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February 26, 2014

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

Re: Communication from PAPA-EKOW COLEMAN C.I. File No. 1048-2013-2882

Dear Council Members:

We return the enclosed document which has been filed with the City Clerk and ask that it be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Legislation with the following recommendation.

Claimant Papa-Ekow Coleman alleges water damage in his basement occurred due to a meter exchange that was conducted on September 24, 2013 at 4156 North 81st Street. The cover was closed after the meter exchange, knocking over the electronic reading device and shifting the meter resulting in a coupling leak. Mr. Coleman and Safeco Insurance companies claim damages in the amount of \$6,748.01.

The City of Milwaukee appears to be responsible for the damage, and we recommend this claim be approved for payment.

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Very truly yours,

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