

Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

This resolution authorizes the Metropolitan Department of Law to compromise and settle the personal injury claim of Ivan Ewing against Metro for the amount of \$5,800 to be paid out of the self-insured liability fund. On May 10, 2019, 16 month-old Ivan was a passenger in a vehicle driven by his mother, Heather Sherer. Ms. Sherer had stopped at a stop sign at the intersection of 3rd Avenue South and Ash Street. Ms. Sherer started forward then stopped again to ask directions from a construction worker. A MNPDP patrol car was behind Ms. Sherer. The officer did not realize Ms. Sherer had stopped again and struck the rear of her vehicle. Ivan was transported to Vanderbilt for diagnostic testing, which did not show any injuries. The medical bills total \$5,537.

The Department of Law recommends settling this claim for \$5,800 since the officer was clearly at fault. The officer received disciplinary action consisting of a written reprimand.

Fiscal Note: This \$5,800 settlement, along with the settlement per Resolution No. RS2020-550, would be the 13th and 14th payments from the Self-Insured Liability Fund in FY21 for a cumulative total of \$1,005,585. The fund balance would be \$2,532,065 after these payments.