



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE**  
**City Commission Agenda Memo**  
**REGULAR MEETING**

**#17-0132**

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

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

**DATE:** February 7, 2017

**TITLE:** Motion Authorizing Payment of Environmental Cleaning Costs and  
Settlement of All Potential Liability Claims of Joseph Dragone -  
\$38,025.86

**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve the payment of environmental cleaning costs and the settlement of all potential liability claims of Joseph Dragone in the amount of \$38,025.86.

**Background**

On December 17, 2016, a City sanitary sewer pipe break caused an overflow in the Tarpon River Neighborhood, which affected nearby property owners and required environmental remediation services, including the cleaning of surfaces, removal of debris, excavation of soil, and replacement of landscaping.

Staff, along with an external auditing service, reviewed and approved the payment for vehicle cleaning and remediation services on a 1973 Jaguar V-12 E-Type Roadster, owned by Joseph Dragone, and which was flooded by the aforementioned overflow, in the amount of \$38,025.86.

**Resource Impact**

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$38,025.86.

<i>Funds available as of January 11, 2017</i>			
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	PURCHASE AMOUNT
543-INS010101-5113	Self-Insurance Claims	Non-Operating Expenses /General Liability Claims	\$38,025.86
<b>PURCHASE TOTAL ►</b>			<b>\$38,025.86</b>

**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*.

**Attachment**

Exhibit 1 – Project Scope and Review

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