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October 2, 2024

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Milwaukee
Room 205 – City Hall

Re:

Claim of Laron S. Folley

City Attorney Reference No. 1032-2023-580

Dear Council Members:

Enclosed please find a proposed resolution to approve a settlement for \$50,000 to settle the claims raised by Laron S. Folley in the above-referenced Claim, as well as a fiscal impact statement.

Claimant alleges that, on or about March 6, 2023, at or near the intersection of N. Teutonia Ave. and W. Cornell St. in Milwaukee, a collision occurred between the vehicle in which Mr. Folley was the front seat passenger and the City of Milwaukee vehicle operated by respondent Gregory L. Meyer. His medical bills total nearly \$36,000.

Based on the status of these claims and the investigation conducted, it is the City Attorney's recommendation that the proposed settlement is in the City's best interest. In exchange for the settlement, Mr. Folley will execute a settlement agreement and general release of all claims arising out of his lawsuit.

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We request that this matter be assigned for a hearing in an open session before the Judiciary and Legislation Committee and the Finance and Personnel Committee in order to act.

Very truly yours,

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