



# County of San Mateo

## Inter-Departmental Correspondence

**Department:** HUMAN RESOURCES

**File #:** 18-168

Board Meeting Date: 2/27/2018

**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>
<i>Claims recommended for denial:</i>			
G17-2031	Maria M., by Regina Jett as Guardian Ad Litem Claimant alleges excessive force and emotional distress by Sheriff's Office Deputy Sheriffs.	08/14/2017	Non-culpable
G18-2037	Ivonne Castillo Claimant alleges property damage caused by Sheriff's personnel.	01/19/2018	Non-culpable
G17-2040	Gianna Toschi Claimant alleges a tree on the shoulder of SR-92 contributed to injuries sustained from a motor vehicle accident.	08/26/2017	Non-culpable

AL17-1807      American Family Insurance      11/30/2017      Non-culpable  
Company  
Claimant alleges a motor vehicle accident was caused by a County  
driver and is seeking reimbursement for repairs.

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.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

None.