



City of Hallandale Beach City Commission Agenda Cover Memo

Meeting Date:	Item Type:		1 st Reading	2 nd Reading
3/4/2026	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Ordinance Reading	N/A	N/A
		Public Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Advertising Required	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Quasi Judicial:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
File No.:				
pending				
Fiscal Impact (\$):	Account Balance (\$):	Funding Source:	Project Number :	
\$50,000	\$	Enter Account	N/A	
Contract/P.O. Required	RFP/RFQ/Bid Number:	Sponsor Name:	Department:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	N/A	Jennifer Merino City Attorney	Office of the City Attorney	
Strategic Plan Focus Areas:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Finance & Budget		<input type="checkbox"/> Organizational Capacity		<input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure/Projects
Implementation Timeline:				
Estimated Start Date: 3/4/2026 Estimated End 03/04/2026				

SHORT TITLE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING SETTLEMENT PAYMENT TO REYNALDO MAYOR AND LINDA PANZARELLA FOR PERSONAL INJURIES RESULTING FROM A MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT IN EXCHANGE FOR A RELEASE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

STAFF SUMMARY:

Reynaldo Mayor and Linda Pazarella were involved in a motor vehicle accident with a City vehicle and subsequently filed suit.

The parties have reached a potential settlement which is being recommended for approval by the City Attorney and City Manager. The proposed settlement would require the City to pay \$50,000 to Reynaldo Mayor and Linda Pazarella, inclusive of attorney's fees and costs, in exchange for a release of claims, and this action would be dismissed as a result.

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY:

Pursuant to Section 24-3(d), of the City of Hallandale Beach, Code of Ordinances, proposed settlements in excess of \$20,000.00 shall be submitted to the city commission for its decision. This settlement exceeds the authority amount given to the City Manager, and City Attorney to settle claims, which require City Commission for approval.

Cost Benefit:

The Commission must weigh the probability of potential trial costs and Plaintiff attorney fees as compared to the proposed settlement amount.

PROPOSED ACTION:

Consideration and approval of the attached Resolution.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Exhibit 1- Resolution