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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL
Oakland, California

**Subject: Claim of Ayele Bireda
City Attorney File #C30634
(Oakland Police Department – Automobile Collision)**

President Gibson McElhaney and Members of the City Council:

Pursuant to Section 401 of the Charter, the City Attorney has prepared and requests your approval of a resolution authorizing compromise and settlement of the above-entitled claim for the sum of Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$6,500.00), made payable to Ayele Bireda.

This action arises out of an April 22, 2015 incident in which Mr. Bireda claims property damage as a result of a collision with an OPD vehicle.

The Council authorized settlement of this case in Closed Session on Tuesday, November 3, 2015 (moved by Councilmember Rebecca Kaplan and seconded by Councilmember Dan Kalb – 7 Ayes, 1 Absent, Councilmember Brooks).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Barbara J. Parker".

BARBARA J. PARKER
City Attorney

Attorney Assigned:
David Pereda

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RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CLAIM OF AYELE BIREDA, IN THE AMOUNT OF SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND 00/100 CENTS (\$6,500.00) AS THE RESULT OF DAMAGES SUSTAINED FROM AN AUTOMOBILE COLLISION ON APRIL 22, 2015 (OAKLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT - AUTOMOBILE COLLISION)

WHEREAS, claimant alleges that on April 22, 2015, he sustained damages as a result of an automobile collision involving a City vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the claimant filed the above entitled claim seeking payment for said damages; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland has determined that settlement in this amount, without an admission of liability, is in the best interest of the City; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to settle the claim of Ayele Bireda, our file number C30634, in the amount of Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$6,500.00); and be it

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

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the sum of Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$6,500.00), be made payable to Ayele Bireda.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: _____

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