

April 24, 2024

REGARDING: Denial of Claim # 1032-2023-2120

TO: Milwaukee City Clerk
200 East Wells Street, Room 205
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

FROM: Louise Stanelle
6548 North 52nd Street
Milwaukee, WI 53223

To the Milwaukee City Clerk:

I filed a claim against the City of Milwaukee seeking reimbursement in the amount of \$2,174.09 for the damage the City of Milwaukee did **unlawfully and/or albeit negligently** to entryways to my house on my property located at 6548 N. 52nd St., Milwaukee, WI 53223 on August 20, 2023. This claim is based on the instructions I received in a MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT DAMAGE NOTICE from Supervisor Sgt. Sean Mahnke; employee ID #018009. My son Matthew Reuben Stanelle helped me prepare the claim.

Subsequently, on April 5, 2024, I received a letter from Tearman Spencer, City Attorney for the City of Milwaukee, and Patricia Klosiewski, Investigator Adjuster, regarding "Communication from Louise Stanelle / C.I. File No. 1032-2023-2120", which states that the City of Milwaukee has reasoned, inferred, and adopted the position that the City of Milwaukee is not liable for damage to my door, which occurred at 6548 North 93rd Street (according to the letter).

Therefore, I am sending this letter to you, the Milwaukee City Clerk, within 21 days of receipt of the aforementioned letter to request a hearing so I can appeal the City of Milwaukee's decision.

In doing so, I continue to seek reimbursement from the City of Milwaukee in the amount of \$2174.09 for the damage the City of Milwaukee did to my property in error, which I, the property owner, did not require, authorize, welcome, desire, nor find appropriate. Furthermore, no action was necessary to protect me from my son, Matthew Reuben Stanelle. Strictly speaking, necessary and appropriate for the circumstances would be to confirm the welfare of all of the occupants; Reuben Stanelle, Louise Stanelle, and Matthew Stanelle.

Signed,



Louise Stanelle

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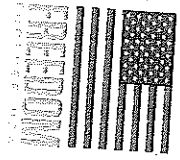
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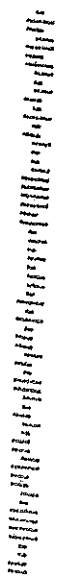
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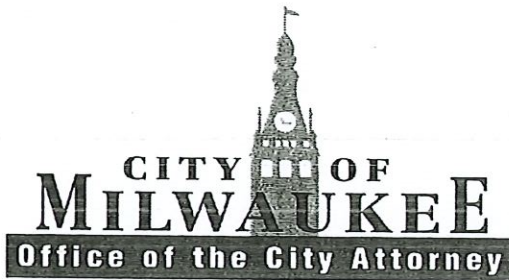


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March 25, 2024

Ms. Louise Stanelle
6548 North 52nd Street
Milwaukee, WI 53223

*Mailed
4-3-2024*

RE: Communication from Louise Stanelle
C.I. File No. 1032-2023-2120

Dear Ms. Stanelle:

We have received your claim in the amount of \$2,174.09 in relation to the damage to your door occurring on August 20, 2023 at 6548 North 93rd Street.

Our investigation determined a Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) squad was dispatched to your property at 6548 North 52nd Street on August 20, 2023, in response to a welfare check request. The welfare check came from your neighbors who were concerned for your safety. It was their belief that you may have been seriously injured while you were inside your home. MPD made several attempts to reach you, and getting no response, forced entry into the house finding no one inside.

It is our position that the police department acted within the scope of their responsibility, and the action taken in this matter was necessary and appropriate for the circumstances in this case. As such, the City of Milwaukee would not be liable. Therefore, we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a letter within 21 days of receipt of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,

Robin Pederson
TEARMAN SPENCER
City Attorney

Patricia Klosiewski
PATRICIA KLOSIEWSKI
Investigator Adjuster

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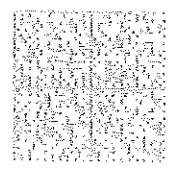


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