

PROCEDURE FOR FILING A NO-FAULT SEWAGE CLAIM APPLICATION

Delta City and surrounding areas experienced a dramatic and unexpected amount of rain on August 17th, 2021 that caused widespread flooding over a good portion of the City. As the rainwater flowed over the streets, it poured into the sewer system in volume and speed well beyond the design specifications of the City's well-maintained system. In some cases, sewage backed-up and entered homes directly from the City sewer system.

The City's insurance partner is the Utah Local Governments Trust. As a member of the Trust, Delta City residents have access to a limited amount of no-fault sewage back-up coverage for situations where, unpredictable, and unpreventable sewage is forced out of the system causing damage, due to no-fault of Delta City. Payment of claims under this special no-fault coverage is made available to citizens at the sole discretion of Delta City and its administration. In this case, Delta City has instructed the Utah Local Governments Trust to pay the maximum limit allowable on a pro-rata basis to assist its citizens despite there being no fault or negligence on the part of Delta City. The Utah Local Governments Trust is honoring this instruction and responding accordingly.

Payment under this insurance coverage is limited to damages not otherwise covered by Homeowners, Renters or other insurance.

Residents wishing to take advantage of this special no-fault sewage back-up assistance must submit an application using the online form, on or before 5:00 P.M. on September 30th. Please upload the following required documentation where indicated on the Online Claim Form:

1. A copy of the applicable homeowners, renters or other insurance policy declarations page or a letter from the insurance carrier describing the available coverage or lack thereof such as a denial letter.
2. Photos of the damage and photos demonstrating that the sewage entered the home through floor drains, toilets, sinks and other sewage system inlets.
3. Receipts for clean-up services, supplies or destroyed items such as building materials or replaced items.

[CLICK HERE FOR: Online Claim Form](#)

If you have questions, contact Jeff Rowley, Claims Manager for the Utah Local Governments Trust at 801-363-2468 or jeff@utahtrust.gov.

Special thanks to the citizens of Delta City and others for your exemplary and stalwart perseverance during this challenging time.

This procedure and/or use of this form for filing a claim is not to be construed as a waiver of any provision of the Utah Governmental Immunity Act. Submission of this Notice of Claim form does not guarantee compliance with the Act. (UTAH CODE ANN. § 63G-7-101, *et seq.*)

