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The Honorable Mayor Dan Devine
and Members of the Common Council
7525 W. Greenfield Avenue
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Dear Mayor Devine and Common Council Members:

Pursuant to the Traffic Violation and Accident Investigation and Reporting policy, the Safety & Training Coordinator is required to report to the Common Council all traffic violations and accidents. Said report is to include, but not be limited to, the following:

1. Accident date.
2. Department/Division/Office affected.
3. A summary of the incident.
4. Action taken by the Department Head.

Attached are the quarterly reports for Public Works, Police, and Fire which cover the period April 1, 2016 through June 30, 2016.

If you have any questions or desire further information, please feel free to contact Linda Huske or me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rebecca N. Grill".

Rebecca N. Grill
City Administrator

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cc: Mayor Devine
All Alderpersons
Public Works, Police, Fire Dept. Heads
Linda Huske

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QUARTERLY TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND ACCIDENT REPORT FORM

Department of Public Works

April 1, 2016 – June 30, 2016

Accident Date	Department/Division/ Office Affected	Incident Summary	Disciplinary Action	History
05-02-16	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee was in a sweeper/vac at the end of a cul-de-sac. His mirror bracket hit an illegally placed mailbox which then pushed into a second mailbox and both came down.	Not at Fault No Action	02-15-16 accident, no action taken. (15 accidents/16 years of service.)
05-12-16	Forestry Division (Provisional)	Employee was mowing at 57 th Street and Beloit Road. A hidden rock was picked up and thrown by a push mower, hitting the bumper of a parked car. The bumper sustained damage.	Not at Fault No Action	No previous accidents in last two years. (1 accident/worked 2 spring and 1 fall seasons.)
05-20-16	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee was on I-43 behind a New Berlin Redi-Mix truck. Our employee switched lanes to pass, and something came from other truck and hit our windshield, breaking it.	Not as Fault No Action Repair cost - \$203.10	01-07-16 accident, no action taken. (3 accidents/3 years, 6 months of service.)
06-25-16	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee had Garbage Truck #815 legally parked and a Milwaukee County bus tried to pass but hit the driver's side mirror.	Not at Fault No Action Repair cost – Pending	01-03-15 accident, no action. 02-01-15 accident, written warning. 12-28-15 accident, written warning with 1 day suspension. (5 accidents/2 years, 11 months of service.)
06-30-16	Building and Sign Division	Employee was backing up Pickup #37 to pick up a sign and his mirror hit a tree branch, and cracked the frame of the mirror. Tree branch was on a City tree that had not been trimmed.	Not at Fault No Action Repair cost - Pending	No previous accidents in last two years. (1 accident/3 years, 3 months of service.)



2016 – 2nd QUARTER COLLISION REPORT



Police Department

April 1, 2016 – June 30, 2016

DATE and TIME	VEHICLE TYPE	CRASH SYNOPSIS	FINDING	EMPLOYEE HISTORY Previous Accidents and Years of Service
#1 Monday 04-25-16 @ 1035 hrs	Police Department Unmarked Toyota SUV	Milwaukee Police Report# WAPD Call#16- 015120 Officer was stopped for a red light on W. Silver Spring Drive near N. 73 Street when he was struck from behind. Injuries: Stiff neck and back but no medical attention. Squad Damage Estimate: \$1476.62 TOT City Attorney's Office for collection	Not at Fault – No Action	02-08-04 – At Fault Verbal Warning 10-29-13 – Not at Fault No Action 17 Years of Service
#2 Tuesday 05-03-16 @ 2224 hrs	Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #31	WAPD Call # 16-016445 Officer was investigating a suspicious activity and while backing in an alley, he struck a dumpster. Injuries: None Squad Damage: Scuff to bumper – repaired by Mechanic.	At Fault – No Action	No Prior Accidents 6 Months of Service
#3 Saturday 05-07-16 @ 0026 hrs	Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #1	WAPD Call # 16-016942 Officers attempted a traffic stop on a vehicle in the parking lot of McDonald's, 8301 W. Greenfield Ave. Immediately after the traffic stop was initiated, the	Not at Fault – No Action	02-14-16 – Not at Fault No Action 3 Years of Service

		<p>vehicle fled the parking lot, striking the squad and nearly running over (2) officers. A pursuit was initiated but later terminated.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$826.73 (Restitution requested through the DA's office)</p>		
<p>#4 Saturday 05-14-16 @ 2044 hrs</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #3</p>	<p>WAPD Call # 16-018185</p> <p>Officer was backing out of parking stall at the police substation and struck the curb damaging a muffler clip.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Squad Damage: Repaired by Mechanic</p>	<p>At Fault – No Action</p>	<p>03-12-15 – At Fault No Action</p> <p>2 Years of Service</p>
<p>#5 Friday 05-20-16 @ 1155 hrs</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #31</p>	<p>WAPD Call # Accident report not completed</p> <p>Officer was turning left from s/b on S. 86 Street to e/b on W. Becher Street when she struck a portable pop up crosswalk sign. There was no damage to the sign or the squad.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Squad Damage: None</p>	<p>At Fault – No Action</p>	<p>06-02-12 – At Fault No Action</p> <p>08-08-14 – At Fault Written Warning</p> <p>5 Years of Service</p>
<p>#6 Tuesday 05-24-16 @ 1414 hrs</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #37</p>	<p>WAPD Call # Accident report not completed</p> <p>Officer was investigating a parking complaint at 2625 S. 108 Street when he struck a parking curb</p>	<p>At Fault – No Action</p>	<p>11-18-07 – At Fault No Action</p> <p>02-03-08 – At Fault Probation</p> <p>07-08-13 – At Fault Verbal Warning</p>

		<p>causing a tire to deflate.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$100.00</p>		<p>02-09-14 – Not at Fault No Action</p>
<p>#7 Thursday 06-02-16 0030 hrs</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #2</p>	<p>WAPD Call # 16-021286</p> <p>Officer was patrolling a parking lot and struck an item on the surface of the parking lot.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$1037.84</p>	<p>At Fault – No Action</p>	<p>No Prior Accidents 3 Years of Service</p>
<p>#8 Monday 06-06-16 2323 hrs</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #66</p>	<p>WAPD Call # 16-022140</p> <p>Officer was on the w/b off-ramp to W. Watertown Plank Road from I-41/U-S45 when another vehicle quickly changed lanes striking the front passenger side of the squad.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$4652.29</p> <p>Claim pending with Progressive</p>	<p>Not at Fault – No Action</p>	<p>No Prior Accidents 3 Years of Service</p>

QUARTERLY TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND ACCIDENT REPORT FORM

April - June, 2016

Accident Date	Dept/Division/ Office Affected	Incident Summary	Disciplinary Action	History
4/7/2016	Fire	While positioning on scene of an emergency medical incident and attempting to park out of traffic, the driver of a paramedic unit passed too close to a privately owned vehicle that was parked at the curb. The paramedic unit grazed the bumper of the private auto, scratching paint on both vehicles.	Employee was determined to be at fault and was issued a verbal reprimand	Employed since 2013, this member has not previously been involved in a vehicle accident.
6/10/2016	Fire	While parked in the lot of an auto parts store the driver of M63 elected to turn his vehicle around by backing up without a spotter. In the process of doing so, the officer's side rear bumper of M63 impacted the concrete base of a light pole causing damage to the bumper.	Employee was determined to be at fault and was issued a written reprimand	Employed since 2007, this member has not previously been involved in a vehicle accident.
6/16/2016	Fire	While backing out of a parking space in a fire station lot, a staff Lt. misjudged the space between his City vehicle and the personal vehicle of another employee. Minor cosmetic damage was done to the rear bumper of the City vehicle and to the front bumper / license plate holder of the personal vehicle.	Employee was determined to be at fault and was issued a verbal reprimand	Employed since 1991, this member has not previously been involved in a vehicle accident.