

**STATEMENT OF BUDGET IMPACT**  
**(Policy Number 94-45)**  
**Budgetary Review of Proposed Resolution &**  
**Ordinances with Financial Implication.**

**Date:** April 19, 2018

**File:** BIS 18 – 162

**File:** TMP-2018-216

**Proposed Legislation:**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE PAYMENT OF FEES, PURSUANT TO THE CURRENT CONTRACT FOR CONSULTING/PROFESSIONAL SERVICES WITH THE LAW OFFICES OF PAUL T. RYDER, JR., P.A., (THE "LAW FIRM"), FOR LEGAL SERVICES FOR FY 2018 IN A TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$125,000.00.

**Statement of Budget Impact:**

1.  No Budget Impact associated with this action;
2.  Sufficient budgetary resources identified/available;
3.  Budgetary resources not identified/unavailable;
4.  Potential Revenue is possible with this action;
5.  Will not increase the cost of Housing;
6.  May increase the cost of Housing; (CDAB review required)

**Explanation:**

This Resolution seeks the approval and authorization for the appropriate City Officials to pay to the Law Offices of Paul T. Ryder, Jr., P.A., "Ryder", an amount not to exceed \$125,000 for legal services to be rendered by Ryder for his legal services in various labor and employment matters in FY 2018. The Purchasing Ordinance provides that where professional services are purchased and the estimated annual amount to be paid will exceed \$50,000, the approval of the City Commission is required to authorize and approve payments. Previously, pursuant to Resolution R-2017-300 adopted and approved by the City Commission on October 18, 2017, Ryder was approved for an amount not to exceed \$75,000 for FY 2018. Funding will be made available in account #01.0104.00000.514.003126 for the revised, anticipated costs of the legal services to be rendered in FY 2018.

**PREPARED AND APPROVED BY:**

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