



CITY OF NORMAN, OK STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: 08/27/2024

REQUESTER: Ryan Riddel, Assistant City Attorney

PRESENTER: Ryan Riddel, Assistant City Attorney

ITEM TITLE: CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2425-38: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, APPROPRIATING \$13,150 FROM THE REFUNDS / REIMBURSEMENTS MISCELLANEOUS RISK MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT TO REPAIR OR REPLACE A CITY VEHICLE DAMAGED BY ANOTHER DRIVER IN A TRAFFIC COLLISION.

BACKGROUND:

Funding is required to repair City vehicles that are damaged in traffic collisions. To assist with this process, the City has contracted with Alternative Claims Management (ACM) to pursue reimbursement of damage costs from the other driver's insurance policy when the collision is the fault of the other driver.

ACM has remitted payment to the City in the total amount of \$13,150. This item requests appropriation of these funds to the Miscellaneous Services/Uninsured Losses account to pay for vehicle repair or replacement.

DISCUSSION:

On September 8, 2023, a Police Department vehicle (Unit 1219) received damage when it was struck by another driver who failed to yield to oncoming traffic. State Farm insurance determined their driver to be at fault and payment for damage costs was collected by ACM and remitted to the City in the amount of \$13,150.

This collection was issued by ACM on July 29, 2024, and was forwarded for deposit into the Refunds/Reimbursements Risk Management account on August 9, 2024.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the approval of R-2425-38 for the appropriation of the above-referenced insurance reimbursement funds of \$13,150 from the Risk Management Fund, Refunds/Reimbursements Account (439-365264) to Miscellaneous Services – Uninsured Losses (43330104-44798) for the repair of the City of Norman Police Department vehicle.