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# Executive Council of Iowa

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May 4, 2026

Accounting Department  
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The Executive Council, in a meeting held on this date, approved payment of the following cost items:

- Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$70.00  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Barnes, Adam v. Iowa State Penitentiary, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$16.00  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Therese Blake v. Woodward Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$297.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Carlson, Timothy M. v. University of Northern Iowa, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$440.00  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
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Cashman, Michele v. University of Iowa Hospitals and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$420.00  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Chance, Diana v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$262.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Dolph, Ronnie v. Glenwood Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$122.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Kidane, Dawit v. University of Iowa Hospitals and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$140.00  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
McBride, Darrell v. Newton Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$402.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Munoz, Jose v. Iowa State Penitentiary, State of Iowa, and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$47.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Ortiz Correa, Edson A v. Community Based Corrections District 6 and State of Iowa and Second Injury

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$35.00  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
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Sonier, Emma v. State of Iowa Department of Correction, Self- Insured, Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$197.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 729  
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Valipouralmasi, Azam v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$157.50  
729 Insurance Exchange Building  
505 Fifth Avenue  
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390  
Wink, Stephen v. North Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

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IOWA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

April 27, 2026

Kristi Onstot  
Executive Secretary  
Executive Council  
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L O C A L

Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$70.00 in *Barnes, Adam v. Iowa State Penitentiary, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

Sincerely,

Steven Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General

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April 16, 2026

Mr. Steve Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General  
Attorney General Office-Hoover Bldg.  
L O C A L

Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Barnes, Adam v. Iowa State Penitentiary, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$70.00
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$0.00
Outstanding Total	\$70.00

May I please have your recommendation of this payment request?

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1st Floor South, State Capitol  
1007 E. Grand Ave  
Des Moines, IA 50319  
Attn: Sarah Timko

Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215250  
Account #: IA.0200  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Barnes v. Iowa State Penitentiary  
DOI: 08/25/2022; 09/15/2024  
Claimant: Adam Barnes  
Employer: Iowa State Penitentiary

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/03/2026	RMC	Brief review of pleadings and medical chronology to determine need for any expert witness designations.	0.30	52.50
03/12/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of Claimant's Designation of Expert Witnesses, served by Niko Pothitakis.	0.10	17.50
		TOTAL FEES	0.40	70.00

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.40	\$175.00	\$70.00

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT 70.00

TOTAL BALANCE DUE \$70.00

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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office is forwarding to the Executive Council for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$16.00 in *Therese Blake v. Woodward Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Blake, Therese v. Woodward Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$16.00
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$96.00 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$16.00

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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215242  
Account #: IA.0183  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Blake, Therese v. Woodward Resource Center/State of Iowa/SIF  
DOI: 1/1/2024 1st DOI: 1994  
Claimant: Therese Blake  
Employer: Woodward Resource Center

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/03/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of letter from Sedgwick to Nick Cooling regarding and explaining voluntary PPD payment pursuant to rating from Dr. Trout.	0.10	16.00
		TOTAL FEES	0.10	16.00

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.10	\$160.00	\$16.00
TOTAL THIS STATEMENT				16.00
Previous Balance				\$96.00
TOTAL BALANCE DUE				<u>\$112.00</u>

## Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214853	96.00	96.00
			96.00

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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$297.50 in *Carlson, Timothy M. v. University of Northern Iowa, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

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Carlson, Timothy M. v. University of Northern Iowa, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$297.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$17.50 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$297.50

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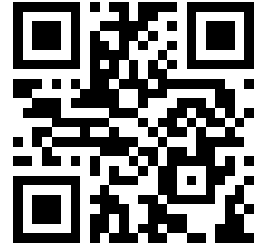
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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215247  
Account #: IA.0196  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Carlson, Timothy M. v. UNI/SIF  
DOI: 08/26/2020  
Claimant: Timothy Carlson  
Employer: University of Northern Iowa

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/03/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of Claimant's Designation of Potential Expert Witnesses, including attached CVs, consisting of 40 pages and served by Ben Roth.	0.20	35.00
	RMC	Review relevant discovery responses and medical chronology to determine need for any expert witness designations.	0.30	52.50
	RMC	Prepare Second Injury Fund's Designation of Potential Expert Witnesses.	0.20	35.00
03/17/2026	RMC	Correspondence to counsel regarding Second Injury Fund's Designation of Potential Expert Witnesses.	0.10	17.50
03/23/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of medical records from MercyOne Cedar Falls consisting of 19 pages, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.20	35.00
03/25/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Ben Roth regarding proposed continuance.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Meredith Cooney advising State has no objection to continuance.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Correspondence to all counsel regarding Second Injury Fund's agreement with continuance.	0.10	17.50
03/26/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Ben Roth with proposed Joint Motion to Continue.	0.10	17.50

Executive Council of Iowa  
Carlson, Timothy M. v. UNI/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
Invoice #: 215247  
Account #: IA.0196

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/27/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of State's Expert Witness Designation, including all CVs, consisting of 77 pages, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.20	35.00
03/30/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of Joint Motion to Continue, filed by Ben Roth.	0.10	17.50
TOTAL FEES			1.70	297.50

Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	1.70	\$175.00	\$297.50

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT 297.50

Previous Balance \$17.50

TOTAL BALANCE DUE \$315.00

Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214862	17.50	17.50
			<u>17.50</u>

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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office is forwarding to the Executive Council for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$440.00 in *Cashman, Michele v. University of Iowa Hospitals and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Cashman, Michele v. University of Iowa Hospitals and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund

Current balance	\$440.00
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$17.50 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$440.00

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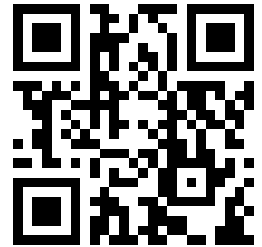
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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215255  
Account #: IA.0206  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Cashman v. UIHC/SIF  
DOI: 12/19/2024  
Claimant: Michele Cashman  
Employer: University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/25/2026	MO	Analysis of Sedgewick file materials contained in the State's Notice of Service (745 pages) for identification of medical records and compiling information to assess additional information needed for investigation, and further analysis to determine file completeness.	2.40	240.00
	MO	Analysis of medical records served by the State and Claimant (684 pages total) for identification of medical providers, dates of service, expert reports and opinions, any additional medical providers to obtain in order to further investigation of claim and further analysis to determine file completeness.	2.00	200.00
		<b>TOTAL FEES</b>	<b>4.40</b>	<b>440.00</b>

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Mandelyn Oathout	Paralegal	4.40	\$100.00	\$440.00

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT 440.00

Previous Balance \$17.50

TOTAL BALANCE DUE \$457.50

## Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214872	17.50	17.50

Executive Council of Iowa  
Cashman v. UIHC/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026

Invoice #: 215255

Account #: IA.0206

17.50

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Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$420.00 in *Chance, Diana v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

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Re: Approval of attorney fees

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Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$105.00 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$420.00

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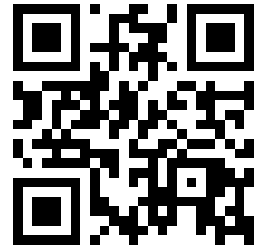
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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215245  
Account #: IA.0194  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Chance, Diana v. State of Iowa/SIF  
DOI: 11/05/2024  
Claimant: Diana Chance  
Employer: University of Iowa

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/04/2026	RMC	Review all file material to identify any and all potential witnesses and exhibits for hearing and in order to complete Witness and Exhibit List.	0.70	122.50
	RMC	Prepare Second Injury Fund's Witness and Exhibit List.	0.30	52.50
03/16/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of medical records from UIHC, dated 2/9-3/2/26, served by MaKayla Augustine.	0.20	35.00
03/25/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Meredith Cooney requesting she take Claimant's deposition.	0.10	17.50
03/27/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from MaKayla Augustine regarding her availability for Claimant's deposition on 4/14 or 4/16/26.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Meredith Cooney confirming Claimant's deposition for 4/14/26.	0.10	17.50
03/30/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of State's Notice of Deposition of Claimant, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from MaKayla Augustine regarding available mediation dates.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from MaKayla Augustine with proposed mediation dates in May 2026.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Correspondence to counsel confirming my availability for mediation on 5/5/26.	0.10	17.50

Executive Council of Iowa  
 Chance, Diana v. State of Iowa/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
 Invoice #: 215245  
 Account #: IA.0194

		<u>Hours</u>	
	RMC Receipt and review of correspondence from MaKayla Augustine confirming mediation for 5/5/26 with Brian Scieszinski.	0.10	17.50
	RMC Correspondence to Job Bergman advising that mediation has been confirmed for 5/5/26.	0.10	17.50
	RMC Receipt and review of Zoom link for Claimant's 4/14/26 deposition, sent by Sweeney Court Reporting.	0.10	17.50
03/31/2026	RMC Receipt and review of correspondence from Brian Sciezinski providing Zoom link for 5/5/26 mediation.	0.10	17.50
	RMC Correspondence to Jon Bergman confirming mediation for 5/5/26 and providing Zoom link for the same.	<u>0.10</u>	<u>17.50</u>
	TOTAL FEES	2.40	420.00

Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	2.40	\$175.00	\$420.00

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT	420.00
Previous Balance	\$105.00
TOTAL BALANCE DUE	<u>\$525.00</u>

Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214860	105.00	<u>105.00</u>
			105.00

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April 27, 2026

Kristi Onstot  
Executive Secretary  
Executive Council  
State Capitol  
L O C A L

Re: Request for Special Counsel - Patterson Law Firm

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$262.50 in *Dolph, Ronnie v. Glenwood Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

Sincerely,

Steven Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General

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Mr. Steve Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General  
Attorney General Office-Hoover Bldg.  
L O C A L

Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Dolph, Ronnie v. Glenwood Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$262.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$17.50 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$262.50

May I please have your recommendation of this payment request?

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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215253  
Account #: IA.0204  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Dolph v. Glenwood Resource Center/SIF  
DOI: 12/6/2022  
Claimant: Ronnie Dolph  
Employer: Glenwood Resource Center

Activity through 03/31/2026

### Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/12/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 3/6/26 treatment note from Dr. Huff, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.10	17.50
03/30/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of State's Answers to Claimant's Interrogatories relative to 8/24/22 date of injury, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.20	35.00
	RMC	Receipt and review of State's Answers to Claimant's Interrogatories relative to 12/6/22 date of injury, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.20	35.00
	RMC	Receipt and review of State's Answers to Second Injury Fund's Interrogatories, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Receipt and review of State's Responses to both Claimant and Second Injury Fund's Request for Production of Documents, including wage information, complete personnel file, injury reports for all Claimant's injuries between 1/8/21 and 12/6/22, indemnity benefit printouts related to all claims and miscellaneous Sedgwick file materials, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.80	140.00
	RMC	Correspondence to Jon Bergman regarding State's Interrogatory Answers and printouts of indemnity benefits for both dates of injury.	0.10	17.50
		<b>TOTAL FEES</b>	<b>1.50</b>	<b>262.50</b>

### Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	1.50	\$175.00	\$262.50

Executive Council of Iowa  
Dolph v. Glenwood Resource Center/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
Invoice #: 215253  
Account #: IA.0204

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT	262.50
Previous Balance	\$17.50
TOTAL BALANCE DUE	<u>\$280.00</u>

Aged Due Amounts			
<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214870	17.50	<u>17.50</u>
			17.50

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L O C A L

Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$122.50 in *Kidane, Dawit v. University of Iowa Hospitals and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

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Chief Deputy Attorney General  
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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Kidane, Dawit v. University of Iowa Hospitals and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$122.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$455.00 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$122.50

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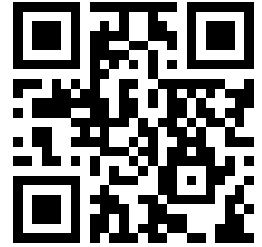
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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215256  
Account #: IA.0207  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Kidane v. UIHC/SIF  
DOI: 12/14/2023  
Claimant: Dawit Kidane  
Employer: UIHC

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/09/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Meredith Cooney requesting case be scheduled for hearing.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Correspondence to counsel regarding my availability for hearing in February or March 2027.	0.10	17.50
03/10/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of correspondence from Meredith Cooney confirming request for 2/23/27 hearing slot.	0.10	17.50
03/11/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of Hearing Assignment Order from Division of Workers' Compensation.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Update overall file evaluation and information to document hearing date and all pre-hearing deadlines.	0.20	35.00
	RMC	Letter to Jon Bergman advising of hearing date.	0.10	17.50
		TOTAL FEES	0.70	122.50

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.70	\$175.00	\$122.50
TOTAL THIS STATEMENT				122.50
Previous Balance				\$455.00

Executive Council of Iowa  
Kidane v. UIHC/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
Invoice #: 215256  
Account #: IA.0207

TOTAL BALANCE DUE

\$577.50

Aged Due Amounts			
<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214873	455.00	<u>455.00</u>
			455.00

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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$140.00 in *McBride, Darrell v. Newton Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

Sincerely,

Steven Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General

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April 16, 2026

Mr. Steve Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General  
Attorney General Office-Hoover Bldg.  
L O C A L

Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

McBride, Darrell v. Newton Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$140.00
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$1,887.50 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$140.00

May I please have your recommendation of this payment request?

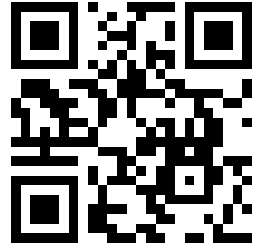
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Attn: Jonathan Bergman

Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215249  
Account #: IA.0199  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: McBride v. Newton Correctional Facility/SIF  
DOI: 04/01/2024  
Claimant: Darrell McBride  
Employer: Newton Correctional Facility

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/02/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of medical billing from Orthopedic Specialists, dated 10/27/25-1/27/26, served by Kyle Reilly.	0.10	17.50
03/04/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of Sedgwick claim file, Claimant's offender movement summary, child support lien, and medical records from IMCC, consisting of 175 pages, served by Andrew Duffelmeyer.	0.70	122.50
		TOTAL FEES	0.80	140.00

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.80	\$175.00	\$140.00
TOTAL THIS STATEMENT				140.00
Previous Balance				\$1,887.50
TOTAL BALANCE DUE				<u>\$2,027.50</u>

## Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214865	1,887.50	<u>1,887.50</u>
			1,887.50

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Re: Request for Special Counsel - Patterson Law Firm

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$402.50 in *Munoz, Jose v. Iowa State Penitentiary, State of Iowa, and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

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Sincerely,

Steven Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General

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Chief Deputy Attorney General  
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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Munoz, Jose v. Iowa State Penitentiary, State of Iowa, and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$402.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$525.00 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$402.50

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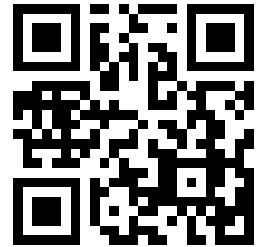
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Attn: Jonathan Bergman

Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215254  
Account #: IA.0205  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Munoz v. Iowa State Penitentiary/SIF  
DOI: 10/1/2024  
Claimant: Jose Munoz  
Employer: Iowa State Penitentiary

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/03/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 2/25/26 treatment note from Dr. Brent Woodbury, served by Meredith Cooney	0.10	17.50
03/20/2026	KAS	Review all file materials in preparation to draft preliminary discovery responses	1.00	175.00
03/22/2026	KAS	Draft preliminary answers to claimant's interrogatories	1.00	175.00
03/26/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 3/26/26 treatment note from Dr. Brent Woodbury, served by Meredith Cooney.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Correspondence to Tom DiNizo requesting payment of mediation bill.	0.10	17.50
		<b>TOTAL FEES</b>	<u>2.30</u>	<u>402.50</u>

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.30	\$175.00	\$52.50
Kathryn A. Smith	Partner	2.00	175.00	350.00

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT	402.50
Previous Balance	\$525.00
<b>TOTAL BALANCE DUE</b>	<u><u>\$927.50</u></u>

Executive Council of Iowa  
Munoz v. Iowa State Penitentiary/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
Invoice #: 215254  
Account #: IA.0205

Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214871	525.00	525.00
			<u>525.00</u>

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Kristi Onstot  
Executive Secretary  
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L O C A L

Re: Request for Special Counsel - Patterson Law Firm

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$47.50 in *Ortiz Correa, Edson A v. Community Based Corrections District 6 and State of Iowa and Second Injury*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

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Chief Deputy Attorney General

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Chief Deputy Attorney General  
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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Ortiz Correa, Edson A v. Community Based Corrections District 6 and State of Iowa and Second Injury

Current balance	\$47.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$0.00
Outstanding Total	\$47.50

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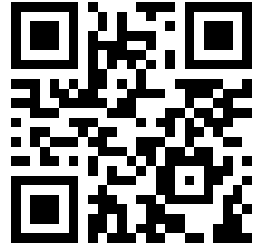
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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215252  
Account #: IA.0203  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Ortiz Correa v. Community Based Corrections District 6/SIF  
DOI: 6/24/2024  
Claimant: Edson Ortiz Correa  
Employer: Community Based Corrections District 6

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/04/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 2/27/26 treatment note from Anne Boyler, PA-C, served by Sarah Timko.	0.10	17.50
03/10/2026	MO	Begin detailed medical chronology with records from University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics, consisting of 10 pages.	0.30	30.00
		TOTAL FEES	0.40	47.50

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.10	\$175.00	\$17.50
Mandelyn Oathout	Paralegal	0.30	100.00	30.00

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT 47.50

TOTAL BALANCE DUE \$47.50

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Re: Request for Special Counsel - Patterson Law Firm

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$35.00 in *Sonier, Emma v. State of Iowa Department of Correction, Self-Insured, Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Sonier, Emma v. State of Iowa Department of Correction, Self-Insured, Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$35.00
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$52.50 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$35.00

May I please have your recommendation of this payment request?

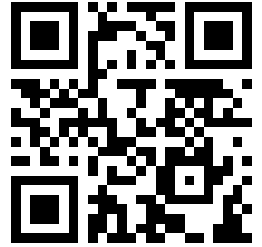
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Attn: Jonathan Bergman

Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215251  
Account #: IA.0202  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Sonier v. Dept of Corrections  
DOI: 6/23/2024  
Claimant: Emma Sonier  
Employer: Iowa Department of Corrections

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/09/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 3/5/26 treatment note from UPH foot and ankle clinic, served by Ron Pohlman.	0.10	17.50
03/12/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 3/5/26 work note from UPH, served by Andrew Duffelmeyer.	0.10	17.50
		TOTAL FEES	0.20	35.00

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.20	\$175.00	\$35.00

TOTAL THIS STATEMENT 35.00

Previous Balance \$52.50

TOTAL BALANCE DUE \$87.50

## Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214868	52.50	<u>52.50</u>
			52.50

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April 27, 2026

Kristi Onstot  
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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$197.50 in *Valipouralmasi, Azam v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of the Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

Sincerely,

Steven Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General

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April 16, 2026

Mr. Steve Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General  
Attorney General Office-Hoover Bldg.  
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Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Blankinship:

I received the enclosed statement from Patterson for the following fees:

Valipouralmasi, Azam v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$197.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$350.00 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$197.50

May I please have your recommendation of this payment request?

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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215244  
Account #: IA.0193  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Valipouralmasi, Azam v. State of Iowa/SIF  
DOI: 1/25/25  
Claimant: Azam Valipouralmasi  
Employer: University of Iowa

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/05/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 3/3/26 return-to-work note from Dr. Grosshans, served by Sarah Timko.	0.10	17.50
03/09/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of 3/3/26 treatment note and final report from Dr. Grosshans, served by Sarah Timko.	0.10	17.50
03/10/2026	MO	Update medical chronology with records from OrthoNebraska Clinics, consisting of 51 pages.	1.10	110.00
03/11/2026	RMC	Receipt and cursory review of State's Designation of Expert Witnesses, including CVs, consisting of 96 pages, served by Sarah Timko.	0.20	35.00
03/24/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of full duty work release slip from Dr. Grossahns, dated 3/3/26, served by John Lawyer.	0.10	17.50
		TOTAL FEES	1.60	197.50

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.50	\$175.00	\$87.50
Mandelyn Oathout	Paralegal	1.10	100.00	110.00
				TOTAL THIS STATEMENT 197.50
				Previous Balance \$350.00
				TOTAL BALANCE DUE <u>\$547.50</u>

Executive Council of Iowa  
Valipouralmasi, Azam v. State of Iowa/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
Invoice #: 215244  
Account #: IA.0193

Aged Due Amounts

<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214859	350.00	<u>350.00</u>
			<u>350.00</u>

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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Outside Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$157.50 in *Wink, Stephen v. North Central Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of The Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the State of Iowa.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable and our office recommends payment.

Sincerely,

Steven Blankinship  
Chief Deputy Attorney General

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Re: Approval of attorney fees

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Wink, Stephen v. North Central Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

Current balance	\$157.50
Waiting for AG recommendation	\$0.00
Pending EC Approval	\$0.00
Claims in Process	\$0.00
Warrant sent	\$17.50 – 4/6/2026 EC Meeting
Outstanding Total	\$157.50

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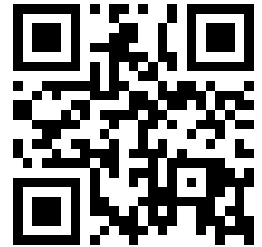
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Invoice Date: April 15, 2026  
Invoice #: 215248  
Account #: IA.0197  
RMC  
Federal Tax I.D.: 42-0894999

RE: Wink, Stephen v. North Central Correc Facility/SIF  
DOI: 10/11/2023  
Claimant: Stephen Wink  
Employer: North Central Correctional Facility

Activity through 03/31/2026

## Fees

			<u>Hours</u>	
03/09/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of DOC Health Services records, dated 10/28-11/2/25, served by Andrew Duffelmeyer.	0.20	35.00
03/10/2026	RMC	Receipt and review of Claimant's Answers to State's Interrogatories, served by Tammy Gentry.	0.30	52.50
	RMC	Receipt and review of Claimant's Response to State's Request for Production of Documents, served by Tammy Gentry.	0.10	17.50
	RMC	Correspondence to Jon Bergman regarding Claimant's Answers to State's Interrogatories.	0.10	17.50
03/25/2026	RMC	Receipt and cursory review of records from DOC, various dates, consisting of 459 pages, served by Andrew Duffelmeyer.	0.20	35.00
		TOTAL FEES	0.90	157.50

## Recapitulation

<u>Timekeeper</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
Ryan M. Clark	Partner	0.90	\$175.00	\$157.50
	TOTAL THIS STATEMENT			157.50
	Previous Balance			\$17.50
	TOTAL BALANCE DUE			<u>\$175.00</u>

Executive Council of Iowa  
Wink, Stephen v. North Central Correc Facility/SIF

Invoice Date: 04/15/2026  
Invoice #: 215248  
Account #: IA.0197

Aged Due Amounts			
<u>Stmt Date</u>	<u>Stmt #</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Due</u>
03/16/2026	214863	17.50	17.50
			<u>17.50</u>