

AN ORDINANCE 2011-03-31-0254

AUTHORIZING A SETTLEMENT IN THE LAWSUIT STYLED *RACHEL O'DONNELL V. CITY OF SAN ANTONIO*, IN THE 224TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS, CAUSE NO. 2008-CI-18315, FOR THE AMOUNT OF \$155,000.00.

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WHEREAS, on April 16, 2008, Rachel O'Donnell's employment with the City of San Antonio was terminated; and

WHEREAS, she subsequently filed suit claiming sexual discrimination and retaliation; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Antonio has vigorously contested any wrongdoing in this matter; however, it is in the best interest of the City to settle this matter to avoid the uncertainty and risks associated with further litigation; and

WHEREAS, the parties reached a settlement agreement for the amount of \$155,000.00, contingent upon City Council approval; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The amount of \$155,000.00 is authorized to be paid from Fund 75001000, Insurance Reserve Fund, General Ledger 5402530 General Liability Claims, Cost Center 1009020001 Risk Management-Liability, and is authorized to be made payable as settlement in the 224th Judicial District Court, Bexar County, Texas Cause No. 2008-CI-18315 styled *Rachel O'Donnell, et al v. City of San Antonio*.

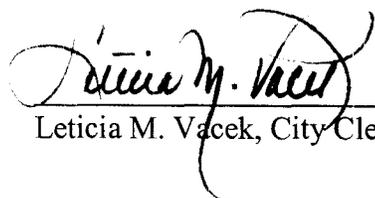
SECTION 2: The financial allocations in this ordinance are subject to approval by the Chief Financial Officer (CFO), City of San Antonio. The CFO, may subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific accounts, cost centers, or fund numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be effective on the tenth (10th) day after passage hereof.

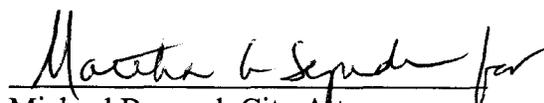
PASSED and APPROVED this 31st day of March, 2011.


M A Y O R
Julián Castro

ATTEST:


Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

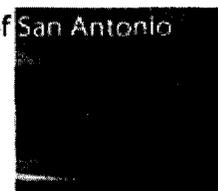
APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Michael Bernard, City Attorney



Request for
COUNCIL
ACTION

City of San Antonio



Agenda Voting Results - 41

Name:	6, 7A, 7B, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29A, 29B, 29C, 29D, 29E, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42						
Date:	03/31/2011						
Time:	02:57:50 PM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	An Ordinance authorizing a settlement in the lawsuit styled Rachel O'Donnel v. City of San Antonio , in the 224th Judicial District Court, Bexar County, Texas, Cause No. 2008-CI-18315, for the amount of \$155,000.00, paid from the Self-Insurance Liability Fund. [Sheryl Sculley, City Manager; Michael Bernard, City Attorney]						
Result:	Passed						
Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Julián Castro	Mayor		x				
Mary Alice P. Cisneros	District 1		x			x	
Ivy R. Taylor	District 2		x				x
Jennifer V. Ramos	District 3	x					
Philip A. Cortez	District 4	x					
David Medina Jr.	District 5		x				
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				
Justin Rodriguez	District 7		x				
W. Reed Williams	District 8		x				
Elisa Chan	District 9		x				
John G. Clamp	District 10		x				