



# Pinellas County

## Staff Report

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File #: 21-497A, Version: 1

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**Subject:**

Notice of new lawsuit and defense of the same by the County Attorney in the case of Paul Nichols, Jr. v. Pinellas County, et al.; Circuit Civil Case No. 20-003560-CI-7 - allegations of negligence resulting in personal injuries.

**Recommended Action:**

Receive and file notice of new lawsuit and defense of the same by the County Attorney in the case of Paul Nichols, Jr. v. Pinellas County, et al.

**Strategic Plan:**

N/A

**Summary:**

This is a civil action in which Plaintiff alleges negligence against the County. Plaintiff seeks monetary damages for personal injuries arising out of an alleged bicycle accident caused by a broken electrical box on a sidewalk occurring at or near 3130 Gulf to Bay Blvd., Clearwater.

The County Attorney's Office will bring all counterclaims, cross-claims, or third-party claims as necessary or appropriate in the judgment of the County Attorney.

**Background Information:**

N/A

**Fiscal Impact:**

N/A

**Staff Member Responsible:**

Jewel White, County Attorney  
Christy Donovan Pemberton, Managing Assistant County Attorney

**Partners:**

N/A

**Attachments:**

N/A