



**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Inter-Departmental Correspondence  
Human Resources



**Date:** February 22, 2017  
**Board Meeting Date:** March 14, 2017  
**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** Donna Vaillancourt, Director, Human Resources Department  
Scott Johnson, Deputy Director, Human Resources Department

**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.

<b><u>Claim #</u></b>	<b><u>Claimant</u></b>	<b><u>Incident Date</u></b>	<b><u>Recommended Board Action and Basis</u></b>
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*Claims recommended for denial:*

G17-0276	Mariano, Vanessa Ann	1/10/2017	Non-culpable Claimant alleges property damage.
G17-0277	Davidson, Charles	2/11/2017	Non-culpable Claimant alleges property not returned when released from jail
G17-0280	Alcantar-Orea, Edward	1/8/2017	Non-culpable Claimant alleges property not returned when transferred from camp.
G17-0248	Martinez, Carlos	9/21/2016	Non-culpable Claimant alleges his vehicle was rear-ended by a SamTrans bus.

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<i>Claims recommended for denial:</i>			
G17-0253	Rutenburg, Maria	1/05/2017	Non-culpable Claimant alleges code enforcement fines are in violation of CBC.
G17-0270	Abinader, Elie	9/27/2016	Non-culpable Claimant alleges damage to property.
G17-0268	Assaf, Ferguson	1/22/2017	Non-culpable Claimant alleges lost property.
G17-0271	West, James	8/9/2016	Non-culpable Claimant alleges discrimination and lost property.
G17-0275	Pratt, William Kenneth	8/13/2016	Non-culpable Claimant alleges use of unnecessary force.
G17-0283	Dayao, Jessica	2/7/2017	Non-culpable Claimant alleges damage to property.

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.