



WORKERS' COMPENSATION • PROPERTY • LIABILITY

August 14, 2024

George and Lea Sewell  
1107 Estelle  
Sweeny, Tx 77480-1501

RE: Fund Member: City of Sweeny  
Claimant: George and Lea Sewell  
Date of Loss: July 08, 2024  
Claim No: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr. & Ms. Sewell:

This letter is regarding the claim made against the City of Sweeny for the above-referenced matter. There was no negligent use of motor-driven equipment by the city in this instance.

Based on the facts revealed in our investigation, we have concluded that the damages you are alleging were not caused by any wrongful act, omission or negligence on the part of the City of Sweeny or any of its employees. The City of Sweeny is legally immune from liability for the property damage claim being brought against it as afforded to the City of Sweeny by common law of Texas. Although the *Texas Tort Claims Act* waives this immunity under certain circumstances, the facts of your case and the damages which you seek do not fall under any of the waivers set forth in this *Act*. For this reason, we must respectfully deny this claim in its entirety.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Debbie Vasek'.

Debbie Vasek  
Senior Claim Specialist  
Texas Municipal League Intergovernmental Risk Pool

cc: Karla Wilson  
City of Sweeny  
PO Box 248  
Sweeny, TX 77480-0248

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