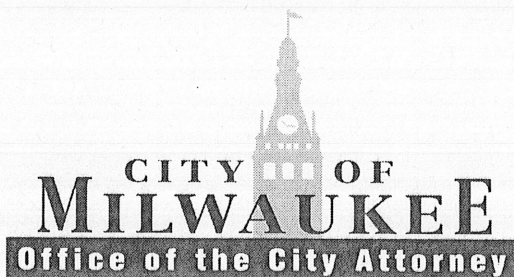


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December 5, 2022

To the Honorable Common Council
Of the City of Milwaukee
Room 205-City Hall

RE: Communication from LAURA HABUSH
C.I. File No. 1029-2022-767

Dear Sir or Madam:

Ms. Habush alleges that on April 21, 2022, she sustained sewer back up at her property at 3056 N. 78th Street. Ms. Habush submitted a damage claim for repairs in the amount of \$25,875.00.

We have completed an investigation into this matter. Sewer Maintenance reported that on June of 2022, they responded to three calls regarding the property at 3056 N. 78th Street. Sewer Maintenance responded to each call in a timely matter. The first call was received on June 2, 2022, regarding grease on top of a manhole, followed by two subsequent calls on June 17, 2022, and June 20, 2022, when Ms. Habush inquired about a sewer inspection check.

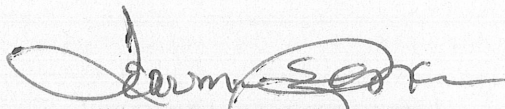
On June 29, 2022, Sewer Maintenance CCTV televised the City's 8" sanitary main that services the property at 3056 N. 78th Street as a follow up to a video submitted by the claimant. Sewer Maintenance found that the main sewer was functioning properly and there was a good lateral connection seen from inside the main sewer at the subject property. Ms. Habush, was notified that repairs to the building lateral would be the homeowner's responsibility.



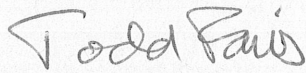
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It is our position that the City is not liable for damages in this case and we recommend the claim be denied.

Very truly yours,

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TEARMAN SPENCER
City Attorney

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Enclosure

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