

**FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS  
FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION****Business and Noninstructional Operations****CLAIMS AND ACTIONS AGAINST FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION AND  
FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

The County Board and County Superintendent desire to ensure that their operations are conducted in a manner that minimizes risks, protects resources, and promotes the health and safety of students, staff, and the public.

Any and all claims for money or damages against the County Board or County Superintendent shall be presented to and acted upon in accordance with law, County Superintendent and County Board policy, and County Superintendent administrative regulation as well as the Joint Powers Authority ("JPA") agreement or insurance coverage.

Any claim for money or damages not governed by the Government Claims Act (Government Code 810 - 996.6) or excepted by Government Code section 905 shall be presented consistent with the manner and time limitations in the Government Claims Act, unless a procedure for processing such claims is otherwise provided by state or federal law.

Upon notice to the County Superintendent or County Board of a claim, the County Superintendent or designee shall take all necessary steps to protect the rights of the County Superintendent or County Board under any applicable contractual agreements, including the right to indemnification from its insurance or other coverage provider.

**Registry of Public Agencies**

The County Superintendent or designee shall file for the County Superintendent and County Board the information required for the Registry of Public Agencies with the Secretary of State and the County Clerk. (Government Code 53051.) Any changes to such information shall be filed within 10 days after the change has occurred. (Government Code 53051.)

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**Legal Reference****Code Of Civil Procedure**

340.1 Action for recovery of damages suffered as result of childhood sexual assault

340.11 Action for recovery of damages suffered as a result of childhood sexual assault that occurred before January 1, 2024

**Government Code**

800 Cost in civil actions

810-996.6 Government Claims Act

53051 Information filed with secretary of state and county clerk

6500-6536 Joint exercise of powers

**Penal Code**

72 Fraudulent claims

**FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS  
FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION****Court Decisions**

City of Stockton v. Superior Court (2007) 42 Cal. 4th 730  
Connelly v. County of Fresno (2006) 146 Cal.App.4th 29  
CSEA v. South Orange Community College District (2004) 123 Cal.App.4th 574  
CSEA v. Azusa Unified School District (1984) 152 Cal.App.3d 580  
Stockett v. Association of California Water Agencies Joint Powers Insurance Authority (2004) 34 Cal.4th 441  
Hovd v. Hayward Unified School District (1977) 74 Cal.App.3d 470

**Management Resources****Web Sites**

California Secretary of State's Office: <http://www.sos.ca.gov>