



Recommendation Memo

To: Terry Depetrillo, Water Department
From: Margie White, Finance Department ext 9641
Date: August 17, 2022
Re: Council Claim

Please investigate the attached claim against the City of Warwick involving your department and return this recommendation to the Treasury office as soon as possible.

Date of Incident: 07/13/2022

Police/tow/auto report: AAA

Claimant: Diana Ferraro
67 Ann Mary Brown Drive
Warwick, RI 02888

Claim: Hit a water drain cover on Narragansett Parkway that was upright in the road.

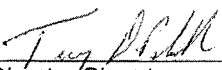
Invoice: New England Tire \$361.96

Estimates:	Good Year	\$153.00 (tire only)
	Pep Boys	\$182.47 (tire + install)
	Car Treatments	\$100-200 (alignment)
	Kbb.com	\$142-166 (alignment)

Department Recommends:

Approval of this claim for \$ 361.96.

Denial of this claim (please include comments below):



Director Signature

8-17-2022
Date

TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

The undersigned respectfully petitions your body for compensation for injuries or damages sustained as follows:

Please print information that pertains to your claim.

Motor Vehicle Accident Pothole Property Damage Tax Waiver Other

Claimant Name: Diana Ferraro

Address: 67 Ann Mary Brown Dr

City, State, Zip: Warwick RI 02888

Telephone #: 401-878-0574

Date of incident (M/D/Y) 7/13/22 Time: 2:55 AM PM

Description of Incident/Claim: _____

water drain upright in road
photos available

Vehicle Year: 2016 Make: Acura Model: TLX Odometer reading: _____

The Pothole was located on Narr. Pkwy road 7/13/22

I notified the Finance | Public Works department on notified RIDOT (date).

left message at city hall 7/13/22, went to

The nature of my property damage is: H2O dept 8/9/22

blown out tire

Additional information about Tax Waiver (include letter from Tax Collector stating adverse decision) _____

I request reimbursement in the amount of \$ \$364.96

SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT: Diana Ferraro DATE 8/9/22

AFFIDAVIT

(Petitioner Name) Diana Ferraro, being duly sworn, deposes and states:

1. I have petitioned the City Council of the City of Warwick for compensation for losses arising from an incident which occurred on (date) 7/13/22 as a result of (please provide brief description):
drain cover vertical in road instead of horizontal

Said claim was filed with the Finance Department on 8/9/22 (date).

2. Check appropriate box or boxes:

I have not sought compensation, nor will I at any time seek compensation from any source (including, but not limited to, any insurance company) other than the City of Warwick, for any loss arising from the above-described incident, understanding for pothole claims, the maximum recovery is \$300.00 under Rhode Island General Law § 24-5-13 (b).

I have received compensation from a source or sources other than the City of Warwick, (including, but not limited to, any insurance company) in connection with this incident. The amount(s) which I received total \$ _____ and the source of the other payment(s) was _____

I am seeking, or intend to seek, compensation from a source or sources other than and/or in addition to the City of Warwick (including, but not limited to, any insurance company), for any loss arising from the above described incident. The source or sources from which I seek such other compensation is/are: _____

3. In the event that the Warwick City Council should deny my claim, I understand that I may pursue a claim against any other party who may be liable for my loss.

4. I understand that I am not entitled to recover more than the amount of my actual loss. If the City of Warwick pays any amount to me in connection with the above described incident, and if I should receive any amounts from any source other than the City of Warwick with respect to the above described incident, I will report such other receipt(s) to the Finance Department of the City of Warwick.

5. I have personal knowledge of the facts aforesaid.

Diana Ferraro
Signature of Claimant or its Representative

Diana Ferraro
Printed Name

State of Rhode Island
County of Kent

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 9th day of August, 2022.

NOTARY PUBLIC
Margie A. White
759429
My Commission Expires 7/25/24
RHODE ISLAND
Margie A. White
(Notary Public)
My Commission Expires 7/25/24



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

600 NEW LONDON AVENUE
 CRANSTON RI 02920-3024

Web Address: WWW.DMV.RI.GOV



BW18260606

DIANA MARGARETE FERRARO
 67 ANN MARY BROWN DR
 WARWICK RI 02888-4409

Date: 04/16/2022

Registration Certificate

REG NUMBER: 1HW667	PLATE TYPE: PASSENGER	PLATE DESIGN: WAVE	VEHICLE TYPE: PASSENGER	DRIVERS LICENSE: 8260606	REG EXP DATE: 05/31/2023
YEAR: 2016	MAKE: ACURA	MODEL: TLX	BODY TYPE: SEDAN	MAJOR COLOR: WHITE	MINOR COLOR: WHITE
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 19UU81F36GA005793		RENEWAL FEE: 112.50	GROSS WEIGHT: 4233 LBS	# OF PASSENGERS: 5	# OF CYLINDERS: 4
FUEL TYPE: GAS	CARRYING CAPACITY: N/A		LENGTH: N/A	CCs: N/A	MAX SPEED: N/A
REGISTERED OWNER: DIANA MARGARETE FERRARO 67 ANN MARY BROWN DR WARWICK RI 02888-4409			SECOND OWNER:		

TAX TOWN: **WARWICK**

- Notice: The law requires that the DMV be notified within 10 days of any change in name or address. Please visit our website to update your address online.
- Plate Cancellation -Excise Tax; Plates must be cancelled with the DMV to ensure the vehicle is removed from the city or town tax rolls. Please retain your receipt as proof of cancellation.
- Every registration plate shall be at all times securely fastened in a horizontal position and be in a condition to be clearly legible. Validation stickers are only to be placed securely on the lower right corner of the registration plate.
- Registration Certificate shall at all times be carried in the vehicle to which it refers or shall be carried by the person driving or in control of such vehicle.
- Proof of valid insurance/financial security is required as per Rhode Island General Laws § 31-47 (Motor Vehicle Reparatons Act).
- It is your responsibility to renew your registration prior to the expiration date. Failure to do so may result in the assignment of new plates.
- Failure to obtain an **Emissions Inspection** on or before **05/15/2024** will result in this vehicle being suspended.
- Not valid without official signature of Administrator.
- Any vehicle operating in excess of legal weight limits is required to have an overweight permit per Chapter 31-25 of the Rhode Island General Laws. Failure to obtain an overweight permit may result in the imposition of fines and/or other penalties.

WALTER R. CRADDOCK
 ADMINISTRATOR
 DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

To Whom It May Concern,
I hit a drain cap on Narragansett Parkway resulting in a blowout. Fortunately, I received a free tow to the nearest AAA approved garage (New England Tire). The repair receipt is submitted for \$361.96. I have also submitted photos and estimates. It is my hope to receive the max allowance as I paid not only for the tire, but also the following:

- Tire disposal
- Wheel Balance
- 4-wheel computerized alignment

Please advise if you need anything else.

Thank you,

Diana Ferraro



Department of Transportation
Highway & Bridge Maintenance
360 Lincoln Avenue
Warwick, RI 02888

July 14, 2022

Ms. Diana Ferraro
67 Ann Mary Brown Drive
Warwick, RI 02888

SUBJECT: Exposed Storm Drain Cover–Narragansett Blvd. before Landon Rd.-Warwick

Dear Ms. Ferraro:

The Department of Transportation has reviewed your claim (enclosed) for damage.

Upon investigation, it was determined that the result of damage to your vehicle was due to an exposed storm drain cover, which is owned and maintained by the City of Warwick. Your claim for damages should be forwarded to:

Warwick Water Department
935 Sandy Lane
Warwick, RI, 02889
Contact: Claims Dept.

As such, we are closing our file on this matter.

Sincerely,

Arlene Nelson
Claims Coordinator

cc: Joseph A. Bucci, P.E.
File

New England Tire Car Care Centers

1590 Warwick Ave., Warwick, RI 02889
 Phone: 401-737-1400
 newenglandtire.com

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Customer Information	Invoice	Additional Information
Diana Ferrado 111 Warwick, RI 02889 Acct Number: P: 4018680574 Contact:	Date: 7/14/2022 Reference: W51006 Salesperson: RAFAEL TAVINO Route: Delivery Date: 7/14/2022	PO Number: Work Order#: W-1248551 Entered By: Mike Vargas
Vehicle: 2016 Acura TLX 4 Cyl. Lic No: 1EX145 Unit: Mileage IN: 70898 Desc: VIN. Mileage OUT: 70898 (U) TPMS Equipped *Lug Torque (ft. lbs): 80 *Inflation Front/Rear (psi): 32/32 *OE Info		

Qty	Description	FET	Unit Price	Ext. Price
1.00	towed in flat repair		0.00	0.00
- 1.00	706447163, 225/55R17 97H, Eagle LS-2 BW SL, Goodyear		173.41	173.41
1.00	TIRE DISMOUNT/MOUNT - PASS/LT		0.00	0.00
1.00	FORCE RADIAL WHEEL BALANCE		25.00	25.00
1.00	ROAD HAZARD PROTECTION PLAN		25.00	25.00
1.00	4 WHEEL COMPUTERIZED ALIGNMENT		109.95	109.95
RI Taxable				
Subtotal:				333.36
RI State Hard to Dispose Fee:				1.00
Shop Supply Fee:				11.47
RI State Sales Tax:				12.14
Scrap Tire Disposal:				3.99
Total:				\$361.96
7/14/2022 Payment# P-1248882 Amount:				\$361.96
VISA 1807 Exp: 08/2025 AC: SALE:454225:282462704::18768110 (MP -				361.96
OrderID:1548178504 ,TransID:1876811008)				
Invoice Balance:				\$0.00

Parts	Labor	Subtotal	Taxes/Fees	FET	Total
\$173.41	\$159.95	\$333.36	\$28.60	\$0.00	\$361.96

THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS

I hereby authorize the stated repair work to be done along with the necessary material, and hereby grant New England Tire permission to operate the vehicle herein described on streets, highways or elsewhere for the purpose of testing and/or inspection. An express mechanic's lien is hereby acknowledged on above vehicle to secure the amount of repairs thereto. New England Tire is not responsible for loss or damage to vehicles, or articles left in vehicles, in case of fire, theft or any other cause beyond it's control. A 1.5% (18% APR) service charge will be assessed on any amount which becomes delinquent beyond 30 days.

Signature _____



GOODYEAR

EAGLE LS-2

Grand Touring All-Season

Overall Rating (8.5)

★★★★★

Review This Tire (/WriteTireReview.a

fire only

DETAILS & PRICING

Size: 225/55R17H
IBM#: 45057
Speed Rtg: H
UTQG: 400 A A
Load: 97
Sidewall: BSW

NO SHIPPING OR MOUNTING CHARGE!

Found It Lower? (/FoundItLower.aspx?ibm=45057)

Price Per Tire:

\$ 153.00

SEE TOTAL PRICE INSTALLED

CALL TIRE EXPERT

TIRE DESCRIPTION

OTHER TIRE SIZES

OVERALL RATINGS

READ TIRE REVIEWS

A great all-around, all-season tire for just about any vehicle, the Goodyear Eagle LS-2 tire offers a plush, quiet ride, long life, and strong traction in dry or wet conditions. Premium sidewall styling enhances the look of your vehicle for the perfect ride.

Features and Benefits:

- Symmetric tread block design.
- Computer-Optimized black sizes that work to minimize road noise.
- Wide circumferential channels efficiently evacuates water to enhance wet traction.
- Sipes provide biting edges for traction in light snow.
- Twin steel belts that are reinforced by nylon which enhances strength and high-speed durability.

NOBODY DOES IT LIKE TOWN FAIR TIRE...NOBODY!

✓ **Guaranteed Lowest Prices (/lowest-tire-prices/)**

We beat all competitors pricing...

✓ **Lifetime Flat Tire Repair (/flat-tire-repair/)**

Our tire or not!

✓ **Free Lifetime Tire Rotations (/lifetime-tire-rotations/)**

Every 5,000 miles to help you...

✓ **Free Front Wheel Alignment (/front-wheel-alignment/)**

Free with any tire purchase

✓ **Lifetime Winter Change-Over (/winter-tire-change-over/)**

On any car you own...

✓ **Free Site-To-Store-Shipping (/free-tire-shipping-to-store/)**

Free shipping to our store locations...

SHOP TIRES BY VEHICLE

- Select Make
- Select Model
- Select Year
- Select Body
- Select Option

SHOP TIRES BY SIZE

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Add a Different Rear Tire Size

ALL TIRES

WINTER TIRES

REBATE TIRES

Tires by Vehicle

Tires by Size

Goodyear Eagle LS-2

Goodyear Eagle LS-2

(268)

\$150.99 per tire



Qty 1

\$150.99



\$31.48

Subtotal \$182.47

tire + install

FEATURES

The Goodyear Eagle LS is a luxury performance touring tire designed to provide a smooth, quiet ride. Using a specially designed tread block sequence that provides great handli...

SPECS

Warranty 0 mi.

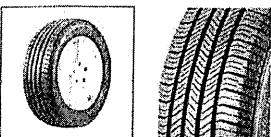
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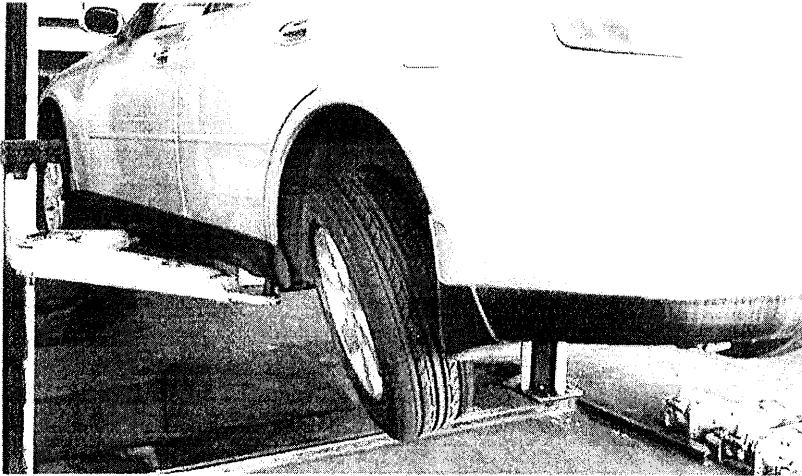
Size 225/55R17

Type Passenger ?

UTQG - ?

Part # 706447163





The average wheel alignment cost varies with the car model and the professional mechanic servicing your vehicle as well as the equipment used by them. Depending on where you go, the average cost of **aligning the front or rear wheels of most vehicles range from \$50 to \$100.**

4 wheel alignment

Expect to pay somewhere between **\$100 and \$200 to align all four wheels.** A complete 4-wheel alignment is always recommended for best results.

The two biggest factors in the final cost of a wheel alignment are the vehicle in question and the service center you go to.

Many luxury and performance vehicles require special tools and computers to perform an alignment and may take more time than others.

While a car dealership will obviously be able to perform alignments on their vehicle brand, not all independent

drifting) will extend the life of your tires. Alignment is measured in degrees of camber (tire leaning inward or outward), caster (forward or backward slope of steering components in relation to the McPherson struts) and toe (the direction the tires are pointing). Toe-in means that the tires are pointing inward; toe-out means that the tires are pointing outward. Most vehicles are "averaged" for everyday driving.



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Grieco Acura

Servicing ACURA Vehicles

4 mile(s) away | 16 Highland Ave, Seekonk, MA 02771

(401) 735-4721

First Acura

Servicing ACURA Vehicles

5 mile(s) away | 16 Highland Ave, Seekonk, MA 02771

(855) 640-8151

Total Estimate

Parts

\$0 - \$0

Labor

\$142 - \$166



A wheel alignment

Speedcraft Acura

Servicing ACURA Vehicles

12 mile(s) away | 883 QUAKER LN, WEST WARWICK, RI 02893

(401) 400-4751



Prime Acura

Servicing ACURA Vehicles

29 mile(s) away | 395 Providence Hwy, Westwood, MA 02090

(508) 505-4701

