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**NOTICE OF DISALLOWANCE CLAIM  
(Pursuant to Sec. 893.80 WIS. STATS.)**

Tom Cravillion  
101 Edna Street  
Plymouth, WI 53073

You are hereby notified that the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee duly disallowed the claim filed by you. No action on your claim against the City of Milwaukee may be brought after six (6) months from the date of service of the Notice of Disallowance.

FILE NUMBER: 081277

Regarding: Property Damage

Amount of Claim: \$14,106.53

Claim Disallowed on: February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009



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Ronald Leonhardt  
City Clerk

Form: Disallow

Received by  
Certified mail  
2/12/09

Sent  
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# CRAVILLION

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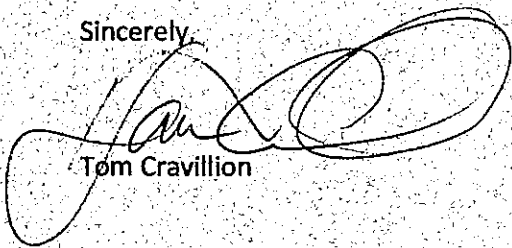
Ronald Leonhardt,

We would like to know what our next step is. Do we have to hire an attorney and file a lawsuit against the City of Milwaukee?

Each step of this action has not been clearly identified on your part. We have complied with your requests and have gotten nowhere. The City is indeed negligent as the enclosed photograph still shows, nothing has been repaired/replaced.

I would think that the Common Council would be interested in developing and maintaining financial growth. Is that not part of building a better image of Milwaukee? Or is it just a "wait and see" attitude that has developed over the last decades? Your city workers and politicians choose to "shovel" under matters like this and as a result cause business owners as myself to not trust the system.

Sincerely,



Tom Cravillion

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Revised Date 03/26/09

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To Whom It May Concern;

On August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2008 @ 9:30 p.m. on returning home from Jazz on the Park, I, Tom Cravillion hit an enormous pothole\* at the intersection of North Ave. / 7<sup>th</sup> Street\* on route to Highway 43 North, @ overpass junction middle lane. Thus began a series of damage to my vehicle (2002 Audi A6-2.7T) that has resulted in a major expense. I immediately pulled off into an alley to examine the damage. (Right front tire blowout and right rear tire bulge) I was able to change the tire, but the car would not move. (Please keep in mind the time 9:30 p.m. and the area we were in a very dangerous neighborhood, it was poorly lit and extremely frightening.) Apparently the drive shaft took out the transmission, alignment, front end, as well as the tire & wheel damage. We received our Audi finally on Tuesday October 28<sup>th</sup> 2008, 8 ½ weeks of frustration, as each repair would lead to another source of damage. My insurance company was contacted and contributed what the maximum would allow (\$8,764.53) to not receive a salvage title. I am looking to be compensated for all the damage (paying back my insurance company to avoid a rate hike) and two months of car payments (thus one of the many reasons to not want a car with a salvage title) during the time the car was in the shop. Please note list of expenses.

Audi North Shore 1<sup>st</sup> bill \$11,279.75 (We actually picked the car up and then discovered all was not right) 2nd bill 1,064.78

2 months of car payments 1,262.00

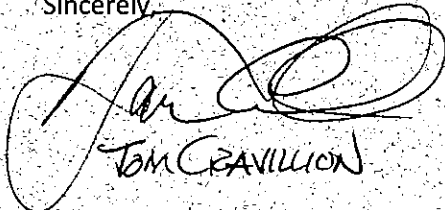
Total Expenses \$13,606.53

Reimbursed by our personal insurance - 8,764.15

To date our actual out of pocket expenses 4,842.38

\*This letter has been revised since February 2, 2009 which then caused our case to be denied in front of the City Alderman presiding that day. However we were then told that we should come to court the next Tuesday the 10<sup>th</sup> of February. We were told that the denial from the Alderman would be sent to us along with when we should appear to have our case heard in the Common Council. We did not receive anything until the next day February 11<sup>th</sup> by means of certified mail informing us that our case was disallowed. Also the Intersection is now updated as to actual occurrence and not just from our memory.

Sincerely,



TOM CRAVILLION

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