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November 10, 2017

Ms. Audrey Joan Martini 4101 Shadow Lane Family Care Racine, WI 53405 Mailed 11-14-17

RE:

C.I. File No. 1044-2017-1886

Communication from Audrey Joan Martini

Dear Ms. Martini:

We have received your claim in the amount of \$2,064.00, relating to the towing of your vehicle.

The Milwaukee Police Department indicates that on January 4, 2017 they dispatched officers to the Harley Davidson Museum at 400 West Canal Street regarding an accident. Your vehicle had major damage and was not drivable. The officers spoke with the museum security guard who stated that your vehicle could not remain at the location because it was on private property. The officers gave you the option to contact a private tow for the vehicle, but you were not able to get one. An officer made several attempts to try to contact your son and arrange a private tow, but was unsuccessful. The vehicle was towed to the City tow lot. The tow lot indicates that they followed applicable regulations for the notice of the tow. They received no phone inquiries regarding your vehicle prior to it being recycled. There is no evidence that the City was negligent in this matter. As such, the City would not be liable. Therefore, we are denying your claim.

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



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Very truly yours,

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