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Title:	Authorize (1) settlement of the claims filed by Vandergriff Honda in the related lawsuits styled Vandergriff Honda v. The City of Dallas, Texas, Case No. 3:20-cv-03704, and Vandergriff Honda v. The City of Dallas, Texas, Devin Mallard, and American Honda Finance Corporation, Cause No. 471-00324-2021; and (2) return of impounded vehicle in as-is condition and payment of financial compensation not to exceed $75,000.00 - Not to exceed $75,000.00 - Financing: Liability Reserve Fund				
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AGENDA DATE: June 22, 2022

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S): N/A

DEPARTMENT: City Attorney's Office

EXECUTIVE: Christopher J. Caso

SUBJECT

Authorize **(1)** settlement of the claims filed by Vandergriff Honda in the related lawsuits styled Vandergriff Honda v. The City of Dallas, Texas, Case No. 3:20-cv-03704, and Vandergriff Honda v. The City of Dallas, Texas, Devin Mallard, and American Honda Finance Corporation, Cause No. 471-00324-2021; and **(2)** return of impounded vehicle in as-is condition and payment of financial compensation not to exceed $75,000.00 - Not to exceed $75,000.00 - Financing: Liability Reserve Fund

BACKGROUND

Plaintiff Vandergriff Honda filed two lawsuits against the City of Dallas seeking return of a vehicle impounded by the Dallas Police Department and eventually incorporated into its fleet, as well as compensation for loss of use/lost value and attorneys' fees. The City and Vandergriff Honda have reached a proposed settlement subject to City Council approval. Plaintiff is represented by Naman, Howell, Smith, & Lee, PLLC.

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PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (COUNCIL, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS)

A confidential memorandum regarding this matter will be provided to the City Council on June 17, 2022.

FISCAL INFORMATION

Fund	FY 2022	FY 2023	Future Years
Liability Reserve Fund	$75,000.00	$0.00	$0.00

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