

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION

Resolution authorizing execution of all documents necessary to implement settlement of the claim brought by Rip Johnson in the amount of \$98,518.05.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This Resolution authorizes execution of all documents necessary to implement settlement of the claim brought by Rip Johnson in the amount of \$98,518.05.

RECOMMENDATION

Move to adopt Resolution No. 10238

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS

On August 19, 2022, City of Bellevue Utilities responded to a sewer back-up at the Rip Johnson residence at 907 82nd Ave NE resulting from a full root blockage in the City's mainline. The residence sustained extensive damage to the entry/foyer, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, dining room and adjoining living room with associated costs to include mitigation, restoration and loss of use.

POLICY & FISCAL IMPACTS

Policy Impact

Pursuant to Bellevue City Code 4.36.030, settlement and payment of claims exceeding \$75,000 requires the authorization of City Council.

Fiscal Impact

This Resolution will authorize the execution of all documents necessary for the negotiated settlement of the claim brought by Rip Johnson in the amount of \$98,518.05. Sufficient funds for this claim exist within the City's 2023-2024 General Self-Insurance Fund budget.

OPTIONS

1. Adopt the Resolution authorizing execution of all documents necessary to implement settlement of the claim brought by Rip Johnson in the amount of \$98,518.05.
2. Do not adopt the Resolution and provide alternative direction to staff.

ATTACHMENTS

Proposed Resolution No. 10238

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N/A