

LAW DEPARTMENT

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October 13, 2023

## HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: HENDERSON, ALONZO v CITY OF DETROIT AND BRENDA HUNTER

CASE NO: 22-005765-NI FILE NO: L22-00986 (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 **THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$35,000.00)** is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$35,000.00)** and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to **ALONZO HENDERSON and HIS attorney, KAJY LAW, PLLC,** to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No.22-005765-NI, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted,

Robyn J. Brooks

Robyn J. Brooks Sr. Assistant Corporation Counsel

**APPROVED:**CONRAD MALLETT
Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Krystal A. Crittendon

Krystal A. Crittendon

Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Attachments

BY COUNCIL MEMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**RESOLVED**, that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount

of THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$35,000.00); 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 ALONZO HENDERSON and HIS attorney,

KAJY LAW, PLLC, in the amount of THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents

(\$35,000.00) in full payment for any and all claims which Alonzo Henderson 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.22-005765-NI, that said amount be

paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases, Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in

Lawsuit No. 22-005765-NI and, where deemed necessary by the Law Department a properly

executed Medicare/CMS Final Demand Letter.

**APPROVED:** 

CONRAD MALLETT

Corporation Counsel

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