REGIONAL TRANSIT ISSUE PAPER

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Subject: Rejection of Claims

ISSUE

Whether to reject the following claims against Regional Transit.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Adopt a motion to reject the following claims:

Claimant	Amount Claimed	<u>Description</u>
Derfield, Sean	\$2,000,000.00	Rejection of Claim: Claim is for injuries allegedly sustained when claimant was involved in a collision with a light rail vehicle.
Derfield, Erika	\$1,000,000.00	Rejection of Claim: Claim is for loss of consortium.
Jackson, Alisa	\$130,000.00	Rejection of Claim: Claim is for injuries allegedly sustained when claimant fell while onboard a light rail vehicle.

FISCAL IMPACT

None as a result of this action.

DISCUSSION

Regional Transit establishes reserves in an aggregate amount sufficient to cover losses for all claims up to the self insurance limit.

The above referenced claims are currently under investigation to determine if RT has any liability. Therefore, staff recommends the Board adopt a motion rejecting the above claims.

Approved:	Presented:	
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General Manager/CEO	Chief Counsel	
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