(R-2012-410)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307359

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE APR 23 2012

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO EXTEND CONTRACT WITH LAW FIRM OF SULLIVAN HILL LEWIN REZ & ENGEL TO DEFEND TWO LAWSUITS, BOTH ENTITLED JANET WOOD V CITY OF SAN DIEGO

WHERE AS, the City Attorney has retained Sullivan Hill Lewin Rez & Engel as the sole source provider for legal services pertaining to two lawsuits: 1) *Janet Wood v. City of San Diego*, United States District Court Case No. 03 CV01910-MMA-WMC and 2) *Janet Wood v. City of San Diego*, San Diego Superior Court Case No. 37-2010-00105217-CU-CR-CTL; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego that the Mayor or his designee be authorized to expend an additional \$350,000 for law offices of Sullivan Hill Lewin Rez & Engel to provide legal services, including costs incurred, defending and prosecuting demurrers and motions for summary judgment and, depending upon results, trial and/or appeal in the cases of: 1) *Janet Wood v. City of San Diego*, United States District Court Case No. 03 CV01910-MMA-WMC and 2) *Janet Wood v. City of San Diego*, San Diego Superior Court Case No. 37-2010-00105217-CU-CR-CTL.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer is authorized to appropriate and expend an amount not to exceed \$350,000 from the Public Liability Fund No. 720045, contingent upon the Chief Financial Officer first furnishing one or more certificates certifying that the funds necessary for expenditure are, or will be, on deposit with the City Treasurer.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

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Voe B. Cordileone

Chief Deputy City Attorney

JBC:slc 2/15/12 Or.Dept:City Attorney R-2012-410

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of __APR 1 0 2012___.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 4 · 23 · 12

(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed:

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor