## MEMORANDUM OF LAW

DATE: June 18, 1993

TO: Caryn Hosford, Code Compliance Officer - General Services, Streets Division

FROM: City Attorney

SUBJECT: Cost Recovery of Sidewalk Maintenance

The attached memorandum which we adopt as the opinion of this office was prepared by Legal Intern Elizabeth Hull and answers the question posed telephonically by you regarding the City's ability to recover the cost of repairs made to sidewalks damaged by privately owned trees.

JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney By Elmer L. Heap, Jr. Deputy City Attorney ELH:smm:221:(x043.2) Attachment ML-93-60