



# County of Santa Cruz<sup>007</sup>

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## GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

### RECOMMENDED, ACTION

Agenda February 13, 2001

To: Board of Supervisors

Re: Claim of Frank A. Mates, Jr., No. 001-074

Original document and associated materials are on file at the Clerk to the Board of Supervisors.

In regard to the above-referenced claim, this is to recommend that the Board take the following action:

- X 1. Reject the claim of Frank A. Mates, Jr., No. 001-074 and refer to County Counsel.
- 2. Deny the application to file a late claim on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ and refer to County Counsel.
- 3. Grant the application to file a late claim on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ and refer to County Counsel.
- 4. Approve the claim of \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ and reject the balance, if any, and refer to County Counsel.
- 5. Reject the claim of \_\_\_\_\_ as insufficiently filed and refer to County Counsel.

cc: Mark Tracy, Sheriff-Coroner

RISK MANAGEMENT

By Janet McKinley

COUNTY COUNSEL

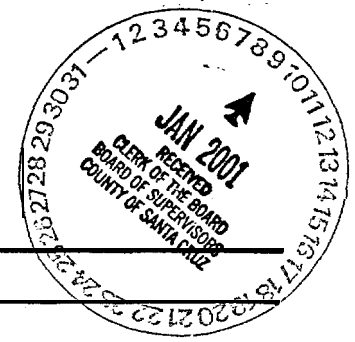
By Kim Elizabeth Baskett

CLAIM AGAINST THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ  
(Pursuant to Section 910 et Seq., Govt. Code)

TAVET 001-074  
454-2246

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TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ  
ATTN: Clerk of the Board  
Governmental Center  
701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060



1. Claimant's Name: Frank A Mateo Jr  
Address: 709 Marnell Ave  
Santa Cruz CA 95062  
Phone No: (831) 427-2386

P.O. Box to which notices are to be sent: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Occurrence: Sheriff in high pursuit, hits 2mo old puppy (Buddy)  
Date: 11-19-2000 Place: 2270 17th Ave Santa Cruz CA

3. Circumstances of occurrence or transaction giving rise to claim: \_\_\_\_\_  
See #B Attached

4. General description of indebtedness, obligation, injury, damage or loss incurred so far as is now known: \_\_\_\_\_  
See Attached - Bill of Services

5. Name(s) of public employee(s) causing injury, damage or loss, if known: Sheriff's Dept.

6. Amount claimed now .....\$ 386.38  
Estimated amount of future loss, if known .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
TOTALS 386.38

7. Basis for above computations: Sheriff's car hit the dog and requested  
Emergency Service to the amount of \$ 386.38

8. If the amount claimed is over \$10,000, indicate the court of jurisdiction:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Municipal Court \_\_\_\_\_ Superior Court

CLAIMANT'S SIGNATURE: Frank A Mateo

Note: Claim must be presented to Clerk, Board of Supervisors, within six (6) months after the act which occasioned the injury.  
Americans with Disabilities Act questions or requests for accommodations may be directed to the ADA Coordinator at 454-2962 (TDD 454-2123).

#3 Circumstances of occurrence:

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On 11-19-00 at 3:00 AM, occupants Ericka Huggins and Frank King, at 2270 17th Ave, Santa Cruz, CA, heard a car accelerate and then heard a loud impact. They saw the Sheriff get out of his car and walked up to them. The Sheriff said "I think I hit your dog." He then said "I was in high pursuit and did not see the dog."

The Sheriff was concerned because he had a K-9 and told them to have Buddy examined for injuries and internal bleeding at Pacific Vet Specialists and Emergency on 41st Ave in Capitola. The Sheriff gave Ericka and Frank his bus card and asked them to call him after they got the results on Buddy.