



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Human Resources



Date: February 20, 2014
Board Meeting Date: March 25, 2014
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>	Recommended Board Action and Basis	
	Claims recommended for denial:		
G13-040	Pac Bell Telephone Co. (dba: AT&T)	10/8/13	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges San Mateo County road crew damaged aerial drops.		
G13-041	Martinez, David	1/15/14	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges County vehicle entered his turn lane while driving south on El Camino Real in Menlo Park, and ran into his rear bumper.		

<u>Claim #</u>	<u>Claimant</u>	Recommended Board Action and Basis	
	Claims recommended for denial:		
G13-042	Tait, Geordie	12/3/13	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges when he left the County facility to another hospital, his wallet was missing \$70.00.		

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.