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Subject: Montana Department of Transportation
Claims Report for the Period Ending March 2023

Dear Ms. Lindsay:

Attached please find the Montana Department of Transportation's (MDT's) list of claims for the reporting period of March 2023.

If you need further information, please contact me at 406 439-2110.

Sincerely,

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Montana Department of Transportation

Report of Claims, During the Quarter Ending March 31, 2023

NAME	Forum	Date of Service/Notice - Date of Loss	Served/Filed Date	NOTES	Agency	
Section 1: Claims in Litigation						
1	Bohlinger, Kirsten	Montana 22nd Judicial District Court, Carbon County, DV-22-75	4/16/2021 - Notice 9/16/2019 - Loss	Cross-Claim filed 11/3/2022	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
2	Butler, Rodney & Potter, Jeffery	11th Judicial District, Flathead County, DV-15-2021	4/9/2020 - Notice 5/26/2018 - Loss	5/11/2021	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
3	Croft, Emma	13th Judicial District Court, Yellowstone County, DV-56-2022-00000604	2/10/2022 - Notice 2/2/2021 - Loss	9/7/2022	Personal Injury, Motor vehicle accident, damages may \$10,000.	MDT
4	DeFrias, Cindy	16th Judicial District, Powder River County, DV-38-2021	8/7/2020 - Notice 6/24/2018 - Loss	10/12/2021	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, claim may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
5	Ouellette, Mary & Gerry	Montana 20th Judicial Court, Lake County, DV-21-186	6/18/2021 - Notice 8/10/2018 - Loss	10/22/2021	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
6	Stanger, Haylie	US District Court, Great Falls Division, CV-22-91-GF-BMM	10/8/2020 - Notice 9/16/2019 - Loss	1/28/2023	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000	MDT
7	Tweddle, William "Trey"	Montana 22nd Judicial District Court, Carbon County, DV-22-75	10/8/2020 - Notice 9/16/2019 - Loss	9/7/2022	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
8	Vancos v. State and Gallatin County	Montana 18th Judicial District, Gallatin County, DV-2019-84, S. Ct. DA 23-0134	6/21/2017 - Notice 6/29/2016 - Loss	7/26/2019	Personal injury, pedestrian accident, may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
Section 2: Pre-Litigation Claims						
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10	Hartung, Naomi	RMTD	11/2/2021 - Notice 1/12/2021 - Loss		Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT

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11	Meyer, Alisha	RMTD	12/7/22 - Notice 11/22/2022 - Loss	Personal injury, vehicle damage, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
12	Michnal, Mercedes	RMTD	08/11/2022 - Notice	Vehicle damage, damage claim, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
13	Moe, Eric	RMTD	06/10/2021 - Notice 06/24/2018 - Loss	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
14	Muenzen, Christopher MD	RMTD	04/11/2022 - Notice 9/21/2021 - Loss	Personal injury, Pedestrian motor vehicle accident, damages will exceed \$10,000.	MDT
15	Robison, Teri Lynn	RMTD	12/6/22 - Notice 8/15/2022 - Loss	Personal injury, vehicle damage, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
16	Schauers, Loren	RMTD	09/23/2022 - Notice 9/27/2019 - Loss	Personal injury, negligence/no safeguards. Damages will exceed \$10,000.	MDT
Section 3: DAMAGE CLAIMS					
17	Adler, Barret	RMTD	2/4/2020 - Notice 2/2/2020 - Loss	Property damages exceeding \$10,000.	MDT
18	Christensen, Jody	RMTD	5/9/2022 - Notice	Vehicle Damage, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
19	Groft, Jason	RMTD	9/7/2022 - Notice 7/8/2022 - Loss	Personal Injury Claim, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
20	Hansen, David/Carol	RMTD	5/29/2018 - Notice 12/29/2017 - Loss	Property, personal injury claim, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
21	Knerr Enterprises, INC (Thompson River Redi Mix)	RMTD	9/7/2022 - Notice	Negligence Claim, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
22	Kirkmeyer, Dana	RMTD	7/28/2021 - Notice 7/21/2021 - Loss	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
23	McCann, Cooper and Desiree	RMTD	8/24/2022 - Notice 8/17/2022 - Loss	Vehicle damage, involving MDT vehicle damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
24	Mountain, Lisa	RMTD	4/23/2021 - Notice 4/22/2021 - Loss	Vehicle damage related to plow incident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
	Murphy, Marvel J.	RMTD	2/9/2022 - Notice 1/4/2022 - Loss	Personal injury, property damage incident, damages will exceed \$10,000.	MDT
25	Musselman, Ray and Carolyn	RMTD	8/18/2022 - Notice 7/25/2022 - Loss	Vehicle Damage, related to construction, damages will exceed \$ 10,000.	MDT
26	Parker, Julie (FedEx)	RMTD	8/3/2021 - Notice 8/2/2021 - Page 2 of 3	Property damage, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT

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27	Peterson, Linda	RMTD	2/11/2021 - Notice 2/9/2021 - Loss	Personal injury, motor vehicle accident, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT
28	Sanchez, Kristin	RMTD	2/7/2023 - Notice 1/30/2023 - Loss	Vehicle damage of state owned vehicle, personal injury, damages may exceed \$10,000.	MDT