

City of Long Beach

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entitled Edward Benavidez vs. City of Long Beach, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No.

21STCV02509.

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Recommendation to authorize City Attorney to pay sum of \$150,000, in full settlement of lawsuit entitled *Edward Benavidez vs. City of Long Beach, et al.*, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 21STCV02509.

Plaintiff alleges he was injured by a condition of public property while riding his bicycle through Lakewood Blvd. tunnel on August 3, 2019.

Following extensive negotiations, Plaintiff agreed to accept \$150,000.00 inclusive of costs and fees - as a full settlement of this case.

The settlement was discussed in closed session, and approved, by the Government Operations and Efficiency Committee (Attorney/Client) on March 21, 2023.

Approve recommendation.

DAWN MCINTOSH, CITY ATTORNEY