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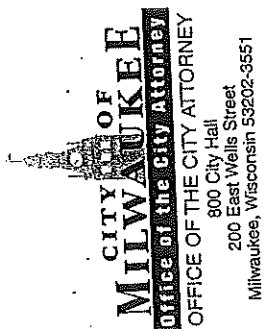
I am appealing the denial of my claim. I am requesting a hearing to be scheduled. Attached is a photocopy of the letter's envelope showing the postmark date.

Sincerely,

Ryan Wanke

C.I. File # 1068-2022-1301

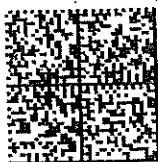
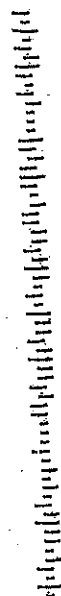
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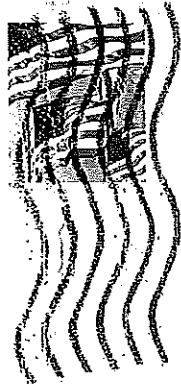
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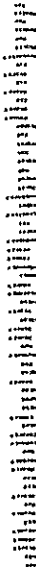


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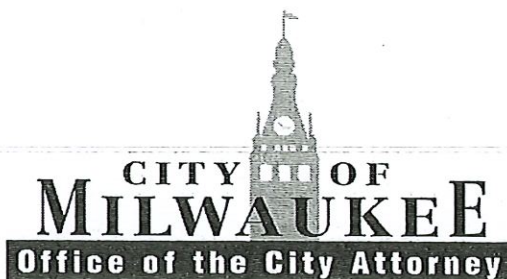
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December 9, 2022

mailed
12-19-2022

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5701 West Phillip Place
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Re: Communication from RYAN WANKE
C.I. File No: 1068-2022-1301

Dear Mr. Wanke:

We are in receipt of your claim for \$4,625.00 for damages that resulted when a branch from a City tree fell and struck your garage at 5701 West Phillip Place on July 9, 2022.

Our investigation reveals that the Forestry Department received a request for emergency service concerning a branch from a City tree that had fallen on a garage on July 9, 2022 at 5701 West Phillip Place. A Forestry crew responded to the request on the same day and removed a branch that had fallen from a City tree. The branch was alive with some evidence of decay at the point of failure, however, it was not visible from the outside of the branch.

In searching their records for the past six years, Forestry was unable to find any requests for service other than the one concerning this incident.

There is no evidence that the City of Milwaukee is liable for damages in this case. As such, we are denying your claim.

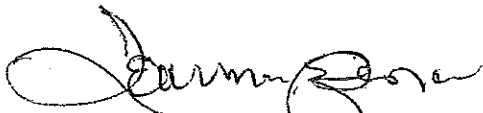
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If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a written statement requesting a hearing within 21 days of the postmarked date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. Please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



PATRICIA KLOSIEWSKI
Investigator/Adjuster

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