



# County of San Mateo

## Inter-Departmental Correspondence

**Department:** HUMAN RESOURCES

**File #:** 18-335

Board Meeting Date: 4/24/2018

**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>			
G17-2482	Anita Marquez & Brian Marquez Wrongful death claimed for relative who was killed when crossing Highway 1 in Half Moon Bay.	09/30/2017	Non-culpable
G18-2535	Valerie Bojarski Claimant stepped into a pothole and suffered a physical injury.	02/16/2018	Non-culpable
G18-2538	DePhoarso Duplessis Claimant's property was allegedly damaged when in jail custody.	02/27/2018	Non-culpable

G18-2540      Alain Javier Gutierrez      10/23/2017      Non-culpable  
Claimant alleges mistreatment when booked into County jail.

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.