

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

Date: March 13, 2018

BIS 18-127

FILE: TMP-2018-129

Proposed Legislation:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, CONSIDERING SETTLEMENT OF THE CASE OF "HURWIT V. CITY" IN VIEW OF VERDICT IN FAVOR OF CITY AND CITY'S ENTITLEMENT TO RECOVER ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COURT COSTS.

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 approval of a settlement of a civil action filed by Alyse Hurwit arising out of an automobile accident caused by the alleged negligence of a police officer. The case was tried in August 2017 and the jury returned a verdict in favor of the City.

The City is entitled to recover attorney's fees in the amount of \$52,517.50 and court costs in the amount of \$33,288; but would be willing to settle for only court costs. Ms. Hurwit has offered to settle for \$10,000.

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