

January 8, 2025

**WHEREAS**, a lawsuit, styled Donna Jean Berry v. Precious Yusha Mangum and City of Dallas, Cause No. DC-23-02804, was filed by the plaintiff, Donna Jean Berry, seeking compensation from the City of Dallas and Department of Sanitation Services employee Precious Yusha Mangum for alleged bodily injuries and other damages sustained in an automobile collision on March 8, 2021, involving a city-owned vehicle; and

**WHEREAS**, the plaintiff, Donna Jean Berry, has agreed to a proposed settlement of her claims whereby the City will pay Donna Jean Berry, the law firm of Loncar Lyon Jenkins, and all other persons having an interest in the settlement proceeds, the total amount of \$55,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the City's best interest to settle this lawsuit.

**Now, Therefore,**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:**

**SECTION 1.** That the proposed settlement of the lawsuit styled, Donna Jean Berry v. Precious Yusha Mangum and City of Dallas, Cause No. DC-23-02804, in an amount not to exceed \$55,000.00 is hereby approved.

**SECTION 2.** That the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to pay Donna Jean Berry, the law firm of Loncar Lyon Jenkins, and all other persons having an interest in the settlement proceeds, the total amount of \$55,000.00 from Liability Reserve Fund, Fund 0192, Department ORM, Unit 3890, Object 3521, Vendor MVORM001.

**SECTION 3.** That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly resolved.