

**MOTION**

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to effect settlement in the case entitled Fire Insurance Exchange v. City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 21CHCV00898. (The complaint in this action alleges dangerous condition of public property and inverse condemnation in connection with a parkway tree falling on the residence located at 15912 San Fernando Mission Boulevard, Granada Hills, California 91344.) **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:**

1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney’s Office to expend up to **\$150,000** in settlement of the above-entitled matter.
2. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to transfer \$150,000 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 the Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009795, Public Works, Street Services Liability Payouts as follows: Stratman, Schwartz & Williams-Abrego Client Trust Account in the amount of \$150,000.
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, Finance and Innovation Committee (Blumenfield – Price – Yaroslavsky – McOsker – Rodriguez: “Yes”) at its special meeting held on June 6, 2023, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

PRESENTED BY \_\_\_\_\_

BOB BLUMENFIELD  
Councilmember, 3rd District

SECONDED BY \_\_\_\_\_

CURREN D. PRICE, JR.  
Councilmember, 9th District