# BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

# **Pinellas County**

# Staff Report

File #: 16-1492A, Version: 1

### Subject:

Notice of new lawsuit and defense of the same by the County Attorney in the case of James McCarthy v. Pinellas County - Circuit Civil Case No. 16-002497-CI-13 - allegations of negligence resulting in personal injuries.

# **Recommended Action:**

Receive and file a notice of new lawsuit and defense of the same by the County Attorney in the case of James McCarthy v. Pinellas County - Circuit Civil Case No. 16-002497-CI-13.

#### Strategic Plan:

N/A

#### Summary:

This is a civil action purporting to allege a claim for personal injuries arising from a trip and fall incident that occurred along the sidewalk on Gulf Boulevard, Indian Rocks Beach, between 22nd and 23rd Avenues.

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:**

Unknown

# Staff Member Responsible:

James L. Bennett, County Attorney
John A. Powell, Jr., Sr. Assistant County Attorney

#### Partners:

N/A

#### **Attachments:**

N/A