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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL
Oakland, California

Subject: *Marc A. Singer v. City of Oakland, et al*
Alameda County Superior Court Case No. 2001-031132
Our File No. 21494 – Office of Public Works –
Trip & Fall/Premises Liability

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Dear President De La Fuente and Members of the City Council:

Pursuant to Section 401 of the Charter, the City Attorney has prepared and recommends settlement of the above-entitled matter arising from an incident on November 15, 2000, in which plaintiff tripped and fell on an uneven sidewalk in the 2000 block of Mountain Boulevard, Oakland.

Due to the risk of an adverse jury verdict under the circumstances, settlement is recommended in the amount of Eight Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$8,000.00), to be made payable to Marc A. Singer and Douglas A. Prutton, Esq., his attorney of record.

Respectfully submitted,


JOHN A. RUSSO
City Attorney

Attorney Assigned:
Peter Hallifax
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RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CASE OF MARC A. SINGER v. CITY OF OAKLAND, ET AL., ALAMEDA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. 2001-031132, OUR FILE NO. 21494, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,000.00 AS A RESULT OF A TRIP AND FALL ON A SIDEWALK. (OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS)

RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of Marc A. Singer v. City of Oakland, et al., Alameda County Superior Court Case No. 2001-031132, City Attorney's File No. 21494, for a sum not to exceed a total of Eight Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$8,000.00) payable by the City of Oakland to Marc A. Singer and Douglas A. Prutton, Esq., his attorney of record.

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 Eight Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$8,000.00) be paid to Marc A. Singer and Douglas A. Prutton, Esq., his attorney of record.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 2003

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, QUAN, REID, WAN AND PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: _____
CEDA FLOYD
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California

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