

ORDINANCE 2022-05-12-0338

APPROVING THE SETTLEMENT OF LITIGATION STYLED *RUBY PINA V. CITY OF SAN ANTONIO*; CAUSE NO. 2020-CV-00021 IN A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$55,000.00.

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WHEREAS, an auto accident occurred on January 24, 2018 on San Pedro Avenue involving a City owned vehicle operated by an employee of the San Antonio Police Department and a vehicle driven by Plaintiff Ruby Pina; and

WHEREAS, as a result of this accident, Ruby Pina alleges she suffered injuries and incurred medical expenses and has filed suit seeking to recover damages; and

WHEREAS, although the City of San Antonio has vigorously contested this matter, it is in the City's best interest to settle this matter to avoid the uncertainties and risks associated with further litigation; and

WHEREAS, the parties have reached an agreement to settle the claim of Ruby Pina in the amount of \$55,000 payable from the Self-Insurance Liability Fund subject to City Council approval; **NOW THEREFORE:**

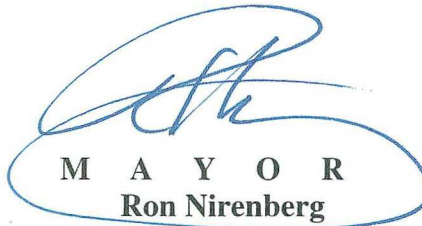
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The amount of \$55,000.00 is authorized to be paid from Fund 75001000, Insurance Reserve Fund, General Ledger 5402530 General Liability Claims, Cost Center 7509020001 Risk Management-Liability, and is authorized to be made payable as follows: \$55,000.00 will be paid to plaintiff Ruby Pina and Desi Martinez of Martinez and Associates, PLLC as her attorney of record as settlement of Cause Number 2020-CV-00021 styled *Ruby Pina v. City of San Antonio*.

SECTION 2. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance, may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. This ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of May, 2022.



M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:



Debbie Racca-Sittre, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Andrew Segovia, City Attorney



City of San Antonio

City Council Meeting May 12, 2022

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Ordinance approving the settlement of a lawsuit styled Ruby Pina v. City of San Antonio, Cause Number 2020CV00021 pending in Bexar County District Court, in an amount of \$55,000.00.
[Andy Segovia, City Attorney]

Councilmember Courage moved to Approve on the Consent Agenda. Councilmember Castillo seconded the motion. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Nirenberg, Bravo, McKeeRodriguez,
Viagran, Rocha Garcia, Castillo, Cabello
Havrda, Sandoval, Pelaez, Courage

Absent: Perry