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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL Oakland, California

President De La Fuente and Members of the City Council:

Subject:

Garcia v. City of Oakland

Alameda County Superior Court Action No. RG05-244000

City Attorney File No. 24261

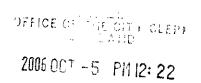
Pursuant to Section 401 of the Charter, the City Attorney has prepared a resolution authorizing and recommends settlement of the above-captioned matter, for the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$10,000.00), payable to Plaintiff Mariah Garcia and her attorneys Robbins, Dangott & Scharlach.

This action arises from plaintiff's injury on August 7, 2004. An Oakland Fire Department employee rear-ended an automobile where plaintiff was a passenger. Plaintiff had to be taken away by ambulance. This matter was not heard in closed session.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. RUSSO City Attorney

Attorney Assigned: Rachel Wagner



Approved as to Form and Legality
Oakland City Attorney's Office

## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO C.M.S.
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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CASE OF GARCIA V. CITY OF OAKLAND, ALAMEDA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. RG05-244000 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000 (OFD)
<b>RESOLVED:</b> That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of <u>Garcia v. City of Oakland</u> , Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG05-244000, City Attorney's File No. 24261, for a sum not to exceed a total amount of Ten Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$10,000.00).
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
<b>FURTHER RESOLVED:</b> That the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$10,000.00) be paid to Mariah Garcia and Robbins, Dangott & Scharlach, her attorney of record.
IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
AYES- BRUNNER, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, BROOKS, REID, CHANG, and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE
NOES-
ABSENT-
ABSTENTION-
ATTEST:  LATONDA SIMMONS  City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland, California