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January 5, 2010

HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL
Oakland, California

Subject: Elizabeth Clark v. City of Oakland
Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG06289271
Our File No. 25255

President Brunner and Members of the City Council:

Pursuant to §401 of the Charter, the City Attorney has prepared a resolution and requests your approval of same, authorizing compromise and settlement of the above-entitled action in the total sum of \$15,000, payable to plaintiff Elizabeth Clark and her attorney of record, Stephen F. Henry.

The action claims that Elizabeth Clark experienced disability discrimination and an invasion of her privacy while she was at the Oakland Police Department Training Academy. The settlement is recommended as a compromise of this matter. This matter was presented in Closed Session on December 8, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "John A. Russo".

JOHN A. RUSSO
City Attorney

Attorney Assigned:
Vicki Laden

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RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CASE OF ELIZABETH CLARK V. CITY OF OAKLAND, ALAMEDA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. RG06289271, OUR FILE NO. 25255, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,000.00 (OAKLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT)

RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of Elizabeth Clark v. City of Oakland, Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG06289271, City Attorney's File No. 25255, for a sum not to exceed a total amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$15,000.00), payable to Elizabeth Clark and Stephen F. Henry, plaintiff's attorney of record.

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

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$15,000.00) be paid to Elizabeth Clark and Stephen F. Henry, plaintiff's attorney of record.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, DE LA FUENTE, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, and
PRESIDENT BRUNNER

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: _____

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