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May 24, 2023

HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: BRYANNA SHORTS, PR of the Estate of BRYAN PHILLIPS, and STANLEY CLARK v CITY OF DETROIT CASE NO: 21-009666-NF FILE NO: L21-00702 (RJB)

We have reviewed the above-captioned lawsuit, the facts and particulars of which are set forth in a confidential memorandum that is being separately hand-delivered to each member of Your Honorable Body. From this review, it is our considered opinion that a settlement in the amount of **THIRTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and ^{NO}/Cents (\$13,000.00)** is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **THIRTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and ^{NO}/Cents (\$13,000.00)** and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to **BRYANNA SHORTS, PR of the Estate of BRYAN PHILLIPS and STANLEY CLARK and THEIR attorney, APPLEBAUM** & **STONE, PLC,** to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in **Lawsuit No. 21-009666-NF**, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Robyn J Brooks

Robyn J. Brooks Supervising, Assistant Corporation Counsel

APPROVED: CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Krystal A. Crittendon

Krystal A. Crittendon Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Attachments

<u>RESOLUTION</u>

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BY COUNCIL MEMBER

RESOLVED, that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount of **THIRTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and ^{NO}/Cents (\$13,000.00**); and be it further.

RESOLVED, that the Finance Director be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant upon the proper account in favor of **BRYANNA SHORTS**, **PR of the Estate of BRYAN PHILLIPS and STANLEY CLARK and THEIR attorney**, **APPLEBAUM & STONE**, **PLC**, in the amount of **THIRTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and** ^{NO}/Cents (\$13,000.00) in full payment for any and all claims which BRYANNA SHORTS, PR of the Estate of BRYAN PHILLIPS and STANLEY CLARK may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of Detroit employees by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about **May 17**, 2021, and otherwise set forth in Case No.21-009666-NF, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases, Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 21-009666-NF and, where deemed necessary by the Law Department a properly executed Medicare/CMS Final Demand Letter.

APPROVED: CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Krystal A. Crittendon **Krystal A. Crittendon** Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Approved by City Council: _____

Approved by the Mayor: _____