

City of Long Beach

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Recommendation to authorize City Attorney to pay sum of \$65,000 in full settlement of the lawsuit entitled *Evans v. City of Long Beach, et al.*

On November 2, 2012, Long Beach Police officers encountered plaintiff while they were conducting an unrelated traffic stop. A use-of-force occurred during the encounter with plaintiff, and plaintiff alleges that defendants are responsible for his injuries and other damages. Defendants deny liability.

After extensive negotiations, the parties reached a tentative settlement of the entire action for \$65,000.00, inclusive of attorney's fees and costs. The Economic Development and Finance Committee approved the proposed settlement on August 11, 2015.

Approve recommendation.

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