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Alderman Ashanti Hamilton, Chair
Judiciary and Legislation Committee
City Hall – Room 205

Re: Semi-Annual Claims & Litigation Reports

Dear Alderman Hamilton:

Pursuant to your letter of June 9, 2005 and Section 304-7, Milw. Code of Ordinances, ss. 2(f) requesting the submission of semi-annual reports as to the determination and disposition of all claims filed during the preceding period, the following reports are being submitted for the Committee's review. The report *Semi-Annual Report of Claims Closed and Pending from January 1 through June 30, 2015*, lists the following information:

Total number of claims pending - 477
Total number of claims closed - 1133
Total amount of claims denied - 380
Total amount of settlements - \$423,299.13

Also, attached is the *Semi-Annual Report of Litigation Closed and Pending from January 1 through June 30, 2015*, that lists the following information:

Total number of cases pending – 438 (excluding Mortgage Foreclosure Cases)
Total number of cases closed - 89
Total number of cases closed without payment – 67 (75%)
Total number of cases settled - 23
Total amount of settlements - \$11,090,662.91
Total amount of settlements against the City - \$11, (22 cases)
Total amount of settlements for the City - \$15,663.11 (1 case)

Total number of cases resulting in judgments - 4
Total amount of judgments - \$2,174,528.85
Total amount of judgments against the City - \$2,173,960 (2 judgments)
Total amount of judgments for the City - \$ 568.85 (2 judgments)

Efforts have been made in the past six (6) months to close obsolete claims and to expeditiously close resolved matters within the City Attorney's electronic docketing system.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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