

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the reward payment in connection with the apprehension and conviction of the perpetrators in connection with the vehicular manslaughter of Iris Elaine Peevy-Davis on November 12, 2016 (DR No. 1603-25161).

Recommendation for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

APPROVE the payment of \$50,000 in connection with the apprehension and conviction of the perpetrators in connection with the vehicular manslaughter of Elaine Peevy-Davis on November 12, 2016 (DR No. 1603-25161).

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Board of Police Commissioners. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On October 27, 2020, your Committee considered a September 15, 2020 Board report relative to reward payment in connection with the apprehension and conviction of the perpetrators in connection with the vehicular manslaughter of Elaine Peevy-Davis on November 12, 2016 (DR No. 1603-25161). According to the Board, it is requesting that the Board approve and transmit to the City Council the recommendation to approve this reward offer to be paid to Claimant in the sum of \$50,000. The Claimant provided information that was vital to the arrest and conviction of the suspect responsible for the Vehicular Manslaughter of Elaine Peevy-Davis. On Wednesday, November 12, 2016, at approximately 0130 hours, a traffic collision occurred on Adams Boulevard and Vineyard Avenue, where a vehicle collided with a pedestrian crossing the street. The driver failed to stop and identify himself or render aid.

South Traffic Detective II Sandra Smith, Serial No. 26171, and Police Officer III+I Beverly Calcote, Serial No. 37469, responded to the crime scene. On Tuesday, November 22, 2016, South Traffic Detectives held a press conference with the family of Iris Elaine Peevy-Davis to announce the reward, and appeal to the public for help. On Monday, November 28, 2016, Detective I Michael Flannery, Serial No. 36629, received a tip from a caller advising that the suspect involved was Zach Labov. The caller also provided a description of the involved vehicle as a two-toned Range Rover, and current. Flannery was able to identify the suspect as Zachary Isaiah Labov. On December 7, 2016, Labov was arrested and confessed to driving at the time of the collision. On January 16, 2018, Zachary Labov was convicted of Hit and Run causing death and sentenced to five years formal probation, and one-year county jail (Case No. LACBA 464320301). After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to recommend payment of the reward. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

<b><u>MEMBER</u></b>	<b><u>VOTE</u></b>
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
O'FARRELL:	YES
BUSCAINO:	ABSENT
RYU:	YES
LEE:	YES

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