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Subject: City Year End Accident Summary

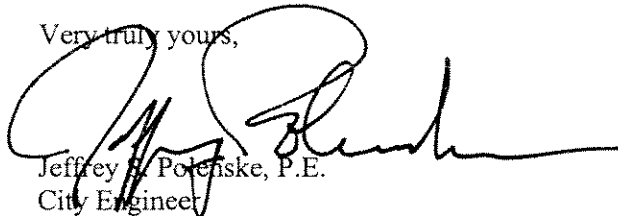
Dear Ms. Dukes:

Per our prior discussion, we are providing the following information to you concerning the status of the compilation of year-end accident statistics for the City of Milwaukee.

As you are aware, we receive electronic data files from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) to process and compile the statistics on accidents in the City of Milwaukee. The data files necessary to compile the statistics are typically transmitted to the City in April or May following editing and finalizing the Statewide accident database. Earlier this year, WISDOT made a conscientious decision to dedicate available staff time and resources to completion of the statewide GPS based accident location reporting system, which delayed finalization of the statewide accident database until this project was substantially completed. As a result, the accident data needed to compile the Citywide year-end accident statistics did not become available until late this past summer. We now have been able to incorporate all 2005 data accident data into our database and are currently in the process of doing the data analysis necessary to complete the accident summary. We anticipate this work to be completed by the end of October.

We hope this information will be of assistance to you. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Bob Bryson, of our staff, at 286-3244.

Very truly yours,



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