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Clerk of the Board

 Subject:
 Property Damage to Food Truck (Bibz N Ribz LLC)

 Date:
 Tuesday, September 2, 2025 4:48:19 PM

 Attachments:
 Tree claim Bibz n Ribz 81825.pdf

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Dear Clerk of the Board,

Please find attached my completed Claim Against the Santa Clara Valley Water District regarding the incident that occurred on August 18, 2025, when a sycamore tree located on District-managed property at 4580 Almaden Expressway, San Jose, CA 95118, fell onto my food truck (Bibz N Ribz LLC).

The falling tree caused extensive structural and operational damage to the truck, as well as business interruption losses. An arborist contracted by Valley Water, Mr. Neil Church, confirmed the tree was dead and in hazardous condition at the time of collapse.

For your reference:

- Attached Document: Completed claim form (PDF)
- Supporting Evidence: Photos of the damage and related documentation are available in this spelle Drive

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I respectfully request that this claim be processed and reviewed. Please confirm receipt of this email and let me know if any additional documentation or information is required.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Bilal Abbas

Owner – Bibz N Ribz LLC

5231 Roeder Rd, San Jose, CA 95111

Email: bibznribz@gmail.com

Phone: (408) 510-8493



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	Clerk of the Board's Date Stamp					
The completed form can be mailed, sent electronically	For SCVWD Use Only					
or hand delivered. Mail or deliver to:	Date Received:09/03/25	ROUTING				
Clerk of the Board Santa Clara Valley Water District-HQ	☐ Via U.S. Mail	■ CEO				
5700 Almaden Expressway San Jose, CA 95118	Hand Delivered	■ District Counsel				
Or submit the completed form electronically to:	■ Email	■ Risk Management ■ COB				
clerkoftheboard@valleywater.org	Other:					
and the figure of the state of the state of		BOD (District #):				

With certain exceptions, claims for personal injury or property damage MUST be filed within six months of the incident giving rise to the claim. Claimant must complete each section. If information is unknown, write "unknown" in the appropriate box. Please use additional pages if necessary. Please attach itemized receipts, witness statements, photos and all other documentation that you believe will be helpful to process your claim. Claimant MUST sign and date the form; see last page.

Name of Claimant Bibz n Ribz LLC Email		Email A	il Address:bibznribz@gmail.com				
Address of Claimant:			City:		State:	Zip:	
5231 Roeder Rd			san jose		ca	95111	
Address to which Notices should be sent, if different from above:		ove:	City:		State:	Zip:	

Home Phone Number:	Cell Phone Number:		Work Pho		one Number:		
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Is this claim being filed on behalf of a minor?		If so, pl	please indicate minor's date of birth:				
Yes No		Relatio	nship to th	ne minor:		-4	
Date and time of incident or loss:	Location of incident or k	loss (address): Is there a police rep			e report?		
8/18/25 4580 Almaden Expy San Jose			CA Yes If Yes, Police Report Case #:				
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			■ No				
Describe how the incident or loss to responsible for your damages (Ple On August 18, 2025, a large sycan my food truck, owned by Bibz N Riceiling, exterior wrap, and the vent After the incident, Neil Church, and and confirmed that the tree was a cidentified and addressed through monitor and maintain the tree results.	nore tree located on land bz LLC. The tree collapse ilation exhaust fan, which arborist working on beha dead sycamore. The tree easonable inspection and	manage e caused is esse of the was in a d mainte	cessary): ed by the s d significa ntial to the Santa Cla a hazardo nance of l	Santa Clara Vant structural de trucké safe safe safe safe safe safe safe safe	alley Wate amage to operation. er District i nat should	er District fell onto the roof, interior inspected the site have been	



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In detail, describe the damage or injury (Please attach additional sheets if necessary):	
The falling tree caused extensive damage to the food truck, including: -Roof & Structural Frame: The roof was crushed and dented by the impact of the tree, with wood penetrating sections compromised the structural integrity of the roof and frame, making the vehicle unsafe to operate in its current condition. Interior Ceiling: The interior ceiling caved in at the point of impact, damaging the ceiling panels, insulation, and surrou Ventilation Exhaust Fan: The ventilation exhaust fan mounted on the roof was destroyed. This fan is essential for safe vehicle operation and must be replaced. - Exterior Wrap & Bodywork: The exterior wrap was damaged due to the body panels being dented and crushed. Rapa required, followed by a full reapplication of the wrap to restore the truck's condition and branding. - Additional Dents and Surface Damage: Multiple other areas of the roof and body were dented and damaged by the fallows of income: Due to the truck being unsafe to operate until repairs are completed, business operations have been significant loss of income:	on. unding materials. e alrilow and overall irs to the body will be alling debris.
List Name(s) and contact information of any witness(es) or District employee involved (if any):	
-Rebecca Wolff -Neil Church -Lilian Dennis	
DAMAGES CLAIMED: Basis for computation of amounts claimed (include copies of bills, invoices, photos, police case # or other documentation.) Note: If your claim is more than \$10,000, you need but must state whether jurisdiction for the claim would be in the Limited Jurisdiction (up to \$25,000) jurisdiction of the Superior Court. Is the amount of the claim under \$10,000?	d not fill in an amount
Court Jurisdiction: (Check One) Limited Civil Unlimited Civil	
ITEMS	CLAIM AMOUNT
1 Exterior structural damage to food truck	S
2 Interior damage to food truck	S
Exterior bodywork and wrap damaged	S
Loss of income	s
TOTAL AMOUNT	s
WARNING: IT IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE TO FILE A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM (Penal Code I have read the matters and statements made in the above claim and I know the same to be true of except to those matters stated upon information and belief and as to such matters I believe the satunder penalty of perjury that the foregoing is TRUE and CORRECT Bilal albas, Mana	of my own knowledge me to be true. I certif
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Government Code Section 945.6 provides that, with limited exceptions, any suit brought against a public entity must be commenced:

Claimant's Signature

- (1) If written notice is given of a denial of claim in accordance with <u>Section 913</u>, not later than six months after the date such notice is personally delivered or deposited in the mail.
- (2) If written notice is not given of a denial of claim in accordance with <u>Section 913</u>, within two years from the accrual of the cause of action.

