



City of Reading, Pennsylvania Media Release

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JOINT MEDIA RELEASE ON LAWSUIT SETTLEMENT

Joint Media Statement

Reading, PA - Elizabeth Kraft, the City of Reading, and Mayor Eddie Moran release the following joint statement regarding the settlement of the lawsuit *A. Elizabeth Kraft v. City of Reading and Mayor Eddie Moran*, Civil Action No. 21-543, filed in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania:

Elizabeth Kraft: “Although I believe that I filed my lawsuit in good faith, during the course of the case, it became clear to me that I misunderstood the Mayor’s words and actions. Because it is now clear to me that the sexual harassment claims would not succeed, I have voluntarily withdrawn the claims.”

The City and Mayor Moran: “Although the City and Mayor wanted very much to try this case and vindicate themselves, the City’s insurance carrier made a business decision and forced the City to settle this case in order to save the costs of defense. The settlement proceeds are coming solely from the City’s insurance carrier, and not from taxpayer funds. Moreover, Ms. Kraft has agreed to withdraw all claims she asserted against the Mayor.”

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