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Common Council
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RE: City Attorney's Report of Claim – **Danielle Meza**

Dear Council Members:

The enclosed claim has been referred to this office in accordance with Section 3.05(8) of the Revised Municipal Code. I have examined the facts of the claim and the applicable law. I recommend that the claim be placed on file.

This claim is for the replacement value of property belonging to the claimant that was damaged when a City of West Allis snowplow struck Ms. Meza's legally parked vehicle in the street near 7013 West Burnham Street on April 5, 2018. The claimant filed a claim against the City on April 17, 2018. The total cost of the repair was estimated at \$77.99.

My investigation into this matter revealed that the accident did occur as stated by the claimant. The claimant's repair costs seemed appropriate. Pursuant to settlement guidelines, the City Attorney's Office paid the claimant \$77.99 and obtained a Release of all Claims signed by the claimant on August 10, 2018. Therefore, this matter should be placed on file.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicholas S. Cerwin
Principal Assistant City Attorney