



Legislation Text

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STRATEGIC PRIORITY: Government Performance & Financial Management

AGENDA DATE: January 11, 2023

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S): N/A

DEPARTMENT: City Attorney's Office

EXECUTIVE: Christopher J. Caso

SUBJECT

Authorize settlement of the lawsuit styled Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Texas v. City of Dallas, Cause No. DC-22-05352 - Not to exceed \$29,500.00 for the settlement of the property damage claims of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Texas - Financing: Liability Reserve Fund

BACKGROUND

Plaintiff Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Texas ("Southwestern Bell") filed a lawsuit against the City of Dallas for alleged property damages arising on August 7, 2020, when a Dallas Water Utilities employee struck an underground telecommunications cable with a backhoe while excavating the ground to repair a water main pipe. William M. Fagan and A Nava & Glander Law Firm represent Southwestern Bell.

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (COUNCIL, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS)

A confidential memorandum regarding this matter will be provided to the City Council on January 6, 2023.

FISCAL INFORMATION

Fund	FY 2023	FY 2024	Future Years
Liability Reserve Fund	\$29,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00