


# RESOLUTION

No. 22-187

Date of Adoption MAY 05 2022

Approved as to Form and Legality

Factual content certified by

  
Wesley Bridges, City Attorney

  
Adam E. Cruz, Business Administrator

Councilman/woman Sonya A. Wilkins presents the following Resolution:

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SETTLEMENT OF A WORKER'S COMPENSATION CLAIM IN THE MATTER OF JESUS PEREZ vs. THE CITY OF TRENTON, CLAIM PETITION NUMBER 2019-27486 IN THE CLAIM AMOUNT OF \$7,090.00 INCLUDING COURT REPORTER FEES**

**WHEREAS**, Jesus Perez, commenced the above Workers Compensation claim against the City of Trenton in Workers Compensation Court of New Jersey, Mercer County; and

**WHEREAS**, the complaint arose from allegations made by the plaintiff of work-related injuries as it purportedly relates to their employment; and

**WHEREAS**, said action has been reviewed and assessed by the City's Workers Compensation Attorney, Khalifah L. Shabazz-Charles, Esq., and the Workers Compensation Attorney is of the opinion that it is in the best interest of the City of Trenton to settle the case in the total amount of \$7,090.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that sufficient funds are available in the Workers Compensation Self-Insurance Fund, Account Number 2-01- -80-8030-688 for this purpose.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Trenton that said action Jesus Perez vs. City of Trenton, is disposed of by way of settlement in the total amount of \$7,090.00, including court reporter fees with the stipulation of settlement executed by the parties.

|          | Aye | Nay | Abstain | Absent |           | Aye | Nay | Abstain | Absent |         | Aye | Nay | Abstain | Absent |
|----------|-----|-----|---------|--------|-----------|-----|-----|---------|--------|---------|-----|-----|---------|--------|
| CALDWELL | ✓   |     |         |        | RODRIGUEZ | ✓   |     |         |        | MCBRIDE | ✓   |     |         |        |
| WILSON   | ✓   |     |         |        | VAUGHN    | ✓   |     |         |        |         |     |     |         |        |
| HARRISON | ✓   |     |         |        | WILKINS   | ✓   |     |         |        |         |     |     |         |        |
| MUSCHAL  | ✓   |     |         |        |           |     |     |         |        |         |     |     |         |        |

This Resolution was adopted at a Meeting of the City Council of the City of Trenton on MAY 05 2022

  
Kathryn McBride  
President of Council

  
Penelope S. Edwards-Carter  
City Clerk

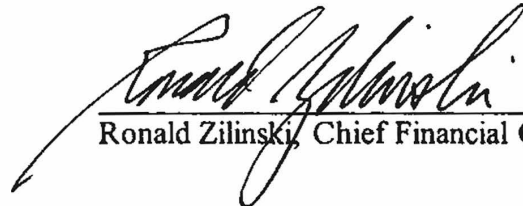
**Penelope S. Edwards-Carter**  
Assistant Municipal Clerk

**CITY OF TRENTON  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE**

**CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

I, Ronald Zilinski, Chief Financial Officer of the City of Trenton, do hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge and belief that there now exists adequate funds to award the settlement in the matter of Jesus Perez vs. the City of Trenton, et al bearing Claim Petition Number 2019-27486 in the amount of \$7,090.00. Such funds for said settlement aware are available in the Workers Compensation Self-Insurance Fund, Account Number 2-01- -80-8030-688.

Dated: 4/28/22

  
Ronald Zilinski, Chief Financial Officer *ln 4/26/22*