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July 13, 2022

## HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: DENNIS BOLTON V CITY OF DETROIT, LYNN MOORE, AND ADAM

**SKLARSKI** 

CASE NO: 20-cv-10813 FILE NO: L20-00169 (RJB)

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 SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents** (\$175,000.00) is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents** (\$175,000.00) and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to **DENNIS BOLTON and HIS attorney, MUELLER LAW FIRM**, to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 20-10813, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted,

Robyn J Brooks
Robyn J Brooks
Sr. Assistant Corporation Counsel

## **APPROVED:**

CONRAD MALLETT Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/ Jerry L. Ashford

Jerry L. Ashford Chief of Litigation

Attachments

## RESOLUTION

BY COUNCIL MEMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**RESOLVED**, that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount

of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS and NO/Cents (\$175,000.00);

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 DENNIS BOLTON and HIS attorney,

MUELLER LAW FIRM, in the amount of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND

**DOLLARS and NO/Cents** (\$175,000.00) in full payment for any and all claims which Dennis

Bolton may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of Detroit employees by reason of

alleged injuries sustained on or about June 1, 2017, and otherwise set forth in Case No.20-cv-

10813, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases, Stipulation and Order

of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No.20-10813 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

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Chief of Litigation