

ITEM NO. 29

03/04/20 Council – Regular Meeting Agenda
Closed Session

MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to effect settlement in the case entitled Sean Hess v. City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC674274 (this matter arises from a roadway defect at North Beachwood and Temple Hill Drives), **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:**

1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to expend up to **\$115,000** in settlement of the above-entitled matter.
2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to transfer \$115,000 from the Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009798, Miscellaneous Liability Payouts, to Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009795, Public Works, Street Services Liability Payouts.
3. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw a demand from Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009795, Public Works, Street Services Liability Payouts, as follows: Strassburg, Gilmore and Wei, LLP, and Sean Hess in the amount of \$115,000.
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 – Koretz – Blumenfield – Bonin: “Yes”) at its meeting on February 24, 2020, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

PRESENTED BY _____
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Councilmember, 2nd District

SECONDED BY _____
PAUL KORETZ
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