

**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
EMPLOYEE AND PUBLIC SERVICES DEPARTMENT
Inter-Departmental Correspondence**

Date: January 24, 2001
To: Honorable Board of Supervisors
From: Mary Welch, Director of Employee and Public Services
Phiscilla H. Morse, Risk Manager
Subject: Disposition of Claims Filed Against County

RECOMMENDATION
Deny the claims listed below.

BACKGROUND

Under authority of Resolution No. 35006 and Ordinance No. 2321, the Board directed 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:

<u>Claim #</u>	<u>Claimant</u>	<u>Recommended Board Action and Basis</u>
Claims recommended for denial		
G00057	Galliani-Baker, Linda and Michael Wayne Baker 10/12/00 Claimants allege the City of Broadmoor failed to maintain the drainage system which may have disintegrated or ruptured and caused water intrusion to undermine the integrity of the hillside that supports a portion of their property located at 672 Larchmont Drive in Broadmoor.	Non-culpable
G00056	Hampton Inn - Hayward 1/02/01 Claimant alleges the Sheriff's Office is responsible for damages incurred while detaining a suspect.	Non-culpable
G00059	Lara, Norma 9/18/00 Claimant alleges physical, emotional, and psychological distress due to being handcuffed to a metal cart by a San Mateo County Sheriff's Deputy in an elevator at Sequoia Hospital.	Non-culpable

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	Claims recommended for denial		
G 99 164	Reed, Joseph	10/18/00	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges he has been put through unnecessary stress after appearing before the Court to learn his case was dismissed.		
G 00 060	Yao, Yu Lan-Hsiang, Yung-Chen, Yung-Chuan, Yung-Shen	11/15/00	Non-culpable
	Claimants allege wrongful death of decedent, Chia Chun Yao, who was struck by a train and killed while walking on the platform at the train station at or near the intersection of California Drive and Millbrae Avenue in Millbrae.		