

Risk Management

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MEMORANDUM

To: Jewel White, County Attorney
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From: Merry Celeste, Division Director, Purchasing & Risk Management, Administrative Services *m.c.*

Subject: County Attorney's Office Quarterly Report for October 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021
for claims settled between \$25,001 and \$50,000

Date: January 25, 2022

This is the Quarterly Report that is submitted to the Board of County Commissioners to be received and filed for informational purposes only.

There was one (1) General Liability settlement and zero (0) Workers Compensation settlement that fell within the quarter and they are as follows:

Brenda Rivers

Claim # 17-17035

Incident Date: 6/8/2017

Claimant, Brenda Rivers, tripped and fell over a threshold entering the 5th floor parking garage at the 501 building. The threshold was not screwed in which caused the claimant to trip and fall. The plaintiff's attorney originally demanded \$90,250, eventually reduced the demand to approximately \$50k, and through much negotiation pre mediation, they agreed to settle for \$37,500.