

**MOTION**

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations of the City Attorney relative to the award of attorneys' fees in the case entitled South Central Farmers Action Fund, et al. v. City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BS 117561. (This case concerns allegations that the City violated the Brown Act and that the City Clerk's official Journal of Council Proceedings violated the City Charter), **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:**

1. APPROVE an award of attorneys' fees in the sum of \$481,279.50 and costs in the sum of \$8,942.43 for a total of \$490,221.93 as related to the above entitled case from City Attorney Fund 100, Department 59, Account No. 9770.
2. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw a demand thereon in said amount payable to The Silverstein Law Firm Attorney Client Trust Account.
3. APPROVE the payment of the statutory rate of 7% post-judgment interest as applied to the \$490,221.93 total, from the date of judgment until the date of payment.
4. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to prepare Controller instructions reflecting such payment of post-judgment interest, and for any necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer.
5. AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

PRESENTED BY \_\_\_\_\_  
BERNARD C. PARKS  
Councilmember, 8th District

SECONDED BY \_\_\_\_\_  
GREIG SMITH  
Councilmember, 12th District

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