

1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Marie Thornton - \$300,000]

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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Marie Thornton against the City**
4 **and County of San Francisco for \$300,000; the lawsuit was filed on March 26, 2021, in**
5 **San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-21-590658; entitled Marie Thornton v. City**
6 **and County of San Francisco; the lawsuit involves alleged personal injury from tripping**
7 **over a fence on City property.**

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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 Marie Thornton v. City and County of
12 San Francisco, San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-21-590658 by the payment of
13 \$300,000. The lawsuit involves alleged personal injury from tripping over a fence on City
14 property.

15 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in San Francisco Superior Court on
16 March 26, 2021, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiff Marie Thornton;
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:

RECREATION & PARK DEPARTMENT

/s/
PHIL GINSBERG
General Manager

APPROVED:

/s/
ASHLEY SUMMERS
Secretary, Recreation & Park Commission