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

Re: C.I. File No. 1029-2018-1862
Communication from: Hupy & Abraham, S.C.
111 East Kilbourn Avenue, Suite 1100
Milwaukee, WI 53202 on behalf of
DuWayne D. Criter
8049 60th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53142

Hupy & Abraham, S.C. alleges that on August 10, 2018 their client sustained injuries when the front tire of his motorcycle became stuck in the trolley tracks while he was traveling eastbound on West St. Paul Avenue at/near North Plankinton Avenue. Claimed damages total \$50,000.00.

The Infrastructure Services Division indicates that the streetcar tracks at West St. Paul Avenue and North Plankinton Avenue were constructed in accordance with the standard specifications, plans, and accepted standards for streetcar infrastructure. This project was constructed and completed under a City of Milwaukee contract. The work was performed by Kiewit Infrastructure Company.

There is no evidence that the City was negligent. Therefore, we recommend that this claim be denied.

Very truly yours,


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c: Samir Amin (Infrastructure)

Enclosure
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