



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE: April 21, 2015

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM: City Attorney's Office

SUBJECT: Authorize Payment Of Phase 2 Attorney Fees To The Firm Of Cappello & Noël, LLP, Relating To *Banales, et al., v. City of Santa Barbara*

RECOMMENDATION:

That Council authorize the payment of additional attorney fees in the amount of \$78,088 to the law firm of Cappello & Noël, LLP, for completion of Phase 2 of the case relating to *Banales, et al., v. City of Santa Barbara*.

DISCUSSION:

The City Attorney has reviewed the invoices and approved the charges as justified pursuant to the Settlement Agreement.

The City Attorney's Office budget has sufficient appropriations to cover the final costs from previous authority approved by Council on this case.

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