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May 30, 2025

## HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: SAMMY DUPREE v DANA PARIS MCGREGOR, CITY OF DETROIT, DETROIT

POLICE DEPARTMENT AND PROGRESSIVE MICHIGAN INSURANCE

**COMPANY** 

CASE NO: 23-008244-NI FILE NO: L23-00429 (CB)

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 **ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$100,000.00)** is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$100,000.00)** and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to **SAMMY DUPREE and HIS attorneys, THE THURSWELL LAW FIRM, P.L.L.C** to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 23-008244-NI approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Calvert Bailey Calvert Bailey Assistant Corporation Counsel

**APPROVED:** 

CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/ Krystal A. Crittendon

Krystal A. Crittendon

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 **ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$100,000.00)**; 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 SAMMY DUPREE and HIS attorneys, THE THURSWELL LAW FIRM, P.L.L.C in the amount of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$100,000.00) in full payment for any and all claims which SAMMY DUPREE may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of Detroit employees by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about March 1, 2020, and otherwise set forth in Case No. 21-002838-NI, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases, Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 23-008244-NI 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

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Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

Approved by City Counci	l:	
Approved by the Mayor:		