LAW DEPARTMENT

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July 16, 2024

HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: Herman Mallory v City of Detroit, et al.

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan Case No: 23-cv-11882

File No: L23-00481 BP

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 **Fifty Thousand Dollars and NO/Cents** (\$50,000.00) is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **Fifty Thousand Dollars and NO/Cents** (\$50,000.00) and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to Herman Mallory and his attorney, Law Office of Matthew S. Kolodziejski, to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 23-cv-11882, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted, Ben Patterson Senior Assistant Corporation Counsel

APPROVED:

CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Eric Gaabo

Eric Gaabo

Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Attachments

RESOLUTION

BY COUNCIL MEMBER:
RESOLVED , that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount
of Fifty Thousand Dollars and $^{NO}/Cents$ (\$50,000.00); 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 Herman Mallory and his attorney, Law Office of
${\it Matthew~S.~Kolodziejski,~in~the~amount~of~Fifty~Thousand~Dollars~and~^{NO}/Cents~(\$50,\!000.00)}$
in full payment for any and all claims which Herman Mallory may have against the City of Detroit
and any other City of Detroit employees by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about June 24,
2022, and otherwise set forth in United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan
Case No. 23-cv-11882, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases,
Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 23-cv-11882 and, where deemed
necessary by the Law Department a properly executed Medicare/CMS Final Demand Letter.
APPROVED: CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel
BY: /s/Eric Gaabo

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Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Approved by City Council:

Approved by the Mayor: _____