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March 12, 2007

Isabel Puga 3174 South 41st Street Milwaukee, WI 53215

RE:

Isabel Puga

C.I. File No: 07-S-49

Dear Ms. Puga:

We have received your claim in the amount of \$700.00, relating to damage sustained to your property on December 14, 2006 when you allege sewage backed up into your basement at 3714 South 41<sup>st</sup> Street.

Our investigation reveals the sewer in question was on a three year cleaning schedule. The last time the sewer was cleaned was on January 24, 2004. Because the sewer was on a regular cleaning schedule and the City of Milwaukee did not have any notice of any problems with the sewer, the City cannot be held liable. Therefore, 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 date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,

GRANT F. LANGLEY

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