




COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Employee and Public Services Department

DATE: July 18, 2001

BOARD MEETING DATE: July 31, 2001

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Mary Welch, Director of Employee and Public Services
Priscilla 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:			
G00 135	Alma, Cheree Fay	6/26/01	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges her personal property was not returned to her when she left the jail facility.		

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Claims recommended for denial:			
G00 134	Njoroge, Joshua and Ruth Thomas	1/16/01	Non-culpable
	Claimants allege their foster son, Joshua Njoroge, was intentionally shouted at and struck in the face by a substitute teacher in a classroom at South San Francisco High School in South San Francisco.		
M00 022	O'Brien, Kelly	6/12/01	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges lost personal property while at the Psychiatric Emergency Services.		
G00 137	Sandoval, Imelda	1/12/01	Non-culpable
	Claimant alleges personal injuries consisting of headaches, sleepless nights, and being unable to work in her prior profession due to law enforcement personnel.		
G00 136	Stelzner, Marilyn and James Wampler	4/29/01	Non-culpable
	Claimants allege a large branch from a tree on County property fell, smashing the fence and crushing the front gate to their residence at 701 Berkeley Avenue in Menlo Park.		