

June 29, 2004

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

Re: Communication from John Tice, Representative  
on behalf of WE Energies (2004152479)  
C.I. File No. 04-S-132

Dear Council Members:

Enclosed please find a proposed resolution. We ask that it be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Legislation, with the following recommendation.

Claimant, WE Energies, by its representative John Tice, Legal Services Department-P418, Post Office Box 1132, Milwaukee, WI 53202-1132 alleges that on May 1, 2004 their 6-inch steel gas main at 28<sup>th</sup> and Forest Home was damaged when the City excavated in the area. They claim damages in the amount of \$7,503.19.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division indicates that one of their crews was excavating in the area and in the process did damage the 6-inch steel gas main which was properly marked. Because settlement of this matter is deemed expeditious to the City of

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Milwaukee, we recommend settlement of this claim and have enclosed an appropriate resolution for your convenience.

Very truly yours,

GRANT F. LANGLEY  
City Attorney

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Enclosure  
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