City of Saint Paul Financial Analysis

File ID Number:	RES 26-423
Budget Affected:	Operating Budget
Total Amount of Transaction:	
Funding Source:	Other
Charter Citation:	Administrative Code 3.02

Fiscal Analysis

WHEREAS, Section 5.02 of the Charter of the City of Saint Paul provides that in any cas assist in providing for the legal business of the City; and

WHEREAS, due to a potential conflict within the Saint Paul City Attorney's Office, the (necessary for the effective defense of the civil lawsuit asserted against the City; and

WHEREAS, Council Member Johnson will be subject to discovery during the course of t and

WHEREAS, the provision of legal advice, counsel and representation in civil employmer firm of Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani is uniquely qualified in terms of expertise, expe

WHEREAS, the City Attorney seeks City Council approval for the appointment of the la representation to Council Member Cheniqua Johnson in the above-captioned lawsuit.

City Attorney's Office	General Fund

Please Specify:
Special Counsel: 10017400-63120

se of special or unusual circumstances, the City Council, upon the request of the City Attorney

City Attorney's Office seeks to provide the City of Saint Paul, Council Member Cheniqua Joh

the litigation and as a Council Member of the City under these unique circumstances, is entitle

nt and defamation lawsuits involving municipal liability requires very specialized and technica
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