

File No. 250569

Committee Item No. 15

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Prepared by: Monique Crayton

Date: July 11, 2025

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1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Thomas and Eleanor Wehlen - \$530,000]

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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Thomas Wehlen and Eleanor**
4 **Wehlen against the City and County of San Francisco for \$530,000; the lawsuit was**
5 **filed on March 27, 2023, in San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-23-605031;**
6 **entitled Thomas and Eleanor Wehlen v. City and County of San Francisco; the lawsuit**
7 **involves alleged property damage arising from flooding.**

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9 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

10 Section 1. Pursuant to Charter Section 6.102(5), the Board of Supervisors hereby
11 authorizes the City Attorney to settle the action entitled Thomas and Eleanor Wehlen v. City
12 and County of San Francisco, San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-23-605031 by
13 the payment of \$530,000. The lawsuit involves alleged property arising from flooding.

14 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in San Francisco Superior Court on
15 March 27, 2023, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiffs: Thomas and
16 Eleanor Wehlen; Plaintiff/Real Party in Interest: The Standard Fire Insurance Company;
17 Defendant: City and County of San Francisco.

1 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
2 RECOMMENDED:

3 DAVID CHIU
4 City Attorney

5 /s/ Jennifer E. Choi
6 JENNIFER E. CHOI
7 Chief Trial Deputy

8 FUNDS AVAILABLE:

9 /s/ Michelle Allersma for Greg Wagner
10 GREG WAGNER
11 Controller

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RECOMMENDED:

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

/s/
DENNIS HERRERA
General Manager

APPROVED:

/s/
TIFFANY LENNEAR
Secretary, Public Utilities Commission

Member, Board of Supervisors
District 9



City and County of San Francisco

JACKIE FIELDER

DATE:	July 10, 2025
TO:	Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
FROM:	Supervisor Jackie Fielder, Chair, Government Audit and Oversight Committee
RE:	Government Audit and Oversight Committee COMMITTEE REPORTS

Pursuant to Board Rule 4.20, as Chair of Government Audit and Oversight Committee, I have deemed the following matter is of an urgent nature and request that it be considered by the full Board on Tuesday, July 22, 2025, as a Committee Report:

1. File No. 250569 - Settlement of Lawsuit - Thomas and Eleanor Wehlen - \$530,000

This matter will be heard in the Government Audit and Oversight Committee at a Regular Meeting on Thursday, July 17, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jackie Fielder".

Jackie Fielder