

Lake Manitoba

2011 Flood Class Action Settlement

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Frequently asked questions and answers are for general information only with any final assessment of Claimant Eligibility or Claim amounts based only on the court-approved Claims Administration Procedure.

Question	Answer
1. What is the purpose of the Special Circumstances section?	The intention of this section is for any types of Claims that are not identified in other sections of the Claims Administration Procedure and will be assessed at the sole discretion of the Claims Administrator.
2. How much of the total Class Action Settlement Funds are included in the Special Circumstances section?	The Claims Administration Procedure sets \$1,000,000 of the Settlement Fund to be shared amongst all Eligible Claimants who file amounts for the Special Circumstances section, or that may not be included in the criteria of other sections as assessed at the sole discretion of the Claims Administrator.
3. Will my costs claimed in the Special Circumstances section be paid?	<p><u>It is at the sole discretion of the Claims Administrator.</u></p> <p>A Claimants' claim amounts not identified in the Claims Administration Procedure may be considered for inclusion in the Special Circumstances amount</p>

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4. What happens if all the Claims for the Special Circumstances section <u>exceed</u> \$1,000,000?	<p>Should the total amount of claims approved in the Special Circumstances category exceed \$1,000,000, payment of these claims will be made on a pro-rata basis.</p> <p>Pro-rata basis means, for example, if the total claim amounts in this section totalled \$2,000,000. Then all eligible claimants would be compensated at a rate of 50% of their claim amount.</p>
5. What happens if all the Claims for the Special Circumstances section do <u>NOT</u> exceed \$1,000,000?	<p>If the \$1,000,000 total is not claimed or assessed by the Claims Administrator to be paid out as compensation, the unpaid balance will be added back to the Option 2 total compensation amount that may be available for those claims.</p>