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# CITY OF DANBURY

155 DEER HILL AVENUE

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

COMMON COUNCIL

May 26, 2006

The Honorable Joe Cavo  
Common Council President  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, CT 06810

**RE: Request for Ad Hoc Committee**

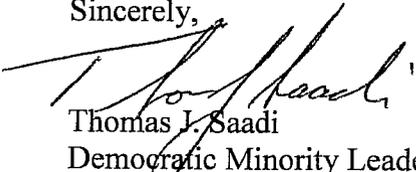
Dear President Cavo and Common Council Members:

I am writing to request the appointment of a Common Council Ad Hoc Committee at the June Common Council meeting for the purpose of reviewing the request of John Showah for the city to repair the section of a sidewalk damaged while the City engaged in other sidewalk work.

I am aware of the state and local laws requiring property owners to maintain and repair sidewalks adjacent to their property. However, those laws are directed at general wear and tear and not the unique and attributable damage done in this case

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Thomas J. Saadi  
Democratic Minority Leader

Attachment

JOHN SHOWAH  
73 North Street  
Danbury, CT 06810

(203) 743-2640

March 9, 2006

Dear Mayor Boughton:

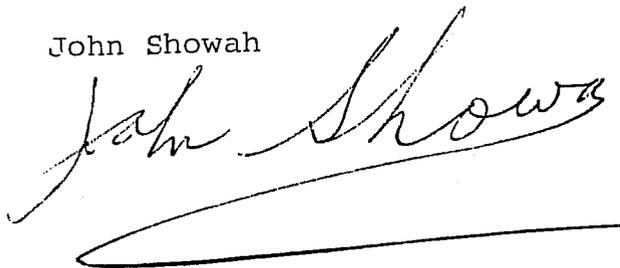
This letter is in reference to the sidewalk in front of my house at 73 North Street.

It's been over a year and a half since the City altered the sidewalk to make it handicap accessible. When they altered the sidewalk, too much pressure was applied by the backhoe and the sidewalk crumbled.

In summary, five squares of the sidewalk were destroyed. I am requesting that you send me written communication within two weeks to inform me of the status of this sidewalk repair. Feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

John Showah

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Showah". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name. A long, horizontal line is drawn underneath the signature, extending across the width of the signature.

Tom -

Can the Council help  
with this?