



# Wisconsin Mutual

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March 22, 2001

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CITY OF MILWAUKEE  
2001 MAR 23 AM 11:40  
RONALD D. LEONHARDT  
CITY CLERK

Our Insured: Kim Redmond  
Our Claim #: 40-1044-01  
Date of Loss: 2-24-01  
Claimants: Keith Woods, and Givanni & Gakaree Garner

To Whom it May Concern:

I am the claim representative who is presently investigating an accident that occurred on February 24, 2001 at the intersection of Burleigh Avenue and 55th Street in Milwaukee. Please reference police report #8239823 from the City of Milwaukee.

Specifically, at the time of this accident, 1845 or 6:45pm, it was raining and the traffic signals at this intersection were out. As a result, an accident occurred between Michelle Hampton, eastbound motorist on Burleigh Avenue, and our insured driver Stephanie Lee, northbound motorist on 55th Street. There were no police directing traffic, nor any temporary stop signs posted in regard to the traffic signals being out.

We have taken the position that the City of Milwaukee is at fault in this accident. We would like your response concerning this matter. As a result of the accident our insured vehicle, a 1995 Eagle Talon, was severely damaged, estimated in the amount of \$10,000. Also, our insured passenger Keith Woods was injured, and is represented by Eisenberg Law Offices.

In addition, there were two other passengers, Giovanni and Gakaree Garner, and we do not know whether or not they were injured. We do know that the other motorist Michelle Hampton sustained injury, and was transported by ambulance to St. Joseph Hospital. Likewise, our insured driver Stephanie Lee was injured as a result of this accident.

At this point in time it would be difficult to assess damages concerning injuries. We are placing the City of Milwaukee on notice for contribution concerning this accident. We will await your response, and thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

John K. Truchan  
Claim Representative

cc: Sarah Koval  
John Truchan

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 INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES DIVISION  
**TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL TROUBLE REPORT**  
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CIRCUIT PERFORMANCE MEASURE	
RESPONSE 1 HOUR	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
RESTORED 1 HOUR	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
REPAIRED 1 DAY	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

LOCATION: <b>55TH + PURCELL</b>	DATE: <b>02/24/01</b>
REPORTED BY: <b>CITIZEN</b>	TIME REPORTED: <b>7:15</b> ARRIVAL TIME: <b>14:20</b>

TYPE OF TROUBLE REPORTED: **CORNER OUT**

TYPE OF TROUBLE FOUND: **CORNER OUT**

	TEMPORARY REPAIRS	PERMANENT REPAIRS
DATE OF REPAIRS OR SURVEILLANCE	<b>02/24/01 0/24/01</b>	<b>2/24/01</b>
TIME OUT OF SERVICE		
TIME IN SERVICE	<b>1715</b>	
STOP SIGNS INSTALLED?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ACCIDENTS WHILE SIGNALS OUT OF ORDER?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
POLICE AT LOCATION?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
MATERIAL DISBURSEMENT SHEET NUMBER		
TIME REPAIRS OR SURVEILLANCE COMPLETED	<b>1730</b>	<b>1810</b>
WORK DONE BY: <b>Don</b>	<b>Don</b>	<b>TE 35</b>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

**30 AMP BREAKER WAS OUT**

**SWITCH FAIL**

**LEDS ON**

**2  
3  
4**

**FOUND WB GRN SOCKET GROUNDED DISCONNECTED IN Cbk CAB. NEEDS NEW SOCKET @ 21:25 Don.**

**RESET CONFLICT MONITOR AND LED 4 ON CONFLICT MONITOR WAS ON CORNER WAS LEFT IN FLASH 17:45.**

**REPLD WB LOAD SW. RESET - OK @ 1715**

INFO. RECORDED: **TB** APPROVED: **TB** 2-26-01 Replaced socket ALL OKAY. **TE 35**

FILE NUMBER: **02-01-0237**

JOB ORDER NO: **4428**

WHITE CANAL ST. FINAL PINK CANAL ST. ALERT  
 YELLOW TRAFFIC ENGINEER FINAL GOLDENROD TRAFFIC ENGINEER ALERT

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LOCATION: <b>BURLIEGH &amp; 55 PRNB</b>		DATE: <b>2/24/01</b>	
REPORTED BY: <b>MPD</b>		TIME REPORTED: <b>1848</b>	ARRIVAL TIME: <b>1915</b>
TYPE OF TROUBLE REPORTED: <b>SIG. K.D.</b>			
TYPE OF TROUBLE FOUND: <b>SIG. K.D. ALL OUT</b>			
DATE OF REPAIRS OR SURVEILLANCE		TEMPORARY REPAIRS	PERMANENT REPAIRS
		<b>2/24/01</b>	<b>2/26/01</b>
TIME OUT OF SERVICE	COMPLETE INTERSECTION		
	PART OF INTERSECTION		
TIME IN SERVICE	COMPLETE INTERSECTION	<b>FLASH</b>	<b>NORMAL</b>
	PART OF INTERSECTION	<b>1930</b>	<b>2130</b>
STOP SIGNS INSTALLED?	YES	TIME INSTALLED:	TIME REMOVED:
	NO	BY:	BY:
ACCIDENTS WHILE SIGNALS OUT OF ORDER?	YES: <input type="checkbox"/> NO: <input type="checkbox"/>	YES: <input type="checkbox"/> NO: <input type="checkbox"/>	YES: <input type="checkbox"/> NO: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
POLICE AT LOCATION?	YES: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO: <input type="checkbox"/>	YES: <input type="checkbox"/> NO: <input type="checkbox"/>	YES: <input type="checkbox"/> NO: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
MATERIAL DISBURSEMENT SHEET NUMBER			<b>019136</b>
TIME REPAIRS OR SURVEILLANCE COMPLETED		<b>2145</b>	<b>1310</b>
WORK DONE BY		<b>MASARIK</b>	<b>MAXLI</b>
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:			
<p><b>SIG. K.D. DEBRIS IN SHOP. CABLE DIS-CONNECTED IN CON. CAB. BASE OK. TEMP. WIRE NOT SPLICE. RESET BLEAKER. OPERATES OK.</b></p> <p><b>2-26-01 Replce std &amp; signals - corner only</b></p>			
INFO. RECORDED: <b>TB</b>		APPROVED: <b>TB</b>	

FILE NUMBER: **02-01-0288**  
 JOB ORDER NO: **4961 RE 52330 21937**

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 YELLOW TRAFFIC ENGINEER FINAL  
 PINK CANAL ST. ALERT  
 GOLDENROD TRAFFIC ENGINEER ALERT