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June 6, 2017

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

Re: C. I. File No. 1048-2016-2414
Communication from: Nancy Smith
3666 South Lenox Street
Milwaukee, WI 53207

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.

Nancy Smith alleges that on/about October 19, 2016 there was a problem with her sewer lateral. She claims damages in the amount of \$14,575.00.

Milwaukee Water Works (MWW) records indicate that on April 17, 2016 they received a report of a leak in the street at 3666 South Lenox Street. They dispatched a field investigator, who confirmed a break in a 6-inch water main at 3666 South Lenox Street, and contacted digger's hotline to mark the underground facilities in the area. A MWW distribution crew responded to make the necessary repairs.

On October 20, 2016, the MWW received a call from IHN Plumbing regarding damage to the claimant's sewer. A MWW field supervisor responded and confirmed that during the previous excavation process for the main repair, the MWW crew inadvertently damaged the claimant's sanitary sewer lateral.



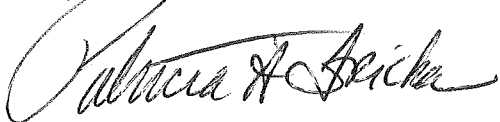
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Because settlement of this matter is deemed expeditious to the City of Milwaukee,
we recommend settlement of this claim in the amount of \$14,575.00 and have
enclosed an appropriate resolution for your convenience.

Very truly yours,

Handwritten signature of Grant F. Langley in cursive script.

GRANT F. LANGLEY
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Enclosure

c: Bernice Flemming (w/o enc.)

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