

1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Sibyl Moore, Charlene Roberts, Antonio Rucker, and Thomas
2 Anderson - \$1,200,000]

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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Sibyl Moore, Charlene Roberts,**
4 **Antonio Rucker, and Thomas Anderson against the City and County of San Francisco**
5 **for \$1,200,000; the lawsuit was filed on June 28, 2019, in San Francisco Superior Court,**
6 **Case No. CGC-19-577141; entitled Sibyl Moore, et al. v. City and County of San**
7 **Francisco, et al.; the lawsuit involves the alleged wrongful death of Ruby Anderson,**
8 **Plaintiffs’ mother, who was a resident of the Residential Care for the Elderly (RCFE)**
9 **located at the San Francisco Behavioral Health Center (BHC).**

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

12 Section 1. Pursuant to Charter Section 6.102(5), the Board of Supervisors hereby
13 authorizes the City Attorney to settle the action entitled Sibyl Moore, et al. v. City and County
14 of San Francisco, et. al.; San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-19-577141 by the
15 payment of \$1,200,000. The lawsuit involves the alleged wrongful death of Ruby Andersen,
16 Plaintiffs’ mother, who was a resident of the Residential Care for the Elderly (RCFE) located
17 at the San Francisco Behavioral Health Center (BHC).

18 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in San Francisco Superior Court on
19 June 28, 2019, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiffs: Sibyl Moore,
20 Charlene Roberts, Antonio Rucker, and Thomas Anderson; Defendants: City and County of
21 San Francisco and Governing Body of the San Francisco Behavioral Health Center
22 (BHC)/Residential Care Facility for the Elderly (RCFE).

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
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RECOMMENDED:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

/s/
DR. GRANT COLFAX
Director of Health

APPROVED:

/s/
MARK MOREWITZ
Secretary, Public Health Commission