

**A RESOLUTION**

**NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF ATTORNEY FEES TO THE ROBBINS FIRM (ATLANTA, GA), IN REFERENCE TO A SHERIFF’S INVESTIGATION.**

**WHEREAS**, the firm provided legal services to the Human Resources Director regarding a Sheriff’s Office investigation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

That the City Attorney is hereby authorized to request and the Finance Department is authorized to render payment of attorney fees to the Robbins Firm (Atlanta, GA) in the amount of \$37,705 for the provision of legal services for the Human Resources Director in connection with a recent Sheriff’s Office Investigation. In addition, the Finance Department is authorized to issue a check in the amount of \$5,000 to Reather Hollowell as reimbursement for payments already paid to the Robbins Law Firm by Ms. Hollowell personally Funds are available in the FY26 Budget: General Fund – City Attorney – Litigation: 0101-120-2100.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the 17th day of June 2025 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of \_\_\_\_\_ members of said Council.

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| Councilor Allen    | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Anker    | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Chambers | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Cogle    | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Crabb    | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Davis    | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Garrett  | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Huff     | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Hickey   | voting | _____ |
| Councilor Tucker   | voting | _____ |

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Lindsey G. McLemore, Clerk of Council

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B.H. “Skip” Henderson III, Mayor