



## Recommendation Memo

**To:** Eric Earls, Department of Public Works  
**From:** Margie White, Finance Department X 9241  
**Date:** December 21, 2023  
**Re:** Council Claim

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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:** 12/08/23

**Police/tow/auto report:** 23-73151

**Claimant:** Betty Belmore  
33 Morgan Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889

**Claim:** Hit pothole on Meadowview Drive causing damage to tie rods and alignment.

<b>Estimates:</b>	Firestone	\$432.44
	Monro	\$319.83
	New England Tire	\$403.07

**Department Recommends:**

**Approval** of this claim for **\$0**

**Denial** of this claim (please include comments below):

As required by RIGL 24-8-35 regarding claims of damage from a pothole that requires any claim be filed with (7) seven days from the date of the incident. Claimant failed to submit paperwork in the required timeframe.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Director Signature

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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: Betty Belmore

Address: 33 Morgan Ave

City, State, Zip: Warwick RI

Telephone #: 401 737 8092

DEC 21 2023

Date of incident (M/D/Y) 12/8/23 Time: 9:30  AM  PM

Description of Incident/Claim: hit a huge pot hole on meadowview dr. afterwards steering wheel shook and car pulls to left.

Vehicle Year: 09 Make: Chery Model: Aveo Odometer reading: 43,300

The Pothole was located on Meadowview Ave road.

I notified the Finance I Public Works department on 12/8/23 (date).

The nature of my property damage is: \$ 300.00

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

I request reimbursement in the amount of \$ 300.00

SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT: Betty Belmore DATE 12/31/23

**AFFIDAVIT**

(Petitioner Name) Betty Belmore, 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) 12/8/23 as a result of (please provide brief description):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Said claim was filed with the Finance Department on 12/10/23 (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.

Betty Belmore Signature of Claimant or its Representative      Betty Belmore Printed Name

State of Rhode Island  
County of Kent

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2023

**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

# REGISTRATION



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
 DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES  
 600 New London Avenue  
 Cranston RI 02920-3024  
 Web Address: [WWW.DMV.RI.GOV](http://WWW.DMV.RI.GOV)



BETTINA V BELMORE  
 33 MORGAN AVE  
 WARWICK RI 02889-5525

Date: 12/24/2021

## Registration Certificate

REG NUMBER: <b>BB285</b>	PLATE TYPE: <b>PASSENGER</b>	PLATE DESIGN: <b>WAVE</b>	VEHICLE TYPE: <b>PASSENGER</b>	DRIVERS LICENSE: <b>7214876</b>	REG EXP DATE: <b>01/31/2024</b>
YEAR: <b>2009</b>	MAKE: <b>CHEVROLET</b>	MODEL: <b>LTS</b>	BODY TYPE: <b>5D</b>	MAJOR COLOR: <b>SILVER</b>	MINOR COLOR: <b>SILVER</b>
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: <b>KL1TD66E69B341984</b>		RENEWAL FEE: <b>\$92.50</b>	GROSS WEIGHT: <b>2547</b>	# OF PASSENGERS: <b>5</b>	# OF CYLINDERS: <b>4</b>
FUEL TYPE: <b>GAS</b>	CARRYING CAPACITY: <b>N/A</b>	LENGTH: <b>N/A</b>	CCs: <b>N/A</b>	MAX SPEED: <b>N/A</b>	
REGISTERED OWNER/LEASING COMPANY: <b>BETTINA V BELMORE 33 MORGAN AVE WARWICK RI 02889-5525</b>			SECOND OWNER:/LESSEE		

- 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 Reparations 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 **06/14/2023** 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

12/24/2021

For Date: 12/20/2023 - Wednesday

<u>Call Number</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Call Reason</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Priority</u>
23-73151	1128	Phone - POT HOLE	Services Rendered 3	
Call Taker:		DLAWING - Civilian Dewey R Lawing Jr.		
Call Closed By:		JPARENT - Civilian Jerry A Parenteau 12/20/2023 1216		
Location/Address:		33 MORGAN AVE		
Calling Party:		BELMORE, BETTY V @ 33 MORGAN AVE - WARWICK, RI 02889		
		Race: W Sex: F		
Unit:		P1 Officer Rahja O Laster		
		Disp-11:42:27 Arvd-11:48:07 Clrd-12:12:59		
Vehicle:		SIL 2009 CHEV 4D AVEO Reg: PC RI BB285 VIN: KL1TD66E69B341984		
Operator:		BELMORE, BETTY V @ 33 MORGAN AVE - WARWICK, RI 02889		
		Race: W Sex: F		
Owner:		BELMORE, BETTY V @ 33 MORGAN AVE - WARWICK, RI 02889		
		Race: W Sex: F		
Insurance Co:		allstate		
Policy No:		919960215		
Narrative:		12/20/2023 1129 Civilian Dewey R Lawing Jr.		
		on morgan ave extension, dirt road to the left		
		damage to chevy aveo by pothole		
Narrative:		12/20/2023 1209 Officer Rahja O Laster		
		On 12/3/23 at approximately 0930 hours the registered owner's vehicle struck a pothole on Meadow View Ave in Warwick, resulting in damage to the vehicle's alignment. The city was called and appropriate paper work was completed. The pothole was eventually filled in.		
Narrative:		12/20/2023 1210 Officer Rahja O Laster		
		RP provided with call number		

QUOTE  
4673062

FIRESTONE COMPLETE AUTO CARE  
1689A POST RD  
WARWICK, RI. 02888-5900

SERVICE ADVISOR:  
06 SORAYA  
401.732.3141

Printed on 12/11/2023

BELMORE, BETTINA  
33 MORGAN AVE  
WARWICK, RI 02889-5525

2009 CHEVROLET AVEO LS  
1.6L L4 FI GAS VIN E DOHC  
LIC # BB285 RI VIN # KL1TD66E69B341984  
IN MILEAGE 0

Store # 014931

QUOTE

Description	Article Number	T#	Qty	Part	Labor	Extended Price	Job Total
<b>TIE ROD ENDS (Left-Outer)</b>		06					<b>226.99</b>
ES5009 TIE ROD END	7038881		1	82.99		82.99	
REMOVE & REPLACE TIE ROD END	7023000		1		144.00	144.00	
<b>ALIGNMENT SERVICE (ONLINE QUOTE)</b>		06					<b>110.99</b>
Steering, Suspension, Alignment Symptoms Sheet							
STANDARD WHEEL ALIGNMENT - ONLINE QUOTE	7009500		1		110.99	110.99	
<b>STANDARD WHEEL BALANCE (All 4)</b>		06					<b>61.56</b>
Symptom:							
Misc:Tires Noisy							
STANDARD WHEEL BALANCE (JOBS)	7013178		4		15.39	61.56	

Prices valid for 30 days.

Summary	
Parts	82.99
Labor	316.55
Shop Supplies	25.32
Sub	424.86
Tax	7.58
Total	432.44

**THIS IS NOT AN INVOICE- DO NOT PAY**

# MONRO

**AUTO SERVICE *And* TIRE CENTERS**

**MONRO MUFFLER/BRAKE & SERVICE**  
**1640 POST RD.**  
**SHOP 577**  
**WARWICK, RI 02888**  
**(401)737-0480**

Guest ID: 0	Year: 2009	Date/Time: 12/11/23 15:16:21
Name:	Make: CHEVROLET	Estimate #: 273047
Address:	Model: AVEO LS	Invoice #:
Address 2:	Lic No:	PO Number:
City, State, Zip: , ,	VIN:	Unit Number:
Home Phone: () -	Color:	Email Address:
Work Phone: () -	Engine: L4 1.6L VIN E 16V DOHC ID-LXV	Fleet/Wholesale: N
Other Phone: () -	Mileage In: 0	Est Created On: 12/11/23 15:13:55
Tax Exempt #:	Mileage Out: 0	
Manager:	Inspect Due:	

Services Requested:

Qty.	Part #	Car Loc	Description	Part	Labor	Amount
Tire Pressure Spec: Not Available    Wheel Torque: Not Available						
<b>INCLUDED WITH EVERY VISIT</b>						
1	CI		COURTESY INSPECTION			NO CHARGE
1	SM		SCHED. MAINT. REVIEW			NO CHARGE
<b>TIRE SERVICE</b>						
1	ALIGNMENT		WHEEL ALIGNMENT	0.00	129.99	129.99
1	7	A	WHEEL BALANCE	1.50	10.50	12.00
			<b>TOTAL TIRE SERVICE:</b>			141.99
<b>FRONT END</b>						
1	OUTES		ES5009 TIE ROD END	74.17	68.00	142.17
			<b>TOTAL FRONT END:</b>			142.17
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>						
1	FEE		SHOP SUPPLY FEE This charge represents costs and profits to the motor vehicle repair facility for miscellaneous shop supplies or waste disposal.	28.39	0.00	28.39
			<b>TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS:</b>			28.39

\*\*\* Customer Wishes To Discard Old Parts \*\*\*

THIS IS A PHONE QUOTE ESTIMATE , NOT AN INVOICE! DO NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENTS FROM THIS PAPERWORK!

TECH:	SUB TOTAL	312.55
	SALES TAX	7.28
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>319.83</b>

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR IMPORTANT AUTHORIZATION INFORMATION \_\_\_\_\_  
Customer Signature

CAUTION: Owners of Mag, Custom, Alloy, or Dual Wheels must have lug-nuts retorqued after 25 miles or 24 hours!  
 The Company will gladly retorque these lug-nuts once after the first 25 miles at no charge.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Customer Initials

# New England Tire Car Care Centers

1590 Warwick Ave., Warwick, RI 02889

Phone: 401-737-1400

newenglandtire.com

**Celebrating 45 Years Servicing Our Customers**

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Customer Information	Work Order	Additional Information
<b>11:</b> <b>1</b> Warwick, RI 02889  Acct Number: P: 4017378092 Contact:	Date: 12/11/2023 Reference: W-1507868 Salesperson: ROBERT HASTINGS  Route: Delivery Date:12/11/2023	PO Number: Work Order#:W-1507868   Entered By: ROBERT HASTINGS
Vehicle: 2009 Chevrolet Aveo LT Desc: (U)TPMS Equipped *Lug Torque (ft. lbs): 81 *Inflation Front/Rear (psi): 33/33	Lic No: 11 VIN:	Unit: Mileage IN: Mileage OUT: *OE Info

Qty	Description	FET	Unit Price	Ext. Price
	Tie-Rod Ends - Replace steering tie-rod end(s) as required. Inspect balance of steering system and related components.			
1.00	PREES800033, Outer Tie Rod End, Steering/Suspension		62.93	62.93
1.00	INSTALL STEERING COMPONENT - Tie Rod (Steering Linkage) Remove And Replace Tie Rod End		134.55	134.55
1.00	4 WHEEL COMPUTERIZED ALIGNMENT		119.95	119.95
2.00	WHEEL BALANCE		25.00	50.00
	<b>RI Taxable</b>			
			<b>Subtotal:</b>	<b>367.43</b>
			Shop Supply Fee:	31.23
			RI State Sales Tax:	4.41
			<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$403.07</b>

## 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.