



INFORMATION ON FILING A CLAIM WITH THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

Filing a claim with the City of Albuquerque for property damage and/or injuries for which you feel the city is legally liable for.

As stated in the New Mexico Tort Claims Act "Tort Notice of Claim" you have ninety (90) days from the date of incident to file your claim. If you have questions on how to fill out the attached form you can contact the City of Albuquerque Risk Management Division at (505) 768-3080.

TORT NOTICE OF CLAIM

41-4-16 Notice of Claims

A. Every person who claims damages from the state or any local public body under the Tort Claims Act [41-4-1 to 41-4-27 NMSA 1978] shall cause to be presented to the risk management division for claims against the state, the mayor of the municipality for claims against the municipality, the superintendent of the school district for claims against the school district, the county clerk of the county for claims against the county, or the administrative head of any other local public body for claims against such local public body, within ninety days after an occurrence giving rise to a claim for which immunity has been waived under the Tort Claims Act, a written notice stating the time, place and circumstances of the loss or injury.

When filling out the attached form PLEASE PRINT. If we are unable to read your form this will cause a delay in setting up of your claim.

All forms must be signed and dated in the place provided at the bottom.

Thank you.

Return your form to the Mayor's Office at:

City of Albuquerque
Mayor's Office
P O Box 1293
Albuquerque NM 87103



In order for a claim to be set up and investigated, please provide the following information.

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*****ALL FORMS MUST BE SIGNED & DATED**

DATE OF INCIDENT (MONTH/DAY/YEAR): _____ TIME OF INCIDENT: _____

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: _____

List name of injured/damaged party, (i.e. person's name, name of property owner, business name, name of the apartment complex). If claim is for a child please list the child's name and child's date of birth.

CLAIMANT: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE ZIP CODE: _____

DAY TIME PHONE #: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

Contact information if different from above information.

CONTACT NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP TO PERSON ABOVE: _____

DAY TIME PHONE #: _____

Describe how the incident occurred and why you feel the City of Albuquerque is at fault. (Attach additional page if needed)

Describe injury and/or property damage.

If you are claiming damage to your vehicle the following information is needed.

YEAR: _____ MAKE: _____ MODEL: _____
AREA DAMAGED: _____

If incident involved a city vehicle the following information is needed.

CITY EMPLOYEE DRIVING: _____ POLICE REPORT: _____
CITY VEHICLE LICENSE PLATE #: _____ CITY VEHICLE UNIT #: _____

*****CLAIMANT SIGNATURE OR LAWFUL/PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE:** _____ **DATE** _____

****Potential Claimant Instructed to Submit Written Notice of Claim to the Office of the Mayor - _____**