

CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE City Commission Agenda Memo REGULAR MEETING

- TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
- **FROM**: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager
- **DATE**: June 20, 2017
- TITLE: Motion Authorizing Settlement of General Liability Claim in the Matter of Groenewold v. City of Fort Lauderdale, Case No. CACE 15-021775 (03) \$90,000.00

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve the settlement of the general liability claim in the matter of Gary Groenewold v. City of Fort Lauderdale, Case No. CACE 15-021775 (03) in the amount of \$90,000.00.

Background

The plaintiff, Gary Groenewold, filed a general liability claim and lawsuit against the City resulting from his injury on July 8, 2012.

Through negotiations, a settlement was reached in the amount of \$90,000.00 subject to the approval of the City Commission.

Resource Impact

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$90,000.00.

Funds available as of June 8, 2017			
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	PURCHASE AMOUNT
543-INS010101-5113	Self-Insurance Claims	Non-Operating Expenses /General Liability Claims	\$90,000.00
		PURCHASE TOTAL ►	\$90,000.00

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.

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