

LRB-FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

JUDICIARY AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

ITEM 8, FILE # 031405

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File # 031405 is a substitute resolution to settle the claims of Attorney Laurie A. Eggert, of Eggert Law Office, for the defense of various police officers.

Background

This substitute resolution will authorize the payment of \$32,930.32 to Attorney Laurie A. Eggert, of Eggert Law Office, for the defense of various police officers.

Discussion

The City Attorney has reviewed the invoices for legal services submitted for the defense of the various police officers found innocent or where no criminal charges were filed. The City Attorney has found that the time and charges are reasonable.

Fiscal Impact

1. The total amount of this resolution is \$32,930.32, to be allocated from the 2004 Fire and Police Discipline Special Purpose Account.
2. The current balance in the 2004 Fire and Police Discipline Special Purpose Account is \$70,380. This balance includes the carryover from 2003, \$70,109. Upon approval of this resolution and File # 031635, the 2004 balance of this SPA will be \$34,175.
3. The 2004 budget included \$75,000 for the Fire and Police Discipline Special Purpose Account, reflecting 2002 experience and the projected need for this year.

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