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DATE:

November 18, 2013

TO:

Marina Dimitrijevic, County Board Chairwoman

FROM:

Mark A. Grady, Deputy Corporation Counsel

SUBJECT:

Claim filed by Arthur Lee Kloman (State Farm Insurance)

Date of incident:

May 29, 2013

Date claim filed:

October 4, 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 \$2,238.14 to Arthur Lee Kloman to settle in full his claim against Milwaukee County.

This accident took place on May 29, 2013 in the north bound lanes of Howell Ave in the tunnel. A Milwaukee County paint crew was traveling on Howell Ave. and did not secure a few of the paint cans and, therefore, the paint cans fell from the County truck onto the roadway. The claimant ran over the spilled paint.

The claimant's vehicle is a 2010 Subaru Forester. The mileage on the unit was 9,045. The yellow paint covered a majority of the right side of the vehicle from the front fender, wheel wells and quarter panel. State Farm has submitted subrogation documents in the amount of \$2,238.14, including the Mr. Kloman's \$50 deductible and rental charges of \$226.54.

The adjustor and the County insurer recommend a total payment of \$2,238.14 to State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company to settle this claim. Corporation Counsel has reviewed this matter and supports the recommendation to settle this claim.

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