

### Northwest Florida State College Claims List

Last updated December 15, 2023

	Claimant	Claim Type	Filed in / Removed To	Filed Date	FCSRMC Coverage	Assigned Counsel	Status/Disposition
<b>Open</b>							
	Marie Odom, former work-study student	Negligence: slip-and-fall	1st Judicial Circuit, Okaloosa	9/12/2018	Yes	Joe Longfellow, Andrews, Crabtree, Knox & Longfellow	Mediation held on July 12, 2023; no settlement reached. Discovery ongoing. Trial scheduled for March 2024. Substitution of counsel December 14, 2023.
	Linda DeVore, applicant for NWFSC 2020 AVP/GC position	Age discrimination - ADEA, FCRA	United States District Court, Northern District of Florida Pensacola Division	10/28/2022	Yes	Jason Vail, Allen Norton & Blue	Magistrate judge recommended summary judgment in favor of the College on November 17, 2023. Claimant did not file objections. Pending final orders from the district court judge.
	Tiana Dale	Auto Negligence	1st Judicial Circuit, Okaloosa	3/21/2023	Yes	J. Craig Knox, Andrews, Crabtree, Knox & Longfellow	Motion to dismiss filed July 28, 2023. Stay of litigation in effect until January 23, 2024, reflective of the 6-month waiting period required by Ch. 768, Florida Statutes.
<b>Closed Since Prior Report</b>							
None							

Acronyms:

DOAH: Florida Division of Administrative Hearings  
 FCRA: Florida Civil Rights Act, Chapter 760, Florida Statutes  
 FCHR: Florida Commission on Human Relations, which is the Florida agency staffed with enforcing the FCRA  
 FCSRMC: Florida College System Risk Management Consortium  
 EEOC: Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission  
 ADEA: Federal Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, 29 U.S.C. § 621 *et seq.*