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

Re: Resolution Authorizing Payment of the Uninsured Motorist Claim  
of Willola Cornelius, C.I. File No. 1029-2024-2057

Dear Council Members:

Enclosed is a resolution recommending settlement of the above-referenced claim, which we ask be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Legislation for their recommendation.

Claimant, Willola Cornelius, through her attorneys, Gruber Law Offices, LLC, alleges that on August 8, 2024, while in the scope of her employment as a City of Milwaukee Department of Public Works employee, she was involved in a vehicle accident with an uninsured motorist, sustaining certain injuries and damages. The claimant has agreed to settle this claim for the amount of \$25,000.00.

Settlement of this claim is recommended based upon the reasons stated on the enclosed Settlement Draft Request from the law firm of Crivello, Nichols & Hall, S.C. This firm has been retained to administer the City of Milwaukee's uninsured motorist self-insurance plan.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

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