











City of West Allis
Department of Public Works
7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

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April 30, 2015

Dear DPW Director Michael Lewis,

The paint on my 2008 Pontiac Grand Am was damaged on Friday, April 17, 2015 when West Allis City Public Works employees cut/ground the cement sidewalk by 1573 S. 73 St. This letter will include what happened that day, an estimate & pictures of damages written by Southwest Auto Body, and pictures of the sidewalk. I am asking for the City of West Allis to pay for the cost totaling \$2944.34 for the repairs needed to my car.

On the day stated, I was parked in front of 1573 S. 73 St. visiting John & Tracy Musta. At about 3:00 to 3:30pm, we walked into the living room because we heard a loud noise outside. Resident John Musta replied it was the city working on the sidewalks. Tracy Musta and I looked outside and saw a white pickup truck with **WA** on the door and 2 workers with a large grinding saw at the sidewalk in front of their house.

About half an hour later, Tracy and I walked out the front door, and the city workers were gone. We observed white sidewalk dust covering the hood, front and rear bumper cover and right & left quarter panel, deck lid, spoiler, right front fender, roof, left front door of the car. Looking closer, I noticed hand print smudges on the cement dust. Concerned, I took my car immediately to a local "touch-less" car wash, then to the body shop for an estimate and pictures of the damages – which are enclosed.

I also have pictures taken of the city's sidewalk work and particles/dust which was still remaining 2 days later.

It concerns me that the city would grind cement, throwing bits & pieces of ground cement (at a high rate of speed) when there is an automobile parked next to the sidewalk repair site. I feel the City of West Allis was negligent, as the workers could have knocked on the door to have the car moved to a safe spot. Therefore, I am asking the City of West Allis pay for my car's paint repairs.

Please contact me or Connie Randa as soon as possible regarding this matter. In addition, feel free to contact Southwest Auto Body for damage detailed on the enclosed estimate.

Sincerely,



Catherine Randa
7010 N. Tichigan Rd
Waterford, WI 53185
262-662-4633 eves
262-744-4856 cell
Connie Randa
262-363-6200 ext. 0 business hours
262-662-4633 eves

Estimate Report

310033

DATE 4 / 24 / 15

NAME <u>CATHERINE RANDA</u>		YEAR <u>2008</u> MAKE <u>PONTIAC</u> MODEL <u>GRAND PRIX</u>
ADDRESS _____		LICENSE NO. <u>812-MDR</u> MILEAGE _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____	VIN NO. <u>2G2WP552881105239</u>	
H. PHONE <u>262-744-4856</u> W. PHONE _____	PROD. DATE _____ BODY CODE _____ PAINT _____ TRIM _____	

INS. CO. _____ ADDRESS _____ DATE OF LOSS _____ CLAIM NO. _____
 ADJUSTER _____ PHONE _____ LIC. NO. _____ FILE NO. _____ D.D. _____

LINE NO.	RE-PAIR	RE-PLACE	DETAILS OF REPAIR R = Repair S = Straighten R/C = Recycle/Rechrome/Recore	PARTS INDEX A = Aftermarket N = New U = Used R = Rebuilt	PI	LABOR HOURS				PARTS	SUBLET/MISC.
						BODY	PAINT	FRAME	MECH		
1	1		PAINT HOOD			0.5	4.2				
2	1		FRONT Bumper COVER			0.5	4.2				
3	1		ROOF			0.5	3.1				
4	1		RT QTR PNL			0.5	3.9				
5	1		DECK LID			0.5	3.2				
6	1		SPOILER			0.3	1.4				
7	1		REAR Bumper COVER			0.5	3.9				
8	1		LT QTR PNL			0.5	3.9				
9	1		RTFRNT FENDER			0.5	3.4				
10	1		LT FRNT CH DOOR				2.9				
11			REFINISH								
12			WHITE YELLOW								
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\$ 2944.34

OLD PARTS WILL BE DISCARDED UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED

TOTALS → 4.3 33.1

SOMETIMES AFTER THE WORK HAS BEEN STARTED, ADDITIONALLY DAMAGED OR WORN PARTS ARE DISCOVERED WHICH WERE NOT EVIDENT ON FIRST INSPECTION. THIS DAMAGE REPORT DOES NOT COVER OR INCLUDE ANY ADDITIONAL PARTS OR LABOR WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED. ALL PARTS PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO INVOICE.

I hereby authorize the above work and acknowledge receipt of copy.
 Signed X _____ Date _____



SOUTHWEST AUTO BODY, INC.

5049 West Loomis Road
 Greenfield, WI 53220
 Phone (414) 421-1220
 FAX # (414) 421-1233

LABOR	BODY	4.3 hrs. @	48.00	1795.20
	PAINT	33.1 hrs. @		
	FRAME	_____ hrs. @		
	MECH	_____ hrs. @		
PARTS Prices subject to invoice				
SUBLET / MISCELLANEOUS				
Paint Supplies	33.1 hrs. @	30.00		993.00
Body Supplies	_____ hrs. @			
Towing / Storage	_____			
SUB TOTAL				2788.20
TAX 5.6% on \$ _____				
EPA / Waste Disposal Charge _____				
TOTAL				\$ 2944.34

WRITTEN BY _____