



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Human Resources



Date: October 29, 2013
Board Meeting Date: November 19, 2013
Special Notice / Hearing: None
Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: Donna Vaillancourt, Director, Human Resources Department
Scott Johnson, Risk Manager

Subject: Disposition of Claims Filed Against County

RECOMMENDATION:

Report recommending the denial of claims (Non-culpable)

BACKGROUND:

Under authority of section 2.10.070 of the Ordinance Code, the County Manager has designated the Director to process claims filed against the County. Further investigation may indicate justification for payment by the County. If so, payment will be made under the authority of the Risk Manager or will be brought back to the Board.

DISCUSSION:

The Risk Management Division has reviewed these claims and recommends that you take the following action.

<u>Claim #</u>	<u>Claimant</u>	<u>Recommended Board</u>	
	Claims recommended for denial:		
G13-016	Agrimonti, Anthony Stewart	9/4/13	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges lost personal property upon his release from San Mateo County Jail.		
G13-013B	Christensen, Jonathan	10/17/13	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges damages due to being denied phone calls by San Mateo County Jail staff.		

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Claims recommended for denial:			
G12-082	Clark, Antoinette	6/12/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges her parked registered vehicle was towed away from her home in Millbrae.			
G13-014	Furiosi, Gary	8/31/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges while incarcerated at the Maguire Facility his incoming and outgoing mail was illegally interfered with causing deliberate indifference.			
G13-015B	Leer, Rikki	8/31/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges his incoming and outgoing mail had been withheld illegally causing him mental duress.			
G13-015	Leer, Rikki	8/31/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges he has not been able to get dental work during his incarceration at the Maguire Facility.			
G12-081	Murphy, John Albert	4/19/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges he was struck by a vehicle while crossing Ninth Avenue at Claremont Street in San Mateo due to the dangerous road conditions.			
G13-017	Riccomi, David and Donna	4/14/13	Non-culpable
Claimants allege indemnity and diminution in value of damaged property.			
G12-076B	Robertson, Bernadette	5/8/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges damages due to improperly placed traffic cones on Alpine Road caused her husband, William Blaine Robertson's bicycle accident			
G12-083	Shatara, Maha	4/28/13	Non-culpable
Claimant alleges she was walking at or near 936 Parrott Street in the Town of Hillsborough when she fell due to the defects or design flaws in the roadway			

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO PRESENT A LATE CLAIM

G12-072	Acasio, Lourdes A.	11/30/12, 12/1/12	No statutory basis for excuse
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Claimant requests leave to present a late claim wherein she alleges damages during her incarceration.

Careful consideration of these claims contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Collaborative Community by ensuring fair and equitable handling of all claims while conserving financial resources and protecting assets.