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Common Council
City of West Allis

RE: City Attorney's Report of Claim – **CVMIC/City of Brookfield**

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 property damage to the claimant's vehicle that occurred on December 18, 2107, when a City of West Allis police vehicle struck a City of Brookfield's police vehicle in the intersection of West Brown Street and North 32nd Street in the City of Milwaukee. CVMIC filed a claim against the City on April 26, 2018. The total cost of the repair was \$5,990.30.

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 \$5,990.30 and obtained a Release of all Claims signed by the claimant on August 17, 2018. Therefore, this matter should be placed on file.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicholas S. Cerwin
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