

County of San Mateo

Inter-Departmental Correspondence

Department: HUMAN RESOURCES

File #: 23-384 Board Meeting Date: 5/23/2023

Special Notice / Hearing: None

Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: Rocio Kiryczun, Director, Human Resources Department

Tracy Ford, 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 Executive 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.

Claim #	<u>Claimant</u>	Incident Date	Recommended Board Action and Basis
Claims recommended for denial:			
G22-14682	Alan Mayoral Rangel	11/11/2022	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges that the County is responsible for injuries sustained when he crashed his bicycle into a street pole without a sign on it.		
G23-14685	Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company	e 03/21/2023	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges that a tree maintained and owned by Mid-Peninsula Water Company fell onto their insured's residence and caused major damage.		

G22-14695 Rhonda D. Gillis 12/09/2022 Non-culpable Claimant alleges that the County is responsible for damages to her vehicle that occurred due to potholes on HWY 280 South near John Daly Blvd. G23-14735 Clifford Whearley 01/02/2023 Non-culpable Claimant alleges that the County is responsible for the blockage of his storm drain which caused the flooding of his neighbor's property. 11/03/2022 G22-14755 Remi Tan and Joon Tan Non-culpable Claimant alleges that the County is responsible for dangerous road conditions on SR-92 that led to another vehicle striking his vehicle from behind. G23-14764 Michael Ledsinger 04/24/2023 Non-culpable Claimant alleges that he was discriminated against by the County when his employment offer was rescinded due to his disability. G23-14776 Fire Insurance Exchange as 01/09/2023 Non-culpable subrogee of Peter Strop Claimant alleges that the County is responsible for a tree in Quarry Park that fell and damaged their insured's property.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.