

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-79

Introduced by Mayor Sam Artino

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY COUNCIL TO ENTER INTO A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT IN THE CASE OF *STACY CHUBAK HINNERS, ET AL., V. CITY OF HURON, ET AL., ERIE COUNTY COMMON PLEAS COURT CASE NO. 2019 CV 0275*

WHEREAS, Stacy Chubak Hinnners and Jason Hinnners (“Respondents”) filed a lawsuit against the City of Huron and members of City Council (“City”) claiming Respondents City of Huron and its Councilmembers violated Ohio’s Open Meetings Act, O.R.C. 121.22, on or about January 9, 2018 through on or about December 11, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Respondents and the City have reached an agreement to settle and resolve the pending lawsuit; and

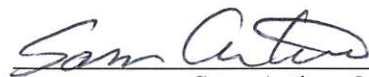
WHEREAS, this Council believes that it is in the best interest of the City and its residents to enter into a Settlement Agreement to fully settle and resolve the pending lawsuit.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HURON, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager and City Council are hereby authorized to enter into a Settlement Agreement in the case of *Stacy Chubak Hinnners, et al. v. City of Huron, et al.*, Erie County Common Pleas Court case number 2019 CV 0275, before the Erie County Court of Common Pleas, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

SECTION 2: This Council hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of its committees, if any, which resulted in formal action, were taken in meetings open to the public in full compliance with applicable legal requirements, including O.R.C. §121.22 of the Revised Code.

SECTION 3: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after its adoption.



Sam Artino, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Clerk of Council

ADOPTED: 14 JAN 2020