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Goran Filipovic
7836 West Howard Avenue
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RE: Goran Filipovic
C.I. File No: 05-S-264

Dear Mr. Filipovic:


We have received your claim in the amount of \$316.59, relating to damage sustained to the front rim and tire of your vehicle on July 28, 2005 when it allegedly ran over a sunken sewage cover, located near South 60th Street and West Howard Avenue.

Our investigation reveals Underground Operations investigated a complaint regarding a manhole that was below street grade on July 29, 2005. They found a communication manhole in need of repair. The area was secured with barricades and repairs were completed August 2, 2005. The division had no previous history of incidents at this location. Prior to this complaint the City had no notice of this defect with the manhole and because of this lack of notice, the City would not be liable, as such; we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a letter within 21 days of the date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,


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