



# County of San Mateo

## Inter-Departmental Correspondence

**Department:** HUMAN RESOURCES

**File #:** 19-216

Board Meeting Date: 3/12/2019

**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** Rocio Kiryczun, 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>			
AL18-4416	Sylvia A.K. Thompson	10/19/2018	Non-culpable Claimant alleges a San Mateo County Mosquito & Vector Control District vehicle collided with her personal vehicle and caused damage.
GL18-4432	Bryan Howell	11/20/2018	Non-culpable Claimant alleges an unmaintained water line broke and damaged residential landscape.
G18-4453	Gail Miller	11/15/2018	Non-culpable Claimant alleges she tripped on uneven pavement and fell while walking toward a County building entrance and suffered bodily injuries.

G18-4462      Alice Cutino by Debbie      08/16/2018      Non-culpable  
Hoffman under power of attorney  
Claimant alleges bodily injuries occurred when a SamTrans bus drove  
over a speed bump at an excessive speed.

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.