



County of Los Angeles

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TO: EDWARD YEN  
Executive Officer  
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Attention: Agenda Preparation

FROM: ADRIENNE M. BYERS  
Litigation Cost Manager

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RE: **Item for the Board of Supervisors' Agenda  
County Claims Board Recommendation  
Non-Litigated Claims of Lynn and Michael Tigar**

Attached is the Agenda entry for the Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation regarding the above-referenced matter. Also attached is the Case Summary to be made available to the public.

It is requested that this recommendation, and the Case Summary, be placed on the Board of Supervisors' agenda.

AMB:lzs

Attachments

## Board Agenda

### MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation: Authorize settlement of the matter entitled Non-Litigated Claims of Lynn and Michael Tigar, in the amount of \$278,526.34, and instruct the Auditor-Controller to draw a warrant to implement this settlement from the Department of Public Works' budget.

These inverse condemnation claims against the Department of Public Works contend that a residential property was damaged due to backflow of sewage from a sewer mainline blockage.

## **CASE SUMMARY**

### **INFORMATION ON PROPOSED SETTLEMENT OF LITIGATION**

CASE NAME	Non-Litigated Claims of Lynn and Michael Tigar
CASE NUMBER	N/A
COURT	N/A
DATE FILED	N/A
COUNTY DEPARTMENT	Department of Public Works
PROPOSED SETTLEMENT AMOUNT	\$ \$278,526.34
ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF	N/A
COUNTY COUNSEL ATTORNEY	Edwin A. Lewis Principal Deputy County Counsel
NATURE OF CASE	This claim arises from a sewer mainline blockage that caused a sewer backflow onto the Claimants' property and damaged their real and personal property. Due to the risks and uncertainties of litigation, a full settlement of the claim is warranted.
PAID ATTORNEY FEES, TO DATE	\$ 0
PAID COSTS, TO DATE	\$ 0