



Staff Report

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TO: Mayor and City Council

THROUGH: Steve Powers, City Manager

FROM: Mina Hanssen, Human Resources Director

SUBJECT:

Claim settlement authorization.

Ward(s): All Wards

Councilor(s): All Councilors

Neighborhood(s): All Neighborhoods

ISSUE:

Shall the City Council authorize the City Manager to resolve a lawsuit brought by Richard Leonard in an amount not to exceed \$65,000.

RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the City Manager to resolve a lawsuit brought by Richard Leonard in an amount not to exceed \$65,000.

SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:

The matter of Richard Leonard v. City of Salem is pending before the Marion County Circuit Court. The matter involves a traffic accident involving a City of Salem vehicle and Mr. Leonard who claimed damages as a result of the accident. Through court supervised mediation conducted on March 28, 2018, the City has agreed to resolve all claims associated with the matter for payment of \$65,000.

FACTS AND FINDINGS:

The terms of the settlement constitute a complete release and full satisfaction of all claims related to this matter.

Marcus Pitts
Risk Manager

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Attachments: None.