

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

In re: City of Detroit, Michigan, Debtor.	Bankruptcy Case No. 13-53846 Judge Thomas J. Tucker Chapter 9
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**CERTIFICATION OF NO RESPONSE OR OBJECTION
REGARDING CITY OF DETROIT’S MOTION FOR THE ENTRY OF AN
ORDER ENFORCING THE CONFIRMATION ORDER AND THE CITY’S
CONFIRMED PLAN AGAINST LORENZO RIPPY**

On June 12, 2025, the City of Detroit (“City”) filed its *Motion for the Entry of an Order Enforcing the Confirmation Order and the City’s Confirmed Plan Against Lorenzo Rippy* (the “Motion”). [Doc. No. 13967]. The Motion was served by first class mail and email to counsel for Lorenzo Rippy. *See Certificate of Service Exhibit A.*

The General Retirement System for the City of Detroit 9 (“GRS”) filed a response which concurred in the Motion and requested the entry of an order granting the Motion. *See Doc. No. 13971.* No other responses to the Motion have been filed with the Court and the time to do so has passed. The City respectfully requests that the Court enter an order in substantially the same form as the one which was attached to the Motion. *See Proposed Order Exhibit B.*



Respectfully submitted,

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DATED: July 1, 2025

Exhibit A

EXHIBIT 4 – CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on June 12, 2025, he served a copy of the foregoing *City of Detroit's Motion for the Entry of an Order Enforcing the Confirmation Order and the City's Confirmed Plan Against Lorenzo Rippe* upon counsel for Lorenzo Rippe via first class mail and email at the address below:

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Exhibit B

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**ORDER GRANTING CITY OF DETROIT’S MOTION FOR THE ENTRY
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CITY’S CONFIRMED PLAN AGAINST LORENZO RIPPY**

This matter, having come before the Court on the *City of Detroit’s Motion for the Entry of an Order Enforcing the Confirmation Order and the City’s Confirmed Plan Against Lorenzo Rippy* (“Motion”),¹ upon proper notice and a hearing, the Court being fully advised in the premises, and there being good cause to grant the relief requested,

THE COURT ORDERS THAT:

1. The Motion is granted.
2. Within five days business days of the entry of this Order, Lorenzo Rippy shall dismiss, or cause to be dismissed, with prejudice the lawsuit captioned as *Lorenzo Rippy v. City of Detroit, General Retirement System for the City of Detroit, Board of Trustee [sic] for the General Retirement System*, case number 25-

¹ Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined in this Order shall have the meanings given to them in the Motion.

003999-CZ currently pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, Michigan (the “Lawsuit”)

3. Lorenzo Rippy is permanently barred, estopped and enjoined from asserting the claims asserted in the Lawsuit or claims arising from or related to the Lawsuit against the City of Detroit, the GRS, the Board of Trustees of the GRS, or property of the City of Detroit.

4. The Court shall retain jurisdiction over any and all matters arising from the enforcement, interpretation or implementation of this Order.