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Date: October 7, 2022

To: Honorable City Council

From: Law Department

Re: Closed Session – Request for Legal Representation and Indemnification of Sergeant Daniel Austin in the matter of *Tyriq Reddic v. Anthony Smith, et al.*; Civil Action Case No. 21-016603-NZ

The Law Department submitted a privileged and confidential memorandum, dated June 9, 2022, recommending that this Honorable Council deny the Request for Legal Representation and Indemnification of Sergeant Daniel Austin in the lawsuit of *Tyriq Reddic v. Anthony Smith, et al.*; Civil Action Case No. 21-016603-NZ. Pursuant to arbitration awards issued by the Voluntary Labor Arbitration Tribunal, which recognize the past practice of City Council holding hearings for police officers who have been denied representation, and after consultation with the Council President's office, the Law Department is respectfully requesting that a closed session on the matter be held on Tuesday, October 18, 2022 at 2:40 p.m.