

LAW DEPARTMENT

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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: Mary Kennedy v City of Detroit Case No: 21-009467 NF File No: L21-00701

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 **TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND** ^{NO}/CENTS</sup> (\$27,500.00) is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount OF TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND ^{NO}/CENTS (\$27,500.00) and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to MARY KENNEDY and HER attorneys, REIFMAN LAW FIRM AND AZZO LAW, PLLC, to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 21-009467 NF, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Yuvonne Bradley Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

APPROVED: CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Jerry L. Ashford

Jerry L. Ashford Chief of Litigation Attachments

<u>**R E S O L U T I O N**</u>

BY COUNCIL MEMBER

RESOLVED, that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount of **TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND** ^{NO}/CENTS</sup> (\$27,500.00); 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 **MARY KENNEDY** and **HER** attorneys, **REIFMAN LAW FIRM AND AZZO LAW, PLLC,** in the amount of **TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND**^{NO}/**CENTS** (\$27,500.00) in full payment for any and all claims which Mary Kennedy may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of Detroit employees by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about August 3, 2020, and otherwise set forth in Case No. 21-009467 NF, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases, Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 21-009467 NF and, where deemed necessary by the Law Department a properly executed Medicare/CMS Final Demand Letter.

APPROVED: CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/Jerry L. Ashford Jerry L. Ashford Chief of Litigation

Approved by City Council: _____

Approved by the Mayor: _____

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