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October 10, 2007

HONORABLE GARY BECKER and MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

RE:

Claim for damages/reimbursement

Dear Mayor Becker and Aldermen:

The following claim has been received as indicated below, and this office has gathered information to assess the claim. Based upon the information that is available to me, it is my recommendation that the claim be denied.

 James & Amy Ketchum, 123 Virginia Street, claim reimbursement in the amount of \$20,000.00 for repairs arising from the sewer backing up into their basement on August 18-19, 2007 due to all of the rain. The City experienced record rainfall during this period and therefore denies liability for the damages.

Sincerely,

Nicole F. Loop
Assistant City Attorney

Ald. Wisneski

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