LAW DEPARTMENT

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April 1, 2024

HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: FINISH LINE PHYSICAL THERAPY & REHAB SERVICES LLC (GERALD

SMITH) V CITY OF DETROIT

CASE NO: 22-009411-NF FILE NO: L22-01189 (AA)

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 **SIXTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARs and NO/Cents** (\$16,000.00) is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **SIXTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents** (\$16,000.00) and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in the amount of **SIXTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents** (\$16,000) payable to **FINISH LINE PHYSICAL THERAPY & REHAB SERVICES LLC and THEIR attorneys**, **Law Offices of Michael S. Daoudi, P.C.** to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 22-009411-NF, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted, /s/ Alfred Ashu Alfred Ashu ACC

APPROVED:CONRAD MALLETT
Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Krystal A. Crittendon

Krystal A. Crittendon

Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Attachments

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BY COUNCIL MEMBER:
RESOLVED , that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount
of SIXTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$16,000.00); 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 FINISH LINE PHYSICAL THERAPY &
REHAB SERVICES LLC and THEIR attorneys, Law Offices of Michael S. Daoudi, P.C., in
the amount of SIXTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$16,000.00) in full payment
for any and all claims which Plaintiffs may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of
Detroit employees by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about July 1, 2021, and otherwise
set forth in Case No.22-009411-NF, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed
Releases, Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 22-009411-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: