

1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Maurice Caldwell - \$8,000,000]

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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Maurice Caldwell against the**  
4 **City and County of San Francisco for \$8,000,000; the lawsuit was filed on**  
5 **April 16, 2012, in United States District Court, Case No. 12-cv-1892 DMR; entitled**  
6 **Maurice Caldwell v. City and County of San Francisco, et al.; the lawsuit alleges**  
7 **fabrication of evidence in violation of the Fourteenth Amendment.**

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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 Maurice Caldwell v. City and County of  
12 San Francisco, et al., United States District Court, Case No. 12-cv-1892 DMR, by the  
13 payment of \$8,000,000. The lawsuit alleges fabrication of evidence in violation of the  
14 Fourteenth Amendment.

15 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in United States District Court on  
16 April 16, 2012, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: plaintiff: Maurice  
17 Caldwell; defendants: City and County of San Francisco and Kitt Crenshaw.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
RECOMMENDED:

DENNIS J. HERRERA  
City Attorney

/s/ Meredith Osborn  
MEREDITH OSBORN  
Chief Trial Deputy

FUNDS AVAILABLE:

/s/ Ben Rosenfield  
BEN ROSENFELD  
Controller

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RECOMMENDED:

SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT

/s/  
WILLIAM SCOTT  
Chief

APPROVED:

Sergeant Stacy Youngblood,  
Secretary, Police Commission