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CL02L0775 - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

ADVERSED BY CITY COUNCIL SEP 20 2004

CLAIM OF: **WILLIAM GAJESKI**
280 Pinecrest Road, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30342

04-R-1610

For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of property damage due to storm water overflow on September 21, 2002 at 280 Pinecrest Road, NE.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: _____
JERRY L. DELOACH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

CERTIFIED
SEP 20 2004
ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFTEY &
LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE
DATE: 9/14/04
CHAIR: _____

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September 28, 2004

William Gajeski
280 Pinecrest Road, NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

04-R-1610

Dear Mr. Gajeski:

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 September 20, 2004. 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

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. **02L0775** Date: August 30, 2004

Claimant /Victim **WILLIAM GAJESKI**
BY: (Atty)(Ins. Co.)
Address: 280 Pinecrest Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30342
Subrogation: _____ Claim for Property damage $ **400.00** Bodily Injury $ _____
Date of Notice: 10/24/02 Method: Written, proper X Improper _____
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 9/21/02 Place: 280 Pinecrest Road, NE
Department **Watershed Management** Division: _____
Employee involved _____ Disciplinary Action: _____

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges his property was damaged due to storm water overflow. The investigation determined that the cause of the damage was due to a heavy amount of rainfall. The City had no notice of any problems with drainage at the location prior to the date of claimant's damage. The City is immune from liability as set forth in O.C.G.A. §36-33-1.

INVESTIGATION:

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

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

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

Respectfully submitted,

INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay $ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____ 2P01 _____
Claims Manager: _____ Concur/date 9/1/04
Committee Action: _____ Council Action _____

FORM 23-61

RCS# 6041
9/20/04
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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

CONSENT I PG(S) 1-16 EXCEPT:04-O-1442, 04-R-1581, 04-O-1470
ADOPT

YEAS:	14
NAYS:	0
ABSTENTIONS:	0
NOT VOTING:	2
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	Y Sheperd	NV Borders

		9-20-04 Council Meeting
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