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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
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RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to authorize City Attorney to pay sum of \$9,000 in full settlement of lawsuit entitled *Darriel Murphy v. City of Long Beach, et al.*

DISCUSSION:

On June 10, 2004, plaintiff was rear-ended by City employee Greg Adamson while traveling eastbound on Anaheim Street in Long Beach. Plaintiff received medical treatment for his neck, shoulders, and back. Plaintiff's vehicle was considered a complete loss.

At a court-ordered mediation, a settlement totaling \$9,000 was reached with plaintiff.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

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