



# Government Liability

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**Morris Polich & Purdy** understands the special legal environment in which public entities and special districts operate. We are well versed in the procedural and substantive defenses afforded to governmental entities by, for example, the California Tort Claims Act and the federal Civil Rights Act. We have also prevailed in numerous cases based on related judicial doctrines such as sovereign immunity, standing, exhaustion of administrative remedies, and the government contractor defense. We have consistently and creatively applied the various judicial and statutory immunities available to governmental clients in order to achieve either an outright dismissal, or to narrow the issues to posture the case for a favorable resolution.

For over 30 years, we have represented public entities in such diverse areas as negligent performance of contracts, assault and battery, false arrest, intentional torts, taking of property, employment and racial discrimination, dangerous conditions of public property, violation of ministerial obligations, failure to discharge mandatory duties and inverse condemnation.

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