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**City of Racine, Wisconsin
Common Council**

AGENDA BRIEFING MEMORANDUM

COMMITTEE: Finance and Personnel

LEGISLATION ITEM #: 0646-24

AGENDA DATE: August 12, 2024

DEPARTMENT: City Attorney's Office

Prepared By: Deputy City Attorney Marisa L. Roubik

SUBJECT: Communication sponsored by Alder Horton on behalf of the City Attorney's Office submitting the claim of Progressive Subrogation Artisan and Truckers Casualty Company, on behalf of its insured, Scott Ostrowski, for consideration for disallowance.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Progressive Subrogation Artisan and Truckers Casualty Company, on behalf of its insured, Scott Ostrowski, claims reimbursement in the amount of \$2,208.87 in damages allegedly arising from an auto collision with a City of Racine solid waste truck at or near Shoreland Drive and 10th Street on or about January 23, 2024. The City disputes its liability for the claimed damages. As such, the City Attorney's Office recommends that this Committee disallow this claim.

BACKGROUND & ANALYSIS:

The claimant, Progressive Subrogation Artisan and Truckers Casualty Company, on behalf of its insured, Scott Ostrowski, filed this claim for reimbursement in the amount of \$2,208.87 in damages allegedly arising from an auto collision with a City of Racine solid waste truck at or near Shoreland Drive and 10th Street on or about January 23, 2024. The claimant insures the driver and vehicle that were involved in the collision with the City's solid waste truck.

The City disputes its liability for the claimed damages. As such, the City Attorney's Office recommends that this Committee disallow this claim.

30 **BUDGETARY IMPACT:**

31 Assuming the recommendation to disallow this claim is adopted, this item would have a \$0.00
32 impact on the City's budget.

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34 **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

35 That the disallowance of this claim be recommended for approval.

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