



Date: June 28, 1990
To: Jonesboro City Council
From: Mayor Hubert Brodell
Subject: James Dunigan vs. City of Jonesboro

The Judge has awarded Mr. Dunigan's attorney in excess of \$11,000.00 on his original trial and \$4980.00 on the appeal.

I have been informed by Mr. Bill Bristow that Mr. Dunigan's attorney will settle for \$15,000.00 attorney fees. The court has agreed that we will have to pay it. I would like to ask the city council to approve the payment of this to Mr. Dunigan's attorneys as per the court order and an additional \$5,000.00 to Mr. Bill Bristow who represented the City of Jonesboro in this case.

I have talked to our insurance carrier and have secured the file from Bill Bristow on this file and I am going to carry the file to Little Rock and meet with the insurance people and ask them to take it before the insurance trust to ask if them to consider paying all of the costs or at least a portion of the costs of the attorney fees. I have visited with the people representing the claims people and it is their recommendation that this be done.

There is also a \$100.00 payment we have to pay to Mr. Dunigan.

Mr. Bill Bristow recommends that we make payment to Mr. Dunigan and his attorneys as soon as possible. I hope this will meet with your approval.

HB/saw

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Hubert Brodell". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the typed name "HB/saw".