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Resolution authorizing the City Attorney to make an Offer of Judgment, not to exceed \$160,000, in the matter of *Rafael Rosales v. City of Milwaukee, et al.*.

Rafael Rosales v. City of Milwaukee, et al., United States District Court Case No. 19-C-0128, is pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, and the City Attorney has advised that an Offer of Judgment, pursuant to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 68, and not to exceed \$160,000, would be the most efficacious manner by which to resolve this matter.

Whereas, the City desires to advance an efficacious resolution of this matter;

Whereas, prompt resolution of this lawsuit can result in the avoidance of attorneys' fees and costs spent unnecessarily in litigation,

Whereas, The City Attorney recommends and the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee deems it most appropriate to submit an Offer of Judgment to the plaintiff, Rafael Rosales, to bring this litigation to an end; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the City Attorney may make an Offer of Judgement in this matter, \$160,000, pursuant to Rule 68, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, to pay for all damages and attorney fees and costs.

SEL:cdr May 23, 2019 1032-2019-192/259639