



Legislation Text

File #: 24-904, Version: 1

**STRATEGIC PRIORITY:** Government Performance & Financial Management

**AGENDA DATE:** March 27, 2024

**COUNCIL DISTRICT(S):** N/A

**DEPARTMENT:** City Attorney’s Office

**EXECUTIVE:** Tammy L. Palomino

**SUBJECT**

Authorize partial settlement of the lawsuit styled Bridgette Dancy and Elvis Brown v. City of Dallas, Cause No. DC-21-06901 - Not to exceed \$40,000.00 - Financing: Liability Reserve Fund

**BACKGROUND**

Plaintiffs Bridgette Dancy and Elvis Brown filed a lawsuit against the City of Dallas seeking compensation for alleged bodily injuries and other damages sustained in an automobile collision on August 31, 2020, involving a Dallas Department of Sanitation Services employee operating a city-owned vehicle. The City and Mr. Brown have reached a proposed settlement of his claim, subject to City Council approval. Mr. Brown is represented by Miguel Cazarez and Witherite Law Group.

**PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (COUNCIL, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS)**

A confidential memorandum regarding this matter will be provided to the City Council on March 22, 2024.

**FISCAL INFORMATION**

| Fund                   | FY 2024     | FY 2025 | Future Years |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Liability Reserve Fund | \$40,000.00 | \$0.00  | \$0.00       |