

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

**Date:** October 18, 2018

BIS 19-018

**FILE:** TMP-2018-644

**Proposed Legislation:**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO CONSENT TO THE ASSIGNMENT OF THE FY 2018 AGREEMENT WITH THE LAW OFFICES OF PAUL T. RYDER, JR., P.A. TO WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN COLE & BIERMAN, P.L. ("WEISS SEROTA"); AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE THE ATTACHED CONTRACT FOR CONSULTING/PROFESSIONAL SERVICES WITH WEISS SEROTA FOR LEGAL SERVICES FOR FY 2019 IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$75,000.00.

**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 of the assignment of the FY 2018 agreement with the Law Offices of Paul T. Ryder, Jr., P.A. to Weiss Serota and enters into a contract for FY 2019 with Weiss Serota for labor and employment matters.

Resolution No. R-2017-300 and R-2018-124 approved the agreement with the Law Offices of Paul T. Ryder, Jr., P.A. for legal services in various labor and employment matters for FY 2018. On September 10, 2018, the Law Offices of Paul T. Ryder, Jr., P.A. merged into Weiss Serota. With the understanding that the primary attorneys for all services for labor and employment law will remain Paul T. Ryder, Jr., PA; Weiss Serota

has requested that the City consent to the assignment of the Ryder Agreement to Weiss Serota.

The City Attorney estimates that the cost of the FY 2019 agreement with Weiss Serota will not exceed \$75,000.00. Funding is available in the FY 2019 Adopted Operating Budget account number 01.0104.00000.514.003126.

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