



# CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS AGENDA ACTION REQUEST

**DATE:** August 23, 2022

**TO:** Mayor Rosalynn Bliss & City Commissioners

**Committee** Fiscal Committee  
**Liasion:** Molly Clarin, Chief Financial Officer

**FROM:** Max Frantz, City Comptroller

**SUBJECT:** Small Claims Report – 2nd Quarter 2022

In the second quarter (April-June) of 2022 the city paid out a total of 11 small claims totaling an amount of \$13,012.58. A summary of the claims by category is shown below. Detail for each individual claim is included on the following page ranked by incident date (oldest to newest).

<b>Small Claims April-June 2<sup>nd</sup> Qtr. 2022</b>		
<b>Category</b>	<b># of Claims</b>	<b>Amount Paid</b>
Sewer	1	\$1,000.00
Snowplow	3	\$450.00
Police	4	\$8,642.68
Traffic Safety	1	\$70.65
Water	1	\$2,682.21
<u>Misc</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>\$167.04</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>\$13,012.58</b>

Small Claims 2nd Quarter 2022  
April 2022-June 2022

Incident Date	Category	Claimant	Location	Amount Paid	Description
10/1/2021	Traffic Safety	Strong, Carlton	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 70.65	Traffic Safety crew damaged sprinkler head installing street sign
1/3/2022	Snowplow	Pearson, George & Linda	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 250.00	Snowplow damaged mailbox, lawn & sprinkler.
1/25/2022	Water	AT&T	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 2,682.21	Water crew damaged copper cable that had been marked.
1/29/2022	Misc.	Gilreath-Watts, Sheri	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 167.04	Fall in parking garage elevator causing injury.
2/12/2022	Snowplow	Vander Ark, Daniel	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 100.00	Snowplow damaged mailbox and post.
2/16/2022	Sewer	Draayer, Ronald	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 1,000.00	Sewer backup
2/25/2022	Snowplow	Klap, John	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 100.00	Snowplow damaged mailbox
3/5/2022	Police	Gerard, Flordalma	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 7,061.00	Police damaged vehicle while attempting a u-turn
3/22/2022	Police	Allen, Steve	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 714.00	Police damaged property in pursuit of suspect.
4/1/2022	Police	Wiles, Adam	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 17.68	Police damaged property in pursuit of suspect.
4/23/2022	Police	Veneklase, Bradley	Grand Rapids, MI	\$ 850.00	Police damaged property with barricade
			<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 13,012.58</b>	