



Town of Lake Park Town Commission

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date: March 19, 2025

Originating Department: Human Resources

Agenda Title: Ratification of Insurance Settlement – Preferred Governmental Claims Solutions (Kelly)

Agenda Category: **CONSENT**

Approved by Town Manager: _____ **Date:** _____

Cost of Item: \$25,000.00 **Funding Source:** Insurance Fund

Account Number: 150-49500 **Finance Signature:** Barbara A. Gould Interim Finance Director

Advertised:

Date: N/A **Newspaper:** _____

Attachments: Copy of Release

Please initial one:

BMT Yes I have notified everyone

_____ Not applicable in this case

Summary Explanation/Background:

On September 25, 2019, Ms. Sandra Kelly tripped and fell on a sidewalk located within the Town's rights-of-way.

While the Town has denied any and all liability and/or wrongful acts and denies that Ms. Kelly maintained a valid claim and/or potential claim against the Town, the Town's previous property and casualty insurance company, Preferred Governmental Claims Solutions, has recommended a proposed settlement in the amount of \$60,000.

Note: The Town carries a \$25,000 deductible that, if approved, would be applied to the settlement amount.

The proposed settlement agreement was prepared by Preferred Government Claims Solutions and agreed to by Ms. Kelly. Additionally, the proposed agreement was reviewed by the Assistant Town Manager/HR

Director.

Recommended Motion:

I move to ratify the proposed settlement amount of \$60,000 and payment of a \$25,000 deductible to the Preferred Governmental Claims Solutions.