INTEROFFICE COMMUNICATION COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE

DATE:

December 19, 2017

TO:

Theodore Lipscomb, Sr., Chairman, County Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Colleen Foley, Deputy Corporation Counsel

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SUBJECT:

Claim of Faina Kozlovsky

Date of Loss: December 23, 2016

I request that this matter be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, Safety and General Services for approval of a settlement. I request authority to settle the bodily injury claim of Faina Kozlovsky for the total sum not to exceed \$17,000, which will be paid by Wisconsin County Mutual Insurance Corporation.

On December 23, 2016, a Milwaukee County Highway employee stopped behind the claimant's vehicle and inadvertently released the brake, rolling into the rear of the claimant's vehicle.

Claimant Faina Kozlovsky is represented by Carlson, Blau & Clemens, SC, 3535 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, WI

SPECIALS:

Aurora Advanced HC:	\$ 581.00
Aurora UW Clinic:	\$ 1,502.00
Aurora Sinai Medical Center:	\$ 4,755.00
Great Lakes Radiology:	\$ 731.00
Freedom Physical Therapy:	\$ 8,255.00

Total:

\$15,824.00

Two days after the accident, she visited Urgent Care at the Aurora Advanced Health Care for shoulder and back pain. Aurora prescribed Tylenol and sent her home. (See above charge for \$581.00.)

The Aurora UW clinic charges are for treatment by her primary physician for arm pain for the dates of December 29, 2016 through March 07, 2017. That pain began 5 days after the accident per medical records, starting in her neck and going down into her elbow and hand. (See above charge for \$1,502.00.)

On December 31, 2017, the claimant had a cervical spine MRI at Aurora Health Care. All findings were normal. (See above charge for \$4,755.00 and \$731.00 from Great Lakes Radiology.)

From January 05, 2017 through March 30, 2017, the claimant underwent 24 physical therapy sessions at Freedom Physical Therapy for left shoulder and cervical pain. (See above charge for \$8,255.00.)

This claim falls under the Wisconsin County Mutual Insurance Corporation policy issued to Milwaukee County for the 2016 calendar year. For that policy year, the amount paid and the total currently incurred both fall under the County's self-insured retention. For this reason, this settlement falls entirely under the Milwaukee County's deductible.

Corporation Counsel and the Wisconsin County Mutual recommend this settlement for approval.

c: Kelly Bablitch Allyson Smith Erica Hayden Raisa Koltun