WHEREAS, a lawsuit, styled Adam Hewitt v. City of Dallas, Cause No. DC-23-21005, was filed by the plaintiff Adam Hewitt, seeking compensation from the City of Dallas for alleged bodily injuries and other damages sustained in an automobile collision on February 16, 2022 involving a Dallas Water Utilities Department employee operating a city-owned vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the plaintiff, Adam Hewitt, has agreed to a proposed settlement of his claims whereby the City will pay Adam Hewitt, Link & Associates, and all other persons and entities having an interest in the settlement proceeds, the total amount of \$30,000.00; 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 claims filed by Adam Hewitt in the lawsuit styled, <u>Adam Hewitt v. City of Dallas</u>, Cause No. DC-23-21005, in an amount not to exceed \$30,000.00 is hereby approved.

SECTION 2. That the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to pay Adam Hewitt, Link & Associates, and all other persons and entities having an interest in the settlement proceeds, the amount of \$30,000.00 from the 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 so resolved.