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November 12, 2024

## HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: WASHINGTON, GEORGE LEON V CITY OF DETROIT AND JOHN DOE BUS

**DRIVER** 

Case No: 23-012117-NI File No: L23-00557 (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 **FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$15,000.00)** is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and No/Cents** (\$15,000.00) and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to **GEORGE WASHINGTON and HIS attorney, HIRSCH GAUGIER KHAN LAW, P.C.,** to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No.23-012117-NI, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted, /s/Alfred Ashu
Alfred Ashu
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**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:
<b>RESOLVED</b> , that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount
of FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$15,000.00); 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 GEORGE WASHINGTON and HIS attorney,
HIRSCH GAUGIER KHAN LAW, P.C., in the amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND
DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$15,000.00) in full payment for any and all claims which GEORGE
WASHINGTON may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of Detroit employees
by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about June 2, 2023, and otherwise set forth in Case
No.23-012117-NI, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases,
Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 23-012117-NIand, 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: \_\_\_\_\_