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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to authorize City Attorney to pay sum of \$75,000.00, in full settlement of lawsuit entitled Elena Villacres Torres v. City of Long Beach, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 20STCV01476.

DISCUSSION

Plaintiff alleges she was injured as a result of an auto accident involving Long Beach Firefighter Billy Noda on February 13, 2019.

Following extensive negotiations, Plaintiff agrees to accept \$75,000.00 - inclusive of attorneys' fees and costs - as a full, global settlement of this case.

The settlement was discussed in closed session, and approved, by the Government and Personnel Attorney-Client Committee on October 19, 2021.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES PARKIN, City Attorney

Todd Vigus

Deputy City Attorney