City's March 20, 2024 letter via USPS. Per conversations with the City's Investigator Adjuster this letter was mailed out on April 3, 2024. When Claimant's counsel reviewed Exhibit 1 on April 10, 2024 it was discovered that the envelope containing Exhibit 1 and the postmark for its mailing had been disposed of and was no longer available.
  - 3. The basis of Claimant's Appeal is as follows:
  - The Wisconsin Motor Vehicle Crash Report #J9L1JN004Z depiction of the travel lanes occupied by the by Claimant, Gabrel Bledsoe, and City Employee, Caryn Jines, is incorrect.
  - Claimant has recordings taken at the scene prior to the arrival of law enforce b. which demonstrate Caryn Jines caused the subject matter collision.

4. That the undersigned is one of the attorneys for Gabrel Bledsoe, and is, therefore, authorized to make this Request for Appeal and Hearing and I have read the above and that the same is true to my knowledge except for those matters stated upon information and belief and as to those matters, I believe the same to be true.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 11th day of April, 2024.

By: Louis E. Baureis

GENDLIN LIVERMAN, & RYMER, S.C.

P.O. ADDRESS

10335 W. Oklahoma Ave., Suite 300 Milwaukee, WI 53227 (414) 272-3399

COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE Subscribed and sworn to before me this This
This // day of Opril , 20 124
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My commission is permanent or expires on OQ 19 38
(Seal if any below)

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March 20, 2024

Mr. Louis E. Baureis, Esq. Gendlin, Liverman & Rymer, S.C. 10335 W. Oklahoma Ave., Suite 300 Milwaukee, WI 53227

RE:

C.I. File No. 1030-2023-1712

Communication from Attorney Louis Baureis on behalf of Gabrel Bledsoe

Dear Attorney Baureis:

We are in receipt of your demand regarding injuries sustained to your client as result of the collision that occurred with a city vehicle, on July 6, 2023, at Green Bay Avenue and W. Capitol Drive.

Per Wisconsin Motor Vehicle Crash Report#J9L1JN004Z, our driver was traveling southbound on N. Green Bay Road and attempted to make a left hand turn to travel Eastbound on W. Capitol Drive, when your client entered into their lane of travel and struck the City vehicle in the right rear and caused minor damage.

It is our view that your client was the proximate cause of this loss. As such, the City is not liable for damages and 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.

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