

## COUNTY OF DANE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

## **RISK MANAGEMENT**

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> JOSHUA COTILLIER Risk Manager

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Public Protection & Judiciary Committee FROM: Joshua Cotillier, Dane County Risk Manager

**DATE**: April 8, 2025 **SUBJECT**: Claims for Denial

The Dane County Clerk has recently received the following claims. The Department of Administration, Division of Risk Management has worked with the various Departments and the County's insurer to investigate these claims and, based upon these investigations, recommend the following actions:

Claimant:	Progressive/Jeff Hodges
Date of Incident:	02/12/2025
Date of Claim:	02/27/2025
Amount Claimed:	\$1,528.72
Department:	Highway
Insurance:	WMMIC
Narrative:	CV was at intersection operated by traffic lights. On Green Light CV was crossing intersection when snowplow was coming from other direction, went through red light and caused CV to swerve and strike median, causing damage to CV.
Recommendation:	Deny - Dane County has no liability (video evidence)



Joshua Cotillier 210 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd Madison, Wisconsin 53703

April 4, 2025

RE: Claimant: Progressive Universal Ins. Co a/s/o Jeff E Hodges

Claim number: ALDA00001383
Your claim number: 25-758968405-01
Our Insured: Dane County
Date of Loss: 2/12/2025

Dear Joshua Cotillier,

The above referenced claim was filed on 4/4/2025. Following a thorough examination of the information, it has been determined that Dane County has no liability for this claim. No contact was made from our vehicle to claimant's vehicle. Claimant swerve over on the road damaging his own vehicle. Please issue a formal disallowance and provide a copy of this disallowance to WMMIC.

This claim will be closed on the date of receipt of the disallowance.

A copy of this letter has been placed in the claim file for reference. If you should have any further questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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Liability Claim Representative Wisconsin Municipal Mutual Insurance Company

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