

RESOLUTION NO. 27404

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE TO RETAIN SEPARATE LAW FIRMS AND TO RETAIN EXPERT WITNESSES TO ASSIST IN THE DEFENSE OF INDIVIDUAL POLICE OFFICERS WHO HAVE BEEN SUED IN THE LAWSUIT ENTITLED, "TATUM V. CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, ET AL", DUE TO MULTIPLE POLICE OFFICERS BEING SUED WHICH ARE DETERMINED TO BE NECESSARY IN THE OPINION OF THE CITY ATTORNEY.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That the City Attorney be and is hereby authorized to retain separate law firms and to retain expert witnesses to assist in the defense of individual police officers who have been sued in the lawsuit entitled, "*Tatum v. City of Chattanooga, et al*", due to multiple police officers being sued which are determined to be necessary in the opinion of the City Attorney.

ADOPTED: January 29, 2013

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