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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
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RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to authorize City Attorney to pay the sum of \$10,000.00 in full settlement of lawsuit entitled *Oralea Maxwell v. City of Long Beach, Surian Pearson*, Case No. NC036941.

DISCUSSION:

This lawsuit arises from a September 1, 2004, incident involving a City trash truck. The truck struck and pushed some furniture in an alleyway, into an exterior wall of plaintiff's residence. Plaintiff suffered personal injuries and there was significant damage to plaintiff's personal property.

At a settlement conference, a tentative settlement totaling \$10,000.00 was reached for the plaintiff.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

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