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CLAIM OF: NANCY E. FRATE
710 Penn Avenue, NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30308

For damages alleged to have been sustained when
tree limbs fell and cracked a sidewalk and driveway
in February 2004 at 710 Penn Avenue, NE

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS
APPROVED

BY: 
JERRY L. DELOACH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

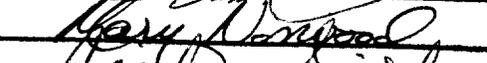
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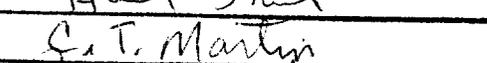
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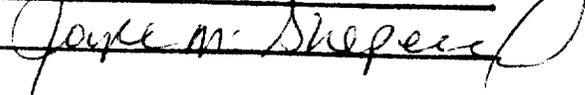
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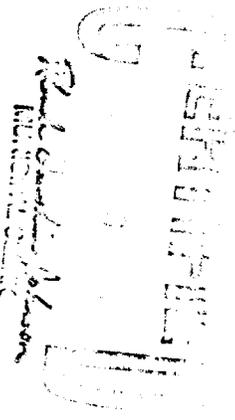








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ADVERSED BY
CITY COUNCIL

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July 20, 2005

Nancy E. Frate
710 Penn Ave., NE
Atlanta, GA 30308

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Dear Ms. Frate:

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 July 18, 2005. 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rhonda Dauphin Johnson".

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 04L0455

Date: June 28, 2005

Claimant /Victim NANCY E. FRATE
BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.)
Address: 710 Penn Avenue, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30308
Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ 1,500.00 Bodily Injury \$
Date of Notice: 6/30/04 Method: Written, Proper X Improper
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 2/04 Place: 710 Penn Avenue, NE
Department PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS Bureau: Parks
Employee involved Disciplinary Action:

NATURE OF CLAIM: Claimant alleges that she sustained property damage when tree limbs fell during a tree removal project and cracked her sidewalk and driveway. However, the city is immune from liability for all governmental functions pursuant to O.C.G.A. §36-33-1.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee Claimant Others Written Oral
Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police Dept Report X Other X
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,

Gwendolyn Burns
INVESTIGATOR - GWENDOLYN BURNS

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 2J01 2P01 2H01
Claims Manager: Concur/date 06/29/05
Committee Action: Council Action

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

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ADOPT

YEAS: 15
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

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

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