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

Re: Resolution authorizing settlement of the lawsuit entitled *Lovell A. Harris v. City of Milwaukee, et al*, U.S.D.S. Case Number: 07-C-0061

Dear Council Members:

Enclosed is a resolution to approve the settlement agreement in the matter of *Lovell A. Harris v. City of Milwaukee, et al*, currently pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, in Case Number 07-C-0061.

Mr. Harris' suit stems from the events of October 24, 2004, involving Frank L. Jude, Jr. Mr. Harris accompanied Mr. Jude on the night in question and claims his civil rights were violated as a result of the subject events. We have reviewed his complaint, and recommend settlement of all claims raised, including his attorneys' fees and costs, for a total amount of \$150,000. We have enclosed an appropriate resolution and fiscal note for your reference.

The City Attorney requests referral to the Judiciary and Legislation Committee for a meeting in closed session for purposes of conferring with the City Attorney pursuant to §19.85(1)(g), followed by open session for action as part of the regular agenda.

Very truly yours,

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