

# Harris County, Texas

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## Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: 23-0224 Version: 1 Name:

Type: Financial Authorization Status: Passed

File created: 12/29/2022 In control: Commissioners Court

On agenda: 1/10/2023 Final action: 1/10/2023

Title: Request for approval of orders authorizing acceptance of payments in connection with settlement of

damages to county equipment and property in the total amount of \$5,582,373 and four workers'

compensation recoveries in the total amount of \$48,609; tort claim and other settlement

recommendations in the amount of \$34,328; denial of 25 claims; claims for damages received; and that the County Judge execute one release in exchange for payment to the county in the amount of

\$68 in connection with a property damage claim.

Sponsors:

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**Code sections:** 

Attachments:

Date	Ver.	Action By	A	ction	Result
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**Department:** Human Resources and Risk Management **Department Head/Elected Official:** Shain Carrizal

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA
Type of Request: Financial Authorization

Project ID (if applicable): N/A

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): N/A
MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): N/A

Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: N/A - Goal not applicable to request

#### Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of orders authorizing acceptance of payments in connection with settlement of damages to county equipment and property in the total amount of \$5,582,373 and four workers' compensation recoveries in the total amount of \$48,609; tort claim and other settlement recommendations in the amount of \$34,328; denial of 25 claims; claims for damages received; and that the County Judge execute one release in exchange for payment to the county in the amount of \$68 in connection with a property damage claim.

#### **Background and Discussion:**

This routine item includes payments recovered for damages to county property or injury to personnel as well as payments made to third parties for damages to property or bodily injury. A list of claims for damages and denial of claims has been included.

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#### **Expected Impact:**

Recoveries from third party property damages and bodily injury exceed the overall funds that will be paid during this reporting period.

**Alternative Options: N/A** 

### Alignment with Goal(s):

- \_ Justice and Safety
- \_ Economic Opportunity
- \_ Housing
- \_ Public Health
- \_ Transportation
- \_ Flooding
- Environment
- X Governance and Customer Service

#### Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
N/A		

#### Location:

Address (if applicable): N/A Precinct(s): Countywide

Fiscal and Personi	nel Summary	,		
Service Name T	orts			
		FY 23	FY 24	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expendi	tures (do NOT	write values in the	ousands or millions	s)
Labor Expenditures		\$	\$	\$
Non-Labor Expenditu	res	\$34,328	\$	\$
Total Incremental Ex	penditures	\$34,328	\$	\$
Funding Sources (do	NOT write valu	ies in thousands o	or millions)	•
Existing Budget				
1000 - General Fund		\$34,328	\$	\$
Choose an item.		\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.		\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget		\$34,328	\$	\$
Additional Budget Re	quested	•	•	•
Choose an item.		\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.		\$	\$	\$

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Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Total Additional Budget Requested	\$	\$	\$		
Total Funding Sources	\$34,328	\$	\$		
Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)					
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-		
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-		
Total Personnel	-	-	-		

Anticipated Court Date: January 10, 2023

Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date): N/A

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

Contact(s) name, title, department: Gala Bryant, RM Coordinator, Human Resources & Risk Management

Attachments (if applicable): Claim Recoveries, Settlement, Denials and Claims Received and Release Report