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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
OCT 07 2002

CLAIM OF: **CHRISTOPHER C. GILLETTE**
3400 Stratford Road, NE, #3402
Atlanta, Georgia 30326

For vehicle damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of striking an improperly placed metal post on December 26, 2001 at the 2400 block of Piedmont Road near Morosgo Drive

THIS ADVERSE REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: Rosalind Rubens Newell
ROSALIND RUBENS NEWELL
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

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ADVERSE REPORT
PUBLIC SAFTEY &
LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE
DATE 10/1/02
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October 17, 2002

Christopher C. Gillette
3400 Stratford Road, NE
Apartment 3402
Aatlanta, GA 30326

02-R-1683

Dear Mr. Gillette:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your 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 claim at its regular meeting on October 7, 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.**

Sincerely,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 02L0233 Date: 09/16/02

Claimant /Victim CHRISTOPHER C. GILLETTE
BY: (Atty) _____
Address: 3400 Stratford Road, NE # 3402 Atlanta, Georgia 30326
Subrogation: _____ Claim for Property damage $ 1,800.00 Bodily Injury $ _____
Date of Notice: 03/08/02 Method: Written, proper X Improper _____
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 12/26/01 Place: Piedmont Road and Morosgo Drive
Department _____ Division: _____
Employee involved _____ Disciplinary Action _____

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges that he sustained vehicular damages when he drove over a pothole in the roadway. An investigation determined that the road where the claimant incurred damages is a Georgia State Department of Transportation road, and it is not the responsibility of the City of Atlanta. The claim has been referred to the Georgia State Department of Transportation, and the claimant has been advised to pursue resolution of his damages with the Georgia State Department of Transportation.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee _____ Claimant X Other X Written X Oral _____
Pictures X 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,

Alexis Holmes
INVESTIGATOR - ALEXIS HOLMES

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay $ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____
Claims Manager: [signature] Concur/date 09/16/02
Committee Action: _____ Council Action _____

FORM 23-61

RCS# 4099
10/07/02
5:15 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I 0613;1695;1544;1562;1581;1666;1551
1668; Except CDHR #6-#10
RECON/READOPT

YEAS:	10
NAYS:	0
ABSTENTIONS:	0
NOT VOTING:	5
EXCUSED:	0
ABSENT	1

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

		10/07/02 Council Meeting
ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT AGENDA		**ITEMS ADVERSED ON CONSENT AGENDA**
1. 02-O-1538	46. 02-R-1702	53. 02-R-1675
2. 02-O-1549	47. 02-R-1703	54. 02-R-1676
3. 02-O-1554	48. 02-R-1704	55. 02-R-1677
4. 02-O-1466	49. 02-R-1705	56. 02-R-1678
5. 02-O-1253	50. 02-R-1706	57. 02-R-1679
6. 02-O-1575	51. 02-R-1707	58. 02-R-1680
7. 02-O-1576	52. 02-R-1708	59. 02-R-1681
8. 02-O-1582		60. 02-R-1682
9. 02-O-1447		61. 02-R-1683
10. 02-O-1545		62. 02-R-1684
11. 02-O-1261		63. 02-R-1685
12. 02-O-1534		64. 02-R-1686
13. 02-R-1662		65. 02-R-1687
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41. 02-R-1719		
42. 02-R-1698		
43. 02-R-1699		
44. 02-R-1700		
45. 02-R-1701		

Consent I Vote: 10Yeas; 0 Nays (See RCS #4099; Reconsidered See RCS #4043)

Items Removed from Consent: 02-R-1613; 02-R-1695; 02-O-1544; 02-O-1562; 02-O-1581; 02-R-1666; 02-O-1551; 02-R-1668; 02-O-1598; 02-O-1599; 02-O-1600; 02-O-1601; 02-O-1602