

MOTION

At the City Council meeting held on February 1, 2017, the City Council adopted recommendations of the City Attorney in order to effect settlement in the case entitled Debra Joan Mack v. City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC526211 (Council File No. 16-1455). This matter arises from alleged employment discrimination and/or retaliation at the Building & Safety Department.

As approved by Council, the Office of the City Attorney processed payment out of Fund 100, Department 59, Account 009798 in the amount of \$130,000 payable to Debra Mack and the Law Offices of Vincent W. Davis. However, the amount should have been \$130,872.30, as reflected in the settlement agreement. The \$130,000 check has been released to plaintiffs' party but they are now requesting the additional amount of \$872.30. This would increase the total settlement amount from \$251,048.30 to \$251,920.60.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council action taken February 1, 2017 in Council File No. 16-1455 be amended so that the City Council, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to pay a total of \$251,920.60 in settlement of the above-entitled matter: \$121,048.30 in salary from Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety Salary Account, Fund 100, Appropriation Account 1010; and \$130,872.30 from Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009798, Miscellaneous Liability Payouts;
2. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw two demands thereon as follows:
 - a. \$130,000 made payable to Debra Mack and the Law Offices of Vincent W. Davis;
 - b. \$872.30 made payable to Debra Mack and the Law Offices of Vincent W. Davis;
3. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to prepare Controller instructions for any necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer, and AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

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Seconded by: Mary Matsuz

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