



## Legislation Details (With Text)

**File #:** 23-0464      **Version:** 1      **Name:**  
**Type:** Financial Authorization      **Status:** Passed  
**File created:** 1/18/2023      **In control:** Commissioners Court  
**On agenda:** 1/31/2023      **Final action:** 1/31/2023  
**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 \$487,905 and seven workers' compensation recoveries in the total amount of \$19,632; tort claim and other settlement recommendations in the amount of \$55,683; denial of 110 claims; claims for damages received; and that the County Judge execute three releases in exchange for payment to the county in the amount of \$19,515 in connection with property damage claims.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:**

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 1.31.22 Agenda Supports

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
1/31/2023	1	Commissioners Court		

**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 \$487,905 and seven workers' compensation recoveries in the total amount of \$19,632; tort claim and other settlement recommendations in the amount of \$55,683; denial of 110 claims; claims for damages received; and that the County Judge execute three releases in exchange for payment to the county in the amount of \$19,515 in connection with property damage claims.

**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.

**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
- ☒ 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 Personnel Summary			
Service Name	Torts		
	FY 23	FY 24	Next 3 FYs
<b>Incremental Expenditures (do NOT write values in thousands or millions)</b>			
Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Non-Labor Expenditures	\$55,683	\$	\$
<b>Total Incremental Expenditures</b>	<b>\$55,683</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Funding Sources (do NOT write values in thousands or millions)</b>			
Existing Budget			
1000 - General Fund	\$55,683	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Current Budget</b>	<b>\$55,683</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Additional Budget Requested			
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$

Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Requested	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Funding Sources</b>	<b>\$55,683</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Personnel</b> (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)			
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-
<b>Total Personnel</b>	-	-	-

**Anticipated Court Date:** January 31, 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, Claims Received and Release Report