

SETTLEMENT TIMELINE

(September 11, 2007)

Wayne County Jury awards Gary Brown and Harold Nelthrope \$6.5M
Mayor Kilpatrick plans to appeal decision made by Wayne County Jury to award Brown and Nelthrope \$6.5M

(September 13, 2007)

"At least four of Detroit's nine council members said they don't want the mayor to appeal the verdict."

...*Detroit News*

(September 14, 2007)

"The judge and the jury have decided," Reeves said. "I don't want to spend another dime."

...*Detroit News*

(September 14, 2007)

Council President Kenneth Cockrel Jr. says he's "leaning heavily" toward opposing an appeal. "If the odds of winning are not good, what's the point of going ahead," Cockrel said.

...*Detroit News*

(September 19, 2007)

City Council closed door session regarding the proposed appeal.. All attorneys were present. Every Council member urged the attorneys to settle the case.

(September 19, 2007)

Before any checks are written, the City Council must approve the deals. Council President Pro Tem Monica Conyers said she expect her colleagues to do so in a couple of weeks. "I'm happy that they're settling. It stops the bleeding of the city of Detroit. We can move on to something else," she said.

...*Detroit Free Press*

(September 19, 2007)

Councilwoman Martha Reeves said she exhaled with relief. "I'm saying 'Thank God'" she said. "I was just so glad they could come to terms so we could get this behind us."

...*Detroit Free Press*)

(September 19, 2007)

"As tough as this is, we need to settle this and get it behind us," said Councilwoman Sheila Cockrel, who said she plans to approve the settlements. "This is a distraction."

...*Detroit News*)

(September 20, 2007)

“Councilwoman Martha Reeves...said last week the Mayor shouldn’t appeal”
...*Detroit News*)

(October 17, 2007)

Court-Ordered facilitation held. Tentative-Provisional Settlement Agreement drafted. There was several conditions precedent that needed to be met before it would be final.

(October 18, 2007)

Mayor Kilpatrick announces negotiations have concluded for the cost of interest and attorney fees for the \$6.5M verdict awarded by the Wayne County Jury as well as the settlement of the Harris case.

Also, Valerie Colbert-Osamuede appears before the Council’s Internal Operations Committee to present the settlement recommendation, which includes all of the terms that appear in the final settlement agreement. No objections were raised by any Council member.

(October 23, 2007)

City Council approves \$8M settlement Nelthrope/Brown, which includes payment of attorney fees to Stefani. City Council also approved \$400,000 settlement of Harris case.

(October 27, 2007)

Mayor rejects the Tentative Agreement.

(October 29, 2007)

Law Department goes to clerk's office to get copy of J.C.C: Resolution of Council needed to begin check process.

(October 30 – November 2, 2007)

Began processing supplier applications for all plaintiffs. Told by Risk Mgmt that Police Payroll must pay wages. Contact made with Police Payroll to initiate payment to Plaintiffs of wages. Law Dept, during this time, awaiting allocation of proceeds breakdown from Stefani

(November 1, 2007)

Brown, Nelthrope and Harris sign Settlement Agreement and General Release.

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Mayor Kilpatrick issues written approval of City Council vote to settle with Nelthrope/Brown/Harris for total of \$8.4M. At this point, case is settled and the settlement is enforceable by all parties.

(November 5, 2007)

Stefani faxes allocation for plaintiffs and his attorney fees.

(November 12, 2007)

Discussions are held with Police payroll to pay wages

(November 13, 2007)

City of Detroit Law Department requests check for Stefani from the City's Finance Department.

(November 14, 2007)

Supplier applications prepared and signed for all plaintiffs. Sent to Finance.

(November 16, 2007)

Stefani receives check

(November 20, 2007)

Finance returns supplier applications for some minor changes.

(November 21, 2007)

Finance accepts applications.

(November 28, 2007)

City of Detroit Law Department requests settlement checks for Brown, Nelthrope, and Harris from City's Finance Department.

(November 30, 2007)

Checks are mailed.

(December 3, 2007)

Settlement checks for Brown Nelthrope, and Harris clear the City's account.
VC-O speaks with Roger Short regarding wage checks. Agreed that Risk Mgt., not DPD, should pay.

(December 4, 2007)

Plaintiffs' wage loss checks ready.

(December 5, 2007)

Confidentiality Agreement signed.