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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL

RE: **Anesthesia Services Affiliates (Theresa Smith) v City of Detroit**

Case No: 21-141982 GC

File No: L21-00440 (YRB)

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 **FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO/CENTS (\$4,000.00)** is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request authorization to settle this matter in the amount of **FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO/CENTS (\$4,000.00)** and that Your Honorable Body direct the Finance Director to issue a draft in that amount payable to **ANESTHESIA SERVICES AFFILIATES** and **THEIR** attorney, **THE LOBB LAW FIRM**, to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 21-141982 GC, approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted,

Yvonne Bradley

/s/ Yvonne Bradley

Supervising Assistant Corporation Counsel

APPROVED:

CONRAD MALLETT

Corporation Counsel

BY: /s/ Jerry L. Ashford

Jerry L. Ashford

Chief of Litigation

Attachments

R E S O L U T I O N

BY COUNCIL MEMBER _____:

RESOLVED, that settlement of the above matter be and is hereby authorized in the amount of **FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO/CENTS (\$4,000.00)**; 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 **ANESTHESIA SERVICES AFFILIATES** and **THEIR** attorney, **THE LOBB LAW FIRM**, in the amount of **FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO/CENTS (\$4,000.00)** in full payment for any and all claims which Anesthesia Services Affiliates may have against the City of Detroit and any other City of Detroit employees by reason of alleged injuries sustained on or about January 11, 2016, and otherwise set forth in Case No. 21-141982 GC, that said amount be paid upon receipt of properly executed Releases, Stipulation and Order of Dismissal entered in Lawsuit No. 21-141982 GC 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

Approved by City Council: _____

Approved by the Mayor: _____