

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

Subject: County Attorney's Office Quarterly Report for April 1, 2022, through June 30, 2022, for claims settled between \$25,001 and \$50,000

Date: June 30, 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 were two (2) General Liability settlements that fell within the Quarter, and they are as follows:

Robert Chester Claim # 19-21963

Incident Date: 5/24/2019

Claimant, Robert Chester, was riding his bicycle on the sidewalk in front of the Pinellas County Courthouse at 14250 49th St. N., when a PC Mail Services van pulled out and struck him. The claimant's total medicals were \$61,506.93 and the original demand was \$200,000.00, with a PFS of \$125,000.00. Through much negotiation, the claimant agreed to settle for \$50,000.00.

William Resop Claim # 19-23654

Incident Date: 3/22/2019

Claimant, William Resop, tripped and fell on a raised section of County sidewalk, injuring his back which resulted in surgery. The claimant's total medicals were \$126,094.45 and the original demand was \$200,000.00. Through much negotiation, the claimant agreed to settle for \$45,000.00.