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August 16, 2004

John K. Crump 177 Green Bay Road Thiensville, WI 53092

RE:

Doris Deputy

C.I. File No: 04-S-255

Dear Mr. Crump:

This office is in receipt of your client's claim in the amount of \$1,441.00, relating to damage sustained to her vehicle on July 8, 2004 when she allegedly hit a raised manhole cover located in the northbound lane of 76th Street south of Good Hope.

Our investigation reveals that the Infrastructure Services Division records indicate that this alleged incident was neither reported to nor investigated by them. They have no history of problems regarding any structures in this area. After receipt of this claim, the area was inspected on August 11, 2004 and all sewer structures and covers were in place and in proper working condition. There is no evidence indicating that the City was negligent in this matter. As such, the City would not be liable. Accordingly, we are denying your claim.

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

Very truly yours,

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