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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 85737 C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CASE OF MELVIN ODOM v. CITY OF OAKLAND, ALAMEDA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. RG14-747933, IN THE AMOUNT OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$15,500.00) AS A RESULT OF A BICYCLE ACCIDENT ON MARCH 25, 2014 (OAKLAND PUBLIC WORKS – DANGEROUS CONDITION)

WHEREAS, Melvin Odom was injured when he fell from his bicycle on Telegraph Avenue between 34th and 36th Streets in the City of Oakland on or about March 25, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Odom sustained injuries requiring medical treatment as a result of this accident; and

WHEREAS, Alameda County Superior Court Action RG14-747933 was filed against the City of Oakland alleging a dangerous condition of public property; and

WHEREAS, In order to avoid the risk of an adverse jury verdict under the circumstances; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of Melvin Odom v. City of Oakland, RG14-747933, City Attorney's File No. 30043, for the sum of Fifteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$15,500.00); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is further authorized and directed to take whatever steps as may be necessary to effect said settlement; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the sum of Fifteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$15,500.00) be payable to Plaintiff Melvin Odom and his attorney Bianca Ennix.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

JUL 30 2015

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

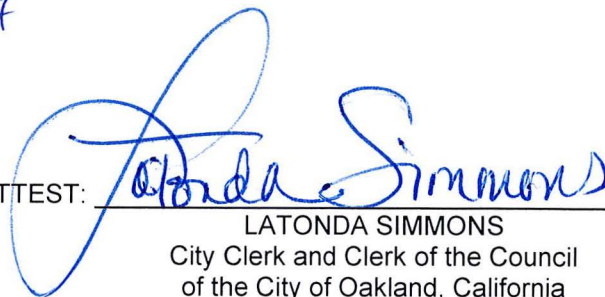
AYES: ~~BROOKS~~, CAMPBELL-WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLÉN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID AND PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY -7

NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTENTION: 0

Excused - Brooks - 1

ATTEST: 
LATONDA SIMMONS
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California