## ORDINANCE 2020-05-21-0339

APPROVING THE SETTLEMENT OF A LAWSUIT STYLED TANYA WALKER V. CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, CAUSE NO. 2018-CI-23121 PENDING IN THE 131st JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$67,500.00

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WHEREAS, an auto accident occurred on January 19, 2017 in the 3400 block of Vance Jackson involving a privately owned vehicle and a City owned vehicle being operated by an employee of the City's Metropolitan Health Department and in which Tanya Walker was a passenger; and

WHEREAS, as a result of this accident, Ms. Walker suffered injuries, incurred medical expenses and is seeking to recover damages; and

**WHEREAS**, although the City of San Antonio has vigorously contested this matter, it is in the City's best interest to settle this matter to avoid the uncertainties and risks associated with further litigation; and

WHEREAS, the parties have reached an agreement to settle the claims of Ms. Walker for the amount of \$67,500.00 payable from the Self-Insurance Liability Fund subject to City Council approval; NOW THEREFORE:

## BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

**SECTION 1.** The amount of \$67,500.00 is authorized to be paid from Fund 75001000, Insurance Reserve Fund, General Ledger 5402530 General Liability Claims, Cost Center 7509020001 Risk Management-Liability, and is authorized to be made payable as follows: \$67,500.00 will be paid to plaintiff Tanya Walker and her attorney of record as settlement of Cause Number 2018-CI-23121 styled Tanya Walker v. City of San Antonio.

**SECTION 2.** The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance, may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 3.** This ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

## PASSED AND APPROVED this 21st day of May, 2020.

M A Y O R Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

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Tina Flores, Acting City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney



## City of San Antonio

City Council May 21, 2020

 Item: 15
 Enactment Number:

 File Number: 20-3261
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Ordinance approving the settlement of a lawsuit styled Tanya Walker vs. City of San Antonio et. al, Cause No. 2018-CI-23121 Bexar County District Court, for an amount up to \$67,500.00 payable from the Self-Insurance Liability Fund. [Andy Segovia, City Attorney]

Councilmember Manny Pelaez made a motion to approve. Councilmember Rebecca Viagran seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following vote:

**Aye:** 11 Nirenberg, Treviño, Andrews-Sullivan, Viagran, Rocha Garcia, Gonzales, Cabello Havrda, Sandoval, Pelaez, Courage and Perry