



DATE: October 10, 2012

TO: Keith Humphrey, Police Chief  
Jeff Bryant, City Attorney

FROM: Brenda Hall, City Clerk

SUBJECT: Claim from Brett and Robin Hollandsworth

I am in receipt of a claim from Brett and Robin Hollandsworth, through their attorney, Jim Loftis, in the maximum amount of \$125,000 as allowed under the Governmental Tort Claims Act for personal injuries, including, but not limited to, medical expenses, lost wages, pain and suffering, both physical and mental, loss of consortium and property damage due to his claim that on August 20, 2012, a police vehicle, driven by Larry Anderson, pulled out in front of him at 12th Avenue S.E. and Alameda. According to the police report, Officer Anderson was turning north out of a private drive on 12th Avenue S.E. and initially did not see Mr. Hollandsworth's oncoming motorcycle. When he did see the motorcycle he states he sped up in an attempt to avoid a collision and Mr. Hollandsworth states he tried to avoid the collision by laying down his motorcycle and ended up striking the driver's side rear quarter panel of the police vehicle.

Keith, I would appreciate your checking with your staff regarding verification of the problem. Please report your findings by written memorandum to me with a copy to Jeff.

Jeff, I am forwarding the claim to your office for whatever action is necessary. If further action is needed from my office, please let me know.

BH:smr  
attachments

office memorandum