



Memorandum

Memorandum No: 22-006

Date: January 4, 2022

To: Honorable Mayor and Commissioners

From: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

Re: Settlement of Claims – October and November 2021

In compliance with Section 2-151 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale with regards to settlement of claims, please find attached a spreadsheet of liability and workers' compensation claims settled for \$100,000 or less.

The list includes the department, claim number, accident (injury) date, closed date, claim type, amount paid and description. The spreadsheets also document amounts recovered from other parties (i.e., where the City was not at fault) during the past month.

In summary, in the month of October, there were 14 claim settlements totaling \$118,842.52 and 8 claim recoveries in the amount of \$12,126.76. In the month of November, there were 30 claim settlements totaling \$76,505.41 and 12 claim recoveries in the amount of \$260,275.57.

Please let me know if you have any questions or would like additional information.

Attachments:

October 2021 Settlements

November 2021 Settlements

c: Tarlesha W. Smith, Assistant City Manager
Greg Chavarria, Assistant City Manager
Alain E. Boileau, City Attorney
Jeffrey A. Modarelli, City Clerk
John C. Herbst, City Auditor
Department Directors
CMO Managers
Guy Hine, Risk Manager

Claim Settlements - October 2021

Claim Number	Department	Description	Accident Date	Closed Date	Claim Type	Paid Amount
GCGL2016000814	Parks & Rec Dept/Parks	Trip and fall injury from sidewalk	9/1/2016	10/6/2021	Bodily Injury	\$10,000.00
GCAL2021000392	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - rear end	3/16/2021	10/7/2021	Property Damage	6,248.30
GCAL2021000813	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Vehicle accident - sideswipe	9/1/2021	10/7/2021	Property Damage	4,424.50
GCGL2021000068	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	9/3/2021	10/8/2021	Property Damage	499.69
GCGL2021000210	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	9/13/2021	10/8/2021	Property Damage	350.02
GCGL2021000782	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	8/19/2021	10/8/2021	Property Damage	565.55
GCGL2021000857	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	9/21/2021	10/8/2021	Property Damage	1,807.02
GCGL2021000861	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	9/22/2021	10/8/2021	Property Damage	421.94
GCGL2021000879	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	9/30/2021	10/8/2021	Property Damage	1,658.70
GCGL2017000099	Public Works Dept/Engineering Services	Trip and fall injury from sidewalk	11/23/2016	10/14/2021	Bodily Injury	35,000.00
GCAL2021000569	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - fixed object	6/1/2021	10/18/2021	Property Damage	2,356.15
GCAL2021000764	Parks & Rec Dept/Sanitation	Vehicle accident - parked vehicle	8/13/2021	10/19/2021	Property Damage	9,623.50
GCGL2018000968	Public Works Dept/Engineering Services	Trip and fall injury from sidewalk	1/31/2019	10/25/2021	Bodily Injury	45,000.00
GCGL2021000752	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	8/11/2021	10/25/2021	Property Damage	887.15

Total Files : 14

Total Claims Paid : \$118,842.52

Claim Recoveries - October 2021

Claim Number	Department	Description	Accident Date	Closed Date	Recovery Type	Recovery Amount
GCCPD2021000831	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	Hazmat cleanup costs recovery	9/8/2021	10/5/2021	City Property Damage	\$631.11
GCAL2021000353	Public Works Dept/Treatment	City vehicle struck in rear	3/3/2021	10/6/2021	Auto Property Damage	3,363.86
1087-WC-21-0000258	Police Dept/Operations	Workers' compensation	6/2/2021	10/7/2021	Third Party Recovery	696.18
GCCPD2021000738	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	Hazmat cleanup costs recovery	7/30/2021	10/14/2021	City Property Damage	308.66
GCCPD2021000790	Trans & Mobility Dept/Executive Airport	Aircraft damages City light and sign	5/1/2021	10/14/2021	City Property Damage	3,704.08
1087-WC-14-0500371	Public Works Dept/Administration	Workers' compensation	9/27/2014	10/19/2021	Third Party Recovery	476.85
GCAL2021000406	Parks & Rec Dept/Parks	City vehicle struck while parked	3/23/2021	10/19/2021	Auto Property Damage	2,130.13
GCCPD2021000739	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	Hazmat cleanup costs recovery	8/1/2021	10/20/2021	City Property Damage	815.89

Total Files : 8

Total Claim Recoveries : \$12,126.76

Claim Settlements - November 2021

Claim Number	Department	Description	Accident Date	Closed Date	Claim Type	Paid Amount
GCGL2021000305	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	2/9/2021	11/4/2021	Property Damage	\$425.39
GCGL2022000042	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	10/21/2021	11/4/2021	Property Damage	861.01
GCAL2021000819	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Vehicle accident - sideswipe	9/7/2021	11/4/2021	Property Damage	1,277.04
GCGL2021000263	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	9/20/2021	11/4/2021	Property Damage	1,566.10
GCGL2021000466	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	4/12/2021	11/4/2021	Property Damage	4,839.11
GCGL2021000895	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	10/4/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	165.00
GCGL2021000871	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	9/28/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	337.05
GCGL2022000001	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	10/5/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	348.02
GCGL2022000003	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	10/6/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	781.96
GCGL2021000888	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	10/4/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	887.15
GCGL2021000876	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	10/1/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	1,114.24
GCGL2021000091	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	9/10/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	1,808.83
GCGL2021000892	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	10/1/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	1,850.00
GCGL2021000423	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	3/31/2021	11/5/2021	Property Damage	10,000.00
GCAL2021000497	Sustainable Dev Dept/Code Compliance	Vehicle accident - rear end	4/26/2021	11/8/2021	Property Damage	1,470.00
GCAL2021000310	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - sideswipe	2/16/2021	11/8/2021	Property Damage	1,607.43
GCAL2022000031	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - rear end	10/18/2021	11/8/2021	Property Damage	1,904.86
GCAL2021000845	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - intersection	9/14/2021	11/8/2021	Property Damage	2,671.67
GCGL2017001175	Trans & Mobility Dept/Parking Services	Injury from City elevator	7/24/2018	11/15/2021	Bodily Injury	17,500.00
GCAL2021000341	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - parked vehicle	2/25/2021	11/18/2021	Bodily Injury	5,000.00
GCGL2021000912	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	City work damaged property	10/11/2021	11/22/2021	Property Damage	1,048.06
GCGL2022000060	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	10/28/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	250.33
GCGL2022000092	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	11/9/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	263.15
GCGL2022000085	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	11/4/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	365.00
GCGL2021000360	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	3/8/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	610.21
GCGL2021000908	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City work damaged property	10/7/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	1,300.05
GCGL2020000901	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	11/9/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	1,401.55
GCGL2021000736	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Roadway hazard damaged vehicle	8/5/2021	11/23/2021	Property Damage	7,842.51
GCAL2021000342	Police Dept/Operations	Vehicle accident - parked vehicle	2/25/2021	11/24/2021	Bodily Injury	5,000.00
GCAL2021000798	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Vehicle accident - parked vehicle	9/15/2021	11/24/2021	Property Damage	<u>2,009.69</u>

Total Files : 30

Total Claims Paid : \$76,505.41

Claim Recoveries - November 2021

Claim Number	Department	Description	Accident Date	Closed Date	Recovery Type	Recovery Amount
GCAL2020000697	Police Dept/Operations	City vehicle struck in side	7/29/2020	11/2/2021	Auto Property Damage	\$1,669.84
1087-WC-17-0000241	Police Dept/Operations	Workers' compensation	11/26/2016	11/2/2021	Excess Recovery	28,808.00
1087-WC-84-0500102	Police Dept/Operations	Workers' compensation	3/16/1984	11/2/2021	Excess Recovery	7,583.32
1087-WC-99-0500109	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	Workers' compensation	8/13/1999	11/2/2021	Excess Recovery	8,290.00
GCAL2021000778	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	City vehicle struck in side	8/19/2021	11/16/2021	Auto Property Damage	1,805.10
GCCPD2021000832	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	Hazmat cleanup costs recovery	9/8/2021	11/16/2021	City Property Damage	2,476.15
1087-WC-15-0500314	Parks & Rec Dept/Parks	Workers' compensation	7/9/2015	11/17/2021	Third Party Recovery	37.50
GCCPD2021000788	Fire-Rescue Dept/Operations	Hazmat cleanup costs recovery	8/23/2021	11/17/2021	City Property Damage	2,462.88
GCCPD2021000745	Public Works Dept/Treatment	City insurance policy recovery	6/4/2021	11/17/2021	City Property Damage	196,649.78
GCCPD2021000261	Public Works Dept/Distribution & Collection	Vehicle damaged City fence	1/21/2021	11/18/2021	City Property Damage	800.00
GCCPD2021000590	Parks & Rec Dept/Parks	Vehicle damaged City landscaping	5/26/2021	11/18/2021	City Property Damage	895.00
GCAL2021000801	Police Dept/Operations	City vehicle struck in side	8/21/2021	11/23/2021	Auto Property Damage	<u>8,798.00</u>

Total Files : 12

Total Claim Recoveries : \$260,275.57