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DATE:

August 22, 2013

TO:

Marina Dimitrijevic, County Board Chairwoman

FROM:

Mark A. Grady, Acting Corporation Counsel

SUBJECT:

Claim filed by Bryan Staral (Progressive Insurance)

Date of incident:

March 12, 2013

Date claim filed:

June 13, 2013

I request that this matter be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, Safety and General Services to be placed on the agenda for its next meeting to approve the payment of \$7932.48 to Progressive Insurance to settle in full its subrogated claim against Milwaukee County.

This accident took place on March 12, 2013 around 4:20pm in the westbound lanes of County Line Road on the I43 overpass bridge.

A Milwaukee County Highway employee was operating a plow truck performing winter maintenance in the right lane. As he was proceeding west bound on County Line Road he failed to notice the claimant's vehicle headed in the same direction in the left lane. When he attempted a u-turn to head eastbound on County Line Road, the plow truck struck the claimant's vehicle as they were both moving.

Progressive Insurance has submitted subrogation documents related to the total loss of the claimant's 2009 Toyota Corolla. Progressive Insurance was able to recover \$4054.49 for the salvage therefore making their claim \$7932.48. There is no bodily injury claim related to this accident.

The adjustor and the County insurer recommend a total payment of \$7932.48 to Progressive Insurance to settle its subrogated property damage claim. Corporation Counsel has reviewed this matter and supports the recommendations to settle all claims arising out of the property damage to this vehicle.

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