LAW DEPARTMENT

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May 4, 2022

HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: Rolando Diaz v City of Detroit, Antonio Davis and Dennis Richardson Wayne County Circuit Court Case No: 20-011710-CZ File No. L20-00988

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 **EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS** (\$8,000.00), is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle Plaintiff's claims in this matter in the amount of **EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS** (\$8,000.00), and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to Rolando Diaz and his attorneys, Haddad Law Firm, PLC, in the amount of **EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS** (\$8,000.00), to be delivered upon receipt of a properly executed Release and a Stipulation and Order of Dismissal of all claims entered in Wayne County Circuit Court Case No: 20-011710-CZ, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted, Eric B Gaabo Senior Assistant Corporation Counsel

APPROVED:

CHARLES N. RAIMI Deputy Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/James D. Noseda

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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 EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$8,000.00); 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 Rolando Diaz and his attorneys, Haddad Law Firm,

PLC, in the amount of EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$8,000.00) in full payment for any and

all claims which Rolando Diaz may have against the City of Detroit, Antonio Davis, Dennis

Richardson, or any of the City's officers, employees, agents or representatives, including but not

limited to all claims which were or could have been raised in the case entitled "Rolando Diaz v

City of Detroit, Antonio Davis and Dennis Richardson," Wayne County Circuit Court Case No:

20-011710-CZ, and that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed mutual releases

and a Stipulation and Order of Dismissal of all claims and counterclaims entered in Wayne County

Circuit Court Case No: 20-011710-CZ, approved by the Law Department.

APPROVED:

CHARLES L. RAIMI

Deputy Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/James D. Noseda

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Approved by City Council: _	
Approved by the Mayor:	