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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL 86383

**RESOLUTION NO.** 

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CASE OF JAMES BARRETT V. CITY OF OAKLAND, ALAMEDA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. RG15777910, CITY ATTORNEY'S FILE NO. 30502, IN THE AMOUNT OF THIRTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$35,000.00) (PUBLIC WORKS – DANGEROUS CONDITION)

WHEREAS, Plaintiff, James Barrett, alleges that he sustained injuries after he fell, face first, on a public sidewalk, after his cane became lodged in an opening of a City maintained and owned irrigation located in front of 2100 Telegraph Avenue on October 4, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, Plaintiff, James Barrett, filed the above referenced action to recover monetary damages for his alleged injuries; and

**WHEREAS**, without admitting fault or wrongdoing, the City has determined to compromise and settle Plaintiff James Barrett's claim against it for the sum of Thirty Five Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$35,000.00); now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of <u>James Barrett v. City of Oakland</u>, Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG15777910, City Attorney's File No. 30502, for a sum not to exceed Thirty Five Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$35,000.00) payable by the City of Oakland; and be it

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

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the sum of Thirty Five Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$35,000.00) be payable to the "James Barrett and his attorney, Brian L. Larsen".

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,	OCT 0 4 2016
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
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