

MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to effect settlement in the case entitled John Doe #1 v. City of Los Angeles, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 22STCV17189. (This matter arises from a claim of sexual abuse of a minor between approximately 2002 and 2008 by a City employee.), **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:**

1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney’s Office to expend up to **\$550,000 in Fiscal Year 2026-27**, in settlement of the above-entitled matter.
2. AUTHORIZE the Controller’s Office to transfer **\$550,000 in Fiscal Year 2026-27** from the Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009798, Miscellaneous Liability Payouts, to Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009796, Recreation and Parks Liability Payouts.
3. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw a demand from Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009796, Recreation and Parks Liability Payouts, as follows: McNicholas & McNicholas, LLP Client Trust Account in the amount of **\$550,000 in Fiscal Year 2026-27**:
 - a. **\$550,000** to McNicholas & McNicholas, LLP and Johnathan Chu.
4. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to make necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer; and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

This matter was recommended for approval by the Budget and Finance Committee (Yes: Yaroslavsky, Blumenfield, Hutt, McOsker – 4; No: 0; Absent: Hernandez – 1) at a Special meeting held on April 13, 2026, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

PRESENTED BY _____
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Councilmember, 5th District

SECONDED BY _____
BOB BLUMENFIELD
Councilmember, 3rd District