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To whom it may concern,

I would like to appeal the City's decision to deny my claim that they are liable for the damages caused to my vehicle. I would like to request a hearing to review this decision.

I would also be happy to go inspect the site of the damage and point out exactly where the debris from the bridge fell, and to review the photos of the debris that was found on my vehicle and around the car when I came out to find my windshield shattered.

Please let me know what further information you need from me.

Best,

Peter McDermott 2839 S. 9th St. Milwaukee, WI 53215 PDMC12@GMAIL.COM (240) 315-6633

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Mr. Pete McDermott 2839 S. 9th Street Milwaukee, WI 53215

Jailed 9-20-2022

RE: Communication from PETE MCDERMOTT C.I. File No. 1029-2022-932

Dear Mr. McDermott:

We have received your claim in the amount of \$478.45, regarding damages sustained to your windshield on June 15, 2022, when it was parked underneath the Holton Street Bridge.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Division completed a search of call center records from January 1, 2022 through July 28, 2022, and reported one call was received on April 20, 2022, regarding N. Commerce Street. On April 21, 2022, the Infrastructure Division responded to that call, inspected the location, and removed all loose material.

It is our view that the City responded within a reasonable timeframe, however, we were unable to determine if the material fell from the bridge or some other source that caused damage to your vehicle. As such, the City is not liable for your damages and we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a written statement requesting a hearing within 21 days of the postmarked date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. Please include a photocopy of this letter's envelope, showing the postmark, and retain the original in the event further proof is needed.

Very truly yours,

TEARMAN SPENCER City Attorney

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