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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2018

- _____ A. **2:30 P.M. – CLOSED SESSION – RE:** At the request of T. Joseph Seward of Seward Henderson PLLC regarding trial or settlement strategy in the following lawsuit: *Davontae Sanford v. City of Detroit*, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan Case No. 17-cv-13062 as an open meeting would have detrimental financial effect on the litigating or settlement position of the public body. Attorneys from the Legislative Policy Division. **(City of Detroit Law Department and City Council Legislative Policy Division)**
- _____ B. **3:00 P.M. – CLOSED SESSION – RE:** At the request of Lt. Michael Russell to consider the dismissal, suspension, or disciplining of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, or to consider a periodic personnel evaluation of, a public officer, employee, staff member, or individual agent. Both the Law Department and Detroit Police Department have recommended approval of the request for representation and indemnification of Lt. Michael Russell in the matter of *Davontae Sanford v. City of Detroit*, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan Case No. 17-cv-13062. The request for representation and indemnification will be discussed with Law Department attorneys, T. Joseph Seward of Seward Henderson PLLC, representatives from the Detroit Police Department, Lt. Russell and his counsel, representatives of the Detroit Police Lieutenants and Sergeants Association, as well as attorneys from the Legislative Policy Division. **(City of Detroit Law Department and City Council Legislative Policy Division)**
- _____ C. **3:30 P.M. – CLOSED SESSION – RE:** At the request of DC James Tolbert to consider the dismissal, suspension, or disciplining of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, or to consider a periodic personnel evaluation of, a public officer, employee, staff member, or individual agent. Both the Law Department and Detroit Police Department have recommended approval of the request for representation and indemnification of retired DC James Tolbert in the matter of *Davontae Sanford v. City of Detroit*, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan Case No. 17-cv-13062. The request for representation and indemnification will be discussed with Law Department attorneys, T. Joseph Seward of Seward Henderson PLLC, representatives from the Detroit Police Department, Ret. DC James Tolbert and his counsel, representatives of the Detroit Police Lieutenants and Sergeants Association, as well as attorneys from the Legislative Policy Division. **(City of Detroit Law Department and City Council Legislative Policy Division)**

