

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING SETTLEMENT IN THE CLAIM OF CASSANDRA WOOTEN VS. CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, CLAIM NO. 000160-005753-WC-01; AUTHORIZING GALLAGHER BASSETT TO MAKE PAYMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60,000 AS COMPLETE SETTLEMENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Cassandra Wooten sustained injuries when she slipped and fell on an unknown substance on the floor while at work on June 23, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wooten filed a claim against the City on June 27, 2005, after treatment; and

WHEREAS, Counsel for Ms. Wooten has negotiated with counsel for the City, Risk Management, and representatives of Gallagher Bassett, to settle the claim for \$60,000, subject to City Council approval.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:

SECTION 1. That settlement in the matter of *Cassandra Wooten v. City of Riviera Beach, FL, Claim No. 000160-005753-WC-01* is hereby approved in the total amount of \$60,000, which includes attorney's fees and costs.

SECTION 2. That Gallagher Bassett Services, Inc., is authorized to make payment on behalf of the City, after receiving appropriate releases from Ms. Wooten.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the City Council.

PASSED and APPROVED this _____ day of May, 2019.

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