

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307958

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JAN 23 2013

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO RETAIN HAIGHT, BROWN & BONESTEEL LLP FOR LEGAL SERVICES IN CONNECTION WITH *BRACEWELL V. CITY OF SAN DIEGO, ET AL.* (USDC 12-cv-1266 WQH (JMA)), AND RELATED CASES, FOR THE DEFENSE OF FORMER SAN DIEGO POLICE OFFICER ANTHONY AREVALOS

WHEREAS, former San Diego Police Officer Anthony Arevalos has been sued in the following cases: *Bracewell v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12-cv-1266 WQH (JMA)); *Doe v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 3:12-cv-00689-MMA (DHB)); *Fisher v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12-cv-1268 LAB (NLS)); *Marin v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12cv1264 JLS (BGS)); *Emma M. v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12cv01375-W-JMA)); *Montazemi v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12-cv-1267 CAB (JMA)); *Roe v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12cv0243 W (WVG)); *Steele v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 3:12cv01012 DMS (WMC)); *Thompson v. City of San Diego, et al.* (SDSC 37-2012-00092995-CU-CR-CTL)); *Tortora/White v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12cv1265 MMA (WMC)); *Wilde v. City of San Diego, et al.* (USDC 12cv1262 DMS (BGS)); and *Wong v. City of San Diego, et al.* (SDSC 37-2012-00096388-CU-PO-CTL)) for various state and federal law claims;

WHEREAS, the City Council in closed session on June 12, 2012, authorized the City Attorney's office to bring to Open Session a legal services agreement between the City of San Diego and Haight Brown & Bonesteel LLP in connection with the defense of the civil litigation against Mr. Arevalos for an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 in legal fees and costs;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer is authorized and empowered to execute, for and on behalf of the City, an agreement with Haight, Brown &

Bonesteel LLP for the purposes of the defense of the civil litigation against Mr. Arevalos, for an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 from the Public Liability Fund 720045, solely and exclusively for the purpose of providing funds for the above-described legal services and litigation expenses.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer is authorized and empowered to appropriate up to \$250,000.00 from the Public Liability Fund to meet this obligation.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

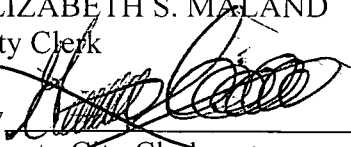
By 

Christina M. Milligan
Deputy City Attorney

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of JAN 8 2013

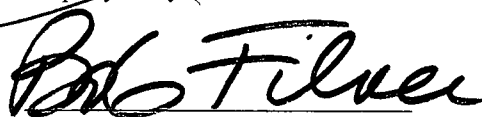
ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 

Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 1/23/13

(date)



BOB FILNER, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

BOB FILNER, Mayor