

1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Stantec Consulting Services Inc. - City to Receive \$15,285,000]

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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by the City and County of San**
4 **Francisco against Stantec Consulting Services Inc., and Stantec Architecture Inc., for**
5 **\$15,285,000; the lawsuit was filed on December 12, 2011, in Alameda County Superior**
6 **Court, Case No. RG13679711; entitled City and County of San Francisco v. Stantec**
7 **Consulting Services Inc., et al.**

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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 City and County of San Francisco v.
12 Stantec Consulting Services Inc., et al., Alameda County Superior Court, Case No.
13 RG13679711, by the payment of \$14,000,000 to the City by defendants, and release of all
14 claims by defendants against the City for an unpaid contract balance of \$1,285,000. All
15 parties will execute a mutual release of current claims against one another, excluding a
16 release of defendants' liability for latent defects, and defendants' claims against various third
17 parties subject to defendants' obligation to defend, indemnify, and hold the City harmless for
18 future lawsuits arising from such claims.

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1 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in Alameda County Superior Court on
2 December 12, 2011, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiff City and
3 County of San Francisco, and defendants Stantec Architecture Inc. and Stantec Consulting
4 Services Inc.

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6 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
7 RECOMMENDED:

RECOMMENDED:

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