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#### **MEMORANDUM**

To: The Honorable Board of Water Commissioners

From: Scott MacGriff, General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer

Date: November 25, 2025

Re: Metrics from the Office of the General Counsel – **November 2025** 

# **New Cases Filed Against DWSD:**

*i. McFadden v. City of Detroit* - in this case, Plaintiff alleges injuries from a motor vehicle accident with DWSD.

- *ii.* **Hollands v. DWSD** in this case, Plaintiff alleges injuries from a motor vehicle accident with DWSD.
- *Gibraltar v. DWSD* in this case, Plaintiff alleges DWSD interfered and delayed its project and is now requesting monetary damages.

#### Pending Cases that are being handled In-House:

### A. Collection & Non-Defense Cases

- i. DWSD v. Clairpointe of Victoria Park Homeowners Association A collection case against Clairpointe
  of Victoria Park Homeowners Association for unpaid drainage services at 430 Clairpointe Wood Drive,
  Detroit, Michigan 48202.
- *DWSD v. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Development Property, LLC* A collection case against 20<sup>th</sup> Street Development Property, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 2471 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Detroit, Michigan 48216.
- iii. DWSD v. Lycaste Street Properties LLC A collection case against Lycaste Street Properties LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 630 Lycaste Street, Detroit, Michigan 48214 and 2902 Orleans Street, Detroit, Michigan 48207.
- iv. DWSD v. Clay Street Group, LLC A collection case against Clay Street Group, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 7400 Russell Street, Detroit, Michigan 48211 and 2425 Bellevue Street, Detroit, Michigan 48207.
- v. **DWSD** v. Elizabeth Street Lofts, Inc. A collection case against Elizabeth Street Lofts, Inc. for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 2642 Erskine Street, Detroit, Michigan 48207 and six additional addresses.

- vi. **DWSD v. Metro Building Group, LLC -** A collection case against Metro Building Group, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 2051 West Grand Boulevard, Detroit, Michigan 48208 and twenty additional addresses.
- *vii. DWSD v. JDK Investments, LLC* A collection case against JDK Investments, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 5701 Chene Street, Detroit, MI 48211 and forty-three additional addresses.
- viii. **DWSD v. Ohi Asset (MI) Chene, LLC** A collection case against Ohi Asset (MI) Chene, LLC for unpaid water, sewer, and drainage services at 2295 East Vernor Highway, Detroit, Michigan 48207.
- *DWSD v. 2020 Elmhurst Detroit -* A collection case against 2020 Elmhurst Detroit for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 2020 Elmhurst St., Detroit, Michigan 48206.
- x. **DWSD v. River Park Village Sr. Apts. LDHALP -** A collection case against River Park Village Sr. Apts. LDHALP for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage service at 415 Burns Drive, Detroit, Michigan 48214.
- xi. **DWSD v. Eminence Properties, LLC -** A collection case against Eminence Properties, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage service at 15032 Evanston Street, Detroit, MI 48224.
- xii. **DWSD v. Byan LLC** A collection case against Byan, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 14302 Tireman Street, Detroit, MI 48228.
- xiii. **DWSD v. Stanislas LLC** A collection case against Stanislas, LLC for unpaid water, sewer and/or drainage services at 9151 Whittier St., Detroit, Michigan 48224.

## B. Defense Cases

- *iv.* **Employee v. DWSD** The Plaintiff alleges an employment dispute.
- v. Ayalas v. DWSD et al. in this case, the Plaintiffs alleges that they suffered damages from sewage backups.
- vi. Abner v. DWSD in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- vii. Employee v. DWSD The Plaintiff alleges an employment dispute.
- viii. Gibson v. City of Detroit et al. The Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- ix. Turner-Hodge v. City of Detroit et al. The Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- x. Woods v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.

- xi. **Brown-Hogan v. City of Detroit** in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- xii. Poe v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- xiii. Taylor v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from an open manhole.
- xiv. Landers v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- xv. Singh v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges inaccurate water, sewer and drainage billing.
- xvi. **Putek v. DWSD** in this case, Plaintiff alleges injuries from encountering potholes with missing pavement while driving a motor vehicle.
- xvii. **Harris v. DWSD** in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries from encountering potholes with missing pavement while driving a motor vehicle.
- xviii. Davis v. City of Detroit in this case, Plaintiff alleges injuries from a motor vehicle accident with DWSD.
- xix. White v. City of Detroit in this case, Plaintiff alleges injuries from a motor vehicle accident with DWSD.
- xx. White v. City of Detroit in this case, Plaintiff alleges injuries from a motor vehicle accident with DWSD.
- xxi. Cheikhali v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges inaccurate billing from DWSD.
- *xxii.* **Drayton v. City of Detroit** in this case, the Plaintiff alleges not being responsible for outstanding bill when obtaining property 475-77 W. Golden Gate Street, Detroit, Michigan 48203.
- xxiii. Clarke v. City of Detroit in this case, the Plaintiff alleges injuries resulting from a motor vehicle accident.
- *xxiv. Williams v. DWSD* this case involves allegations of gross negligence and wrongful death on the part of DWSD relating to a house fire.
- xxv. **Employee v. DWSD** The Plaintiff alleges an employment dispute.