## **MOTION**

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to pay the judgement against the City in the case entitled <u>James Pearl v. City of Los Angeles</u>, Court of Appeal State of California Second Appellate District Nos. B285235 and B286993 and Los Angeles Superior Court No. BC518568 (this matter involves an appeal from a judgment entered after a jury verdict in favor of plaintiff James Pearl), **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR**:

- 1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to expend up to \$14,033,800.65 plus applicable interest in judgement of the above-entitled matter.
- AUTHORIZE the Controller to appropriate \$15,000,000 within Sewer Operations and Maintenance Fund No. 760/50 from available cash balance to Account No. TBD, and further transfer to the Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009794, Public Works, Sanitation Liability Payouts.
- 3. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw a demand from Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009794, Public Works, Sanitation Liability Payouts, as follows: Scolinos, Sheldon and Nevell and James Pearl in the amount of \$14,033,800.65 plus applicable interest.
- 4. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to make necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer; and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

This matter was recommended for approval by the Budget and Finance Committee (Krekorian – Price – Koretz – Blumenfield: "Yes") at its meeting on July 1, 2019, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

PRESENTED BY

PAUL KREKORIAN

Councilmember, 2nd District

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