



TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: April 21, 2015

TITLE: Settlement of Workers' Compensation Claim of Bonnie Handsborough in the amount of \$55,750.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a motion approving the settlement of the workers' compensation claim of Bonnie Handsborough in the amount of \$55,750.

Background

The claimant, Bonnie Handsborough, sustained injuries while in the course and scope of employment with the City, which have been accepted as compensable.

Through negotiations a settlement was reached in the amount of \$55,750. This amount is broken down as follows: (1) the claimant will net \$47,750 plus \$100 for a general release; and (2) the claimant's attorney will receive \$7,675 for fees and \$225 for costs. This settlement includes all future indemnity and medical benefits.

Resource Impact

Funds available as of March 20, 2015			
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	OBJECT CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	PAYMENT AMOUNT
543-INS010101-5125	Self-Insurance Claims	Non-Operating Expenses /Workers' Compensation Claims	\$55,750
PAYMENT TOTAL ►			\$55,750

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative included within the Internal Support Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 12: Be a leading government organization, managing our resources wisely and sustainably.
- Objective 1: Ensure sound fiscal management.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are United*.

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