

# CITY OF WHITTIER LIABILITY UPDATE

### **10-YEARS OF TREE CLAIMS PAID:**



Sewer damages - \$687,000



Trip & falls - \$3.1M



Fallen trees or branches - \$29M

## CIPA & EXCESS INSURANCE

- Risks
  - If City is not transferring risk, insurance will be lost
  - CIPA may not be allowed to renew with the City

#### CIPA RECOMMENDATIONS

- Conduct a confidential, independent audit of Police Department's administrative policies
- Provide CIPA the right to select & appoint defense on claims exceeding \$500,000
- Increase arborist agreement's liability limits

### CIPA RECOMMENDATIONS

Conduct an independent audit inspection of sidewalks

• Implement sidewalk inspection program

• Update all policies that affect future catastrophic claims