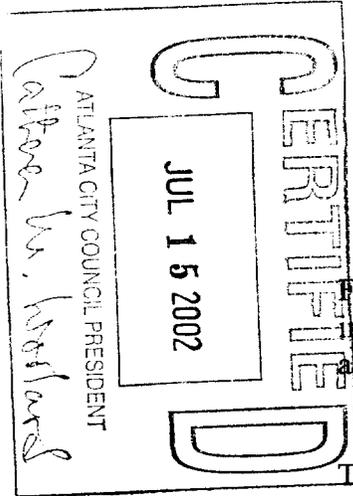


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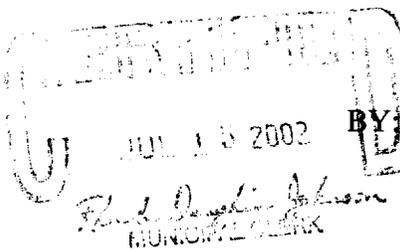
CLAIM OF: **THOMAS MARTIN,**
through his attorney,
Derek M. Wright
2001 MLK, Jr. Professional Building
Suite 403
Atlanta, Georgia 30310

02-R-1197



For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of personal injuries due to a fall on an uncovered drainage hole on June 7, 2001 at 1371 Kimberly Way.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED



Robert N. Godfrey
BY: **ROBERT N. GODFREY**
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

ADVERSE REPORT

ADVERSED CITY COUNCIL JUL 15 2002

COMM: P.S.L.A.
DATE: 7/9/02
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RE: Thomas Martin

Dear Attorney Wright:

I sincerely regret that your client has been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in his/her claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your client's claim at its regular meeting on July 15, 2002. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the **City Attorney's Office/Claims Division** at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 0110560

Date: June 14, 2002

Claimant /Victim THOMAS MARTIN
BY: (Atty.) Derek M. Wright
Address: 2001 MLK, Jr. Professional Building, Suite 403, Atlanta, Georgia 30310
Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ Bodily Injury \$ 35,000.00
Date of Notice: 09/10/01 Method: Written, proper X Improper
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 06/07/01 Place: 1371 Kimberly Way
Department Division:
Employee involved Disciplinary Action:

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges he was injured when he fell on an uncovered drainage hole at the above location. The investigation determined that in 1999 the City abandoned Kimberly Way (see City Ordinance 99-O-1719) and conveyed ownership to the Atlanta Housing Authority. At the time of the claimant's incident, the Atlanta Housing Authority had begun demolition of the Kimberly Courts Community which included the demolition of the sewer structures located on this property. The claimant, through his attorney, has been advised to pursue his claim against the Atlanta Housing Authority, a separate legal entity from the City of Atlanta.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee X Claimant Others Written Oral X
Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police Dept Report Other
Traffic citations issued: City Driver Claimant Driver
Citation disposition: City Driver Claimant Driver

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental Ministerial
Improper Notice More than Six Months Other Damages reasonable
City not involved X Offer rejected Compromise settlement
Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. Repair/replacement by City Forces
Claimant Negligent City Negligent Joint Claim Abandoned

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 2J01 2H01 2P01
Claims Manager: [Signature] Concur/date 06-19-02
Committee Action: Council Action

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7/15/02
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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

Pgs. 1-11; EXCEPT 02-R-1278

ADOPT

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	NV Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	NV Boazman	NV Woolard

1 st Consent I Vote:	15 Yeas; 0 Nays	(See RCS #3874)
Reconsidered	11 Yeas; 0 Nays	(See RCS #3892)

CONSENT I

		07/15/02 Council Meeting
ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT AGENDA	ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT AGENDA	ITEMS ADVERSED ON CONSENT AGENDA
1. 02-O-1255	34. 02-R-1229	52. 02-R-1197
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3. 02-O-1262	36. 02-R-1231	55. 02-R-1199
4. 02-O-0969	37. 02-R-1252	56. 02-R-1200
5. 02-O-1149	38. 02-R-1183	57. 02-R-1201
6. 02-O-1100	39. 02-R-1184	58. 02-R-1202
7. 02-O-1175	40. 02-R-1185	59. 02-R-1203
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