

1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Vincent Keith Bell - \$500,000]
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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Vincent Keith Bell against the**
4 **City and County of San Francisco for \$500,000; the lawsuit was filed on December 16,**
5 **2013, in United States District Court-Northern District of California, Case No. 13-cv-**
6 **05820; entitled Vincent Keith Bell v. Ken Lee, et al.; the lawsuit involves alleged civil**
7 **rights violation.**

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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 Vincent Keith Bell v. Ken Lee, et al.,
12 United States District Court-Northern District of California, Case No. 13-cv-05820 by the
13 payment of \$500,000. The lawsuit involves an alleged civil rights violation.

14 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in United States District Court-Northern
15 District of California on December 16, 2013, and the following parties were named in the
16 lawsuit: Plaintiff: Vincent Keith Bell; Defendants: City and County of San Francisco, Denny
17 Lee #2131, Christopher Krol #1412, Michael Gatmen #1944, Robin De Los Reyes #2016,
18 Shane Herron #1659.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
RECOMMENDED:

DAVID CHIU
City Attorney

/s/ Jennifer E. Choi
JENNIFER E. CHOI
Chief Trial Deputy

FUNDS AVAILABLE:

/s/ Michelle Allersma for Greg Wagner
GREG WAGNER
Controller

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RECOMMENDED:

SAN FRANCISCO SHERIFF'S OFFICE

/s/
PAUL MIYAMOTO
Sheriff



City and County of San Francisco
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Ordinance

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File Number: 240572

Date Passed: July 09, 2024

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June 20, 2024 Government Audit and Oversight Committee - RECOMMENDED

July 02, 2024 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING

Ayes: 9 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen and Walton

Excused: 1 - Stefani

Absent: 1 - Safai


July 09, 2024 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 10 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai and Walton

Excused: 1 - Stefani

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was **FINALLY PASSED** on 7/9/2024 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board



London N. Breed
Mayor

7/17/24

Date Approved