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2		Department 23 Note for Motion: May 5, 2023 at 9 a.m.
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8	IN THE CHRERIOR COURT OF T	THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
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10	JENIFER K. DEMARRE & RYAN A. DEMARRE,	
11	Plaintiffs,	NO. 21-2-10304-5 SEA
12	·	DECLARATION OF BLYTHE H.
13	VS.	CHANDLER IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES,
14	MUTUAL OF ENUMCLAW INSURANCE COMPANY,	COSTS, AND SERVICE AWARDS
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16	Defendant.	
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18	I, Blythe H. Chandler, declare as follows:	
19	A. Background and experience	
20	1. I am a member of the law firm of	Terrell Marshall Law Group PLLC, counsel of
21	record for Plaintiffs in this matter. I am admitted	to practice before this Court and am a
22	member in good standing of the bars of the state	e of Washington. I respectfully submit this
23	declaration in support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Cla	ass Certification. Except as otherwise noted, I
24	have personal knowledge of the facts set forth in	this declaration and could testify competently
25	to them if called upon to do so.	
26	2. Terrell Marshall is a law firm in Se	attle, Washington, that focuses on complex
27	civil and commercial litigation with an emphasis	on consumer protection, product defect, civil
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rights, and wage and hour cases. Terrell Marshall has been appointed lead or co-lead counsel representing multi-state and nationwide classes in state and federal court in Washington and throughout the United States. Since its founding in 2008, the attorneys at Terrell Marshall have represented scores of classes, tried class actions in state and federal court, and obtained hundreds of millions of dollars in monetary relief to workers, consumers, and other individuals.

3. I joined Terrell Marshall in 2014 and became a member in 2018. I practice complex litigation with a focus on prosecution of consumer class actions. I have been appointed class counsel in cases challenging a wide range of unfair or deceptive practices, including debt collection practices. In 2010, I received my J.D. from the University of Washington School of Law with high honors, Order of the Coif. I served as Chief Articles Editor for the Washington Law Review. Before joining Terrell Marshall, I served as a law clerk to the Honorable Betty B. Fletcher, Senior United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, and to the Honorable John C. Coughenour, Senior United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington. I also served as a judicial extern to the Honorable Robert S. Lasnik, United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington. I co-authored chapters of the Consumer Protection Deskbook published by the Washington State Association for Justice (WSAJ) and have spoken on topics including use of experts and personal jurisdiction in class actions. I am a member of the Washington Employment Lawyers Association (WELA) Amicus Committee and currently co-chair WSAJ's Consumer Protection Section. I have been named to the Rising Star List by Washington Super Lawyers.

B. Qualifications of other Terrell Marshall attorneys and staff

4. Amanda M. Steiner became a member of Terrell Marshall in 2015. She practices complex litigation, including the prosecution of consumer, defective product, wage and hour, and civil rights class actions. Ms. Steiner received her J.D. from the UC Berkeley School of Law in 1997. Admitted in Washington, California, New York and Hawaii, she has authored briefs that have resulted in numerous favorable decisions for plaintiffs in high-profile and complex securities, antitrust, consumer and civil rights class action in federal and state courts

throughout the United States. Ms. Steiner was selected for inclusion in the annual Northern California "Super Lawyers" list and was named to the Top 50 Women Lawyers of Northern California. She is a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation.

- 5. Ryan Tack-Hooper has been a member of Terrell Marshall since 2020. He concentrates on class actions to protect employees, consumers, and people whose civil rights have been violated. He has been co-lead counsel in successful litigation across the country in state and federal courts, including cases involving discrimination on the basis of disability, religion, speech, and race. In 2009, Mr. Tack-Hooper received a J.D., cum laude, from New York University School of Law. Before joining Terrell Marshall, Mr. Tack-Hooper was the Legal Director of the American Civil Liberties Union of Delaware, where he practiced civil rights law. He has also served as an adjunct professor of law at the University of Pennsylvania Law School, where he taught legal writing. He was a law clerk to the Honorable Jerome B. Simandle, Chief Judge of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey.
- 6. Ben Drachler joined Terrell Marshall as an associate in 2017. Mr. Drachler concentrates his practice on complex civil litigation, including the prosecution of consumer, defective product, and wage and hour class actions. Mr. Drachler also litigates complex disputes involving vulnerable adults and trusts and estates. Mr. Drachler received his J.D. from Seattle University, graduating magna cum laude in 2015. Before joining Terrell Marshall, Mr. Drachler served as law clerk to the Honorable Robert H. Whaley in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington, and to the Honorable Thomas S. Zilly in the Western District of Washington.
- 7. Jodi Nuss is a senior paralegal at Terrell Marshall. She has worked at the firm since 2018. Ms. Nuss has more than twelve years of experience as a paralegal and is qualified to perform substantive legal work based on her training and experience.
- 8. Examples of consumer protection class actions that Terrell Marshall is litigating or has litigated to successful completion include:

- a. Gold, et al. v. Lumber Liquidators, Inc.—Filed in 2014 on behalf of a class of consumers who purchased defective flooring. The Northern District of California granted final approval of the settlement, valued at up to \$30 million, on October 22, 2020.
- b. Van Fleet v. Trion Worlds, Inc.—Filed in 2015 on behalf of a nationwide class of online video game players deprived of a promised discount on purchases of virtual goods and who participated in an alleged illegal lottery. The San Mateo County Superior Court granted final approval of a \$420,000 settlement on June 1, 2020.
- c. Wornicki v. BrokerPriceOpinion.com—Filed in 2013 on behalf of a nationwide class of people who provided home valuations, known as broker price opinions, but who were not paid for the opinions as promised. The District of Colorado granted final approval of a settlement of more than \$1.5 million on September 20, 2018.
- d. *Jordan v. Nationstar Mortgage, LLC*—Filed in 2012 on behalf of Washington homeowners who were improperly locked out of their homes by their mortgage lender. The Eastern District of Washington granted final approval of a \$17 million settlement on May 2, 2019.
- e. Carrillo v. Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.—Filed in 2018 on behalf of borrowers who allege Wells Fargo charged them interest rates on residential loans that were higher than the rates disclosed in the bank's buydown agreements and closing disclosures. The case is currently pending in the Eastern District of New York.
- 9. Examples of Fair Debt Collection Practices Act class actions that Terrell Marshall is litigating or has litigated to successful completion include:
 - a. Long v. First Resolution Investment Corp.—Filed in 2018 on behalf of Washington consumers against whom a debt buyer and its collection agency law firm obtained judgments when the debt buyer was not licensed as a collection agency. The King County Superior Court granted final approval of a settlement providing over \$20 million in debt relief and \$600,000 on August 28, 2020.
 - b. *Miller v. P.S.C., Inc.*—Filed in 2017 on behalf of Washington consumers who alleged P.S.C. filed lawsuits against them using unlawful debt collection forms. The Western District of

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Washington granted final approval of a settlement that provided injunctive relief and \$1.52 million on January 10, 2020.

- c. Bowen v. CSO Financial, Inc., et al.—Filed in 2017 on behalf of consumers in Washington who received unfair and deceptive debt collection notices that included threats of criminal prosecution. The Western District of Washington granted final approval of a settlement that provided injunctive relief and \$345,000 on July 2018.
- d. Dibb, et al. v. AllianceOne Receivables Management, Inc.—Filed in 2014 on behalf of Washington consumers who received unfair and deceptive debt collection notices that included threats of criminal prosecution. The Western District of Washington granted final approval of the \$1.9 million settlement on July 31, 2017.
- e. Solberg, et al. v. Victim Services, Inc., et al. Filed in 2014 on behalf of California consumers who received false, misleading, and deceptive debt collection letters printed on the letter head of county prosecuting attorneys. The case has been certified as a class action and is pending in the Northern District of California.
- f. Cavnar, et al. v. BounceBack, Inc.—Filed in 2014 on behalf of Washington consumers who received false, misleading, and deceptive debt collection letters printed on the letterhead of county prosecuting attorneys. The Eastern District of Washington granted final approval of the \$530,000 settlement on September 15, 2016.
- of being compensated for its time and efforts. Payment of Terrell Marshall's fees has always been contingent on successfully obtaining relief for the Class Representatives and Class Members. Terrell Marshall has advanced all costs of this litigation. As a result, there was a substantial risk of non-payment, particularly in light of the challenges inherent in this type of case. Work on this case has necessarily been to the exclusion of work on other matters that likely would have generated fees. Terrell Marshall has also been denied use of the fees it earned over the course of this case.

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- 11. Attached as Exhibit 1 are contemporaneous, daily time reports reflecting the work of Terrell Marshall's attorneys and staff on this matter. These records are prepared and maintained by Terrell Marshall in the regular course of business. All entries for administrative work have been removed. After those deductions, Terrell Marshall has a lodestar of \$190,726.50 in reasonable attorneys' fees incurred for over 427 hours of work. I anticipate the firm will incur additional fees in relation to the approval and settlement administration process.
- 12. The work performed by paralegal Jodi Nuss was work that an attorney or expert would have had to perform absent such assistance. Ms. Nuss's work included analysis of MOE's data that required an understanding of the facts and claims at issue in the case and was important to the development Plaintiffs' damages model. She qualified to perform substantive legal work based on her training and past experience working for attorneys.
- 13. I will ensure that Plaintiffs' motion for Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Service Awards and all supporting records including this declaration are posted on the settlement website within one business day of filing it with the Court.
- 14. The lodestar calculations of Class Counsel are based on reasonable hourly rates. Class Counsel set their rates for attorneys and staff members based on a variety of factors, including among others: the experience, skill and sophistication required for the types of legal services typically performed; the rates customarily charged in the markets where legal services are typically performed; and the experience, reputation and ability of the attorneys and staff members.
- 15. Terrell Marshall has incurred out-of-pocket litigation expenses totaling \$6,982.94, to cover expenses related filing fees, service of process fees, transcripts, and mediation fees. We seek an award of \$4,857, which is the amount we disclosed to Class members we would see on the postcard notice. The following chart summarizes Terrell Marshall's litigation costs:

Category of Expense	Total
Service of Process	\$468.18
Court Reporting & Transcripts	\$2,417.35.76
Mediation	\$3,175.00
Filing Fees	\$922.41
TOTAL	\$6,982.94

- 16. Attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 2</u> is the Final Approval Order and Judgment in *Long v. First Resolution Investment Corp.,* No. 19-2-11281-6 SEA, Final Approval Order and Judgment (King Cnty. Sup. Ct. Aug. 28, 2020).
- 17. Attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 3</u> is the Order Granting Plaintiff's Unopposed Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement and Award of Attorneys' Fees, Costs and Service Award in *Strong v. Numerica Credit Union*, No. 17-2-01406-39 (Yakima Cnty. Sup. Ct. Feb. 14, 2020) (awarding one-third of fund)).
- 18. Attached hereto as Exhibit 4 is the Final Approval Order and Entry of Judgment in Dougherty v. Barrett Business Servs., Inc., No. 17-2-05619-1 (Clark Cnty. Sup. Ct. Nov. 8, 2019) (awarding one-third of fund)).
- 19. Attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 5</u> is the Order Approving Award of Attorneys' Fees and Costs in *Terrell v. Costco Wholesale Corp.*, No. 16-2-19140-1 SEA (King Cnty. Sup. Ct. June 19, 2018) (awarding one-third of fund).

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed in Seattle, Washington, on this 20th day of January, 2023.

By: <u>/s/ Blythe H. Chandler, WSBA #43387</u> Blythe H. Chandler, WSBA #43387

Exhibit 1

Terrell Marshall Law Group PLLC Demarre v. Mutual of Enumclaw Matter 2408-001

Date	Initials	Narrative	Units	Rate	Value	
0/05/0000				4 00	4	
8/26/2022		Strategy conference about class certification motion [0.3].		\$ 575.00		
8/29/2022		Worked on class certification motion [4.7].		\$ 575.00	· ·	
9/1/2022		Worked on class certification motion [5.5].	5.5	•		
9/2/2022		Worked on class certification motion, related research [5.6].		\$ 575.00		
9/6/2022	AMS	Worked on motion for class certification, related research [7.3].	7.3	\$ 575.00	\$ 4,197.50	
9/7/2022	AMS	Worked on motion for class certification [6.4].	6.4	\$ 575.00	\$ 3,680.00	
9/8/2022	AMS	Worked on motion for class certification, related research [3.8].	3.8	\$ 575.00	\$ 2,185.00	
9/15/2022	AMS	Worked on class certification motion and supporting documents [6.7].	6.7	\$ 575.00	\$ 3,852.50	
		Finalized motion for class certification and supporting documents and				
		motion to amend class certification schedule and file overlength briefs				
9/16/2022	AMS	[8.8].	8.8	\$ 575.00	\$ 5,060.00	
9/30/2022	AMS	Worked on confidentiality issues [0.3].	0.3	\$ 575.00	\$ 172.50	
		Statement Professional: Amanda Steiner	49.4		\$ 28,405.00	
		Telephone conference regarding out of state subpoenas [.5]; analyzed				
		issues and conducted research regarding service of subpeonas [.3]; email				
2/25/2022	BMD	correspondence regarding same [.2].	1	\$ 375.00	\$ 375.00	
		Conducted research regarding service in Delaware, reviewed local rules in		·		
		New Castle County, analyzed issues regarding same [1.5]; conducted entity				
		research, analyzed issues regarding subpoena domestication in Oregon				
		[1.6]; email correspondence regarding same [.1]; analyzed issues regarding				
		subpoenas, reviewed Delaware rules of civil procedure [.8] follow up				
3/3/2022	BMD	regarding same [.2]; telephone conference regarding subpoenas [.3].	4.5	\$ 375.00	\$ 1,687.50	
3/4/2022		Finalized subpoenas [.6]; reviewed same [.1].	0.7	•	\$ 262.50	
5, ., _5		Telephone conference regarding case strategy [.3]; worked on case	3.7	+ 0.0.00	, 232.30	
5/4/2022		strategy memo [5].		\$ 375.00	\$ 1,987.50	

		Telephone conference regarding case status [.4]; worked on case strategy				
		memo [4.5]; reviewed and analyzed order,				
5/5/2022	BMD	prepared summary [1].	5.9	\$ 375.00	\$ 2,212.50	
, ,		Telephone conference regarding strategy research [.3]; revised case				
		strategy memo [6.8]. reviewed and analyzed				
		decision, prepared summary [.9]; email correspondence regarding impact				
5/6/2022	BMD	[.1].	8.1	\$ 375.00	\$ 3,037.50	
5/7/2022		Worked on case strategy memo [2].	2	\$ 375.00	\$ 750.00	
5/8/2022	BMD	Worked on case strategy memo [6].	6	\$ 375.00	\$ 2,250.00	
5/9/2022		Worked on 30(b)(6) topics [2.8].	2.8	\$ 375.00	\$ 1,050.00	
		Telephone conference regarding depositions and case analysis [.5];				
5/12/2022	BMD	conducted research and worked on case analysis memo [3.6].	4.1	\$ 375.00	\$ 1,537.50	
		Worked on claim research, prepared memo [3]; worked on 30(b)(6) notice				
5/13/2022	BMD	[1].	4	\$ 375.00	\$ 1,500.00	
		Email correspondence regarding depositions [.2]; revised, finalized 30(b)(6)				
		notice [.4]; email correspondence with opposing counsel regarding				
5/23/2022	BMD	30(b)(6) deposition [.1].	0.7	\$ 375.00	\$ 262.50	
		Statement Professional: Ben Drachler	45.1		\$ 16,912.50	
9/22/2020	BHC	New matter and conflict check; drafted representation agreement [.4].	0.4	\$ 495.00	\$ 198.00	
11/24/2020	BHC	Telephone conference with co-counsel regarding drafting complaint [.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 148.50	
		Telephone conference with co-counsel regarding complaint and proposed				
12/10/2020		claims [.2].		\$ 495.00		
2/4/2021	ВНС	Worked on complaint [.6].	0.6	\$ 495.00	\$ 297.00	
2/5/2021	ВНС	Telephone call with co-counsel to discuss draft complaint [.5].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 247.50	
		Prepared for call with co-counsel regarding complaint; video conference				
2/12/2021		regarding same [1.2].	1.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 594.00	
2/24/2021	ВНС	Worked on complaint [1.2].	1.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 594.00	
		Worked on complaint; sent same to co-counsel with plan for filing [.4].				
		Telephone conference with co-counsel regarding same [.4]. Reviewed and				
		approved final documents for filing [.2]. Reviewed filed documents and				
2/26/2021		judge assignment; exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding same [.3].		\$ 495.00		
3/1/2021		Email to co-counsel regarding discovery matters [.2].	0.2	·	-	
3/3/2021	BHC	Email to staff regarding status of service [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	

		Reviewed notice of appearance and exchanged email with co-counsel and				
3/9/2021	внс	staff regarding same [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Meeting with co-counsel to prepare for introductory meeting with defense				
3/24/2021	внс	counsel [.3]; meeting with defense counsel [.2].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 247.50	
4/27/2021	ВНС	Case management conference with co-counsel [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Worked on discovery requests to Mutual of Enumclaw [.8]. Exchanged				
5/3/2021	внс	emails with co-counsel regarding case management matters [.2].	1	\$ 495.00	\$ 495.00	
		Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding venue and discovery matters				
5/4/2021	внс	[.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Video conference with Mr. Caplow regarding case management and				
5/5/2021	ВНС	discovery [.4]; follow up conference with co-counsel regarding same [.5].	0.9	\$ 495.00	\$ 445.50	
		Email to co-counsel regarding status of motion to amend and stipulation to				
5/12/2021	внс	transfer venue [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Legal research regarding				
5/17/2021	ВНС	[.7].	0.7	\$ 495.00	\$ 346.50	
		Email memo to co-counsel regarding sending proposed amended				
5/20/2021	внс	complaint and stipulation regarding venue [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
		Email to co-counsel approving plan for stipulation, amendment, and				
6/8/2021	ВНС	production by defendant [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
		Worked on stipulation to change venue and checked local rules regarding				
6/9/2021	внс	same [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Discussed case management and filing amended complaint with co-				
6/14/2021	внс	counsel [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Telephone call with Mr. Tack-Hooper to discuss case status and				
8/12/2021	внс	management [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Read memo from co-counsel regarding				
8/26/2021	внс	; email response to same [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Video conference with co-counsel regarding case management and				
8/31/2021	внс	strategy in light of preliminary information from defense counsel [1].	1	\$ 495.00	\$ 495.00	
		Discussed mediation proposal with co-counsel [1.3]. Reviewed applicable				
9/30/2021	ВНС	insurance regulations in preparation for discussions with co-counsel [.4].	1.7	\$ 495.00	\$ 841.50	
10/14/2021	ВНС	Worked on settlement track proposal letter [.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 148.50	
10/15/2021	ВНС	Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding letter to Mr. Caplow [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
11/3/2021	BHC	Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding case management [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	

		Reviewed and approved confirmation of joinder for filing [.2]; emails to co-					
1/13/2022	ВНС	counsel regarding same [.1].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$	148.50	
2/23/2022		Email confirming mediation with Judge Erlick [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$	49.50	
3/1/2022	ВНС	Telephone call with co-counsel regarding subpoenas [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$	49.50	
		Discussed primary witness disclosure with co-counsel [.1]; reviewed same					
3/7/2022	внс	[.1].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$	99.00	
3/11/2022		Exchanged emails with Mr. Caplow and staff regarding class data [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$	99.00	
3/16/2022	ВНС	Videoconference regarding data analysis for mediation submission [.6].	0.6	\$ 495.00	\$	297.00	
3/28/2022	ВНС	Worked on mediation submission [1.8].	1.8	\$ 495.00	\$	891.00	
3/30/2022		Worked on mediation submission; analyzed issues related to same [.7].	0.7	\$ 495.00	\$:	346.50	
		Telephone call with co-counsel regarding mediation submission [.3].					
3/31/2022	внс	Worked on mediation submission and mediation preparation [1.5].	1.8	\$ 495.00	\$	891.00	
4/1/2022	ВНС	Email to Mr. Caplow regarding providing mediation submission [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$	49.50	
		Worked on draft settlement agreement; sent same to co-counsel [.3];					
4/4/2022	внс	telephone call with co-counsel regarding mediation preparation [.3].	0.6	\$ 495.00	\$	297.00	
4/5/2022	ВНС	Participated in mediation [8.2]; prepared for same [.8].	9	\$ 495.00	\$ 4,	455.00	
		Meet and confer with counsel for Audatex [.6]; follow up calls with co-					
4/8/2022	внс	counsel regarding same [.5].	1.1	\$ 495.00	\$	544.50	
		Worked on stipulated motion to amend case schedule and proposed					
		stipulated protective order [.5]; sent same to Mr. Caplow [.1]. Responded					
4/13/2022	внс	to email from counsel for Audatex [.1].	0.7	\$ 495.00	\$	346.50	
		Telephone call from Mr. Caplow [.2]. Worked on stipulated protective					
		order [.1]; approved same for filing [.1]. Worked on unopposed motion to					
4/18/2022	ВНС	extend case schedule [.2]; discussed same with Mr. Leonard [.1].	0.7	\$ 495.00	\$	346.50	
		Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding motion to amend case					
4/20/2022	ВНС	schedule [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$	99.00	
		Exchanged emails with co-counsel and staff regarding noting date for					
4/21/2022	ВНС	motion to extend case schedule [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$	49.50	
		Reviewed stipulated protective order [.1]; sent same to counsel for					
4/22/2022	внс	Audatex [.1]. Reviewed client documents for production [.3].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$	247.50	
4/26/2022	ВНС	Email memo to co-counsel regarding discovery plan [.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$	148.50	
		Email memo to co-counsel regarding case management [.2]. Worked on					
5/16/2022	внс	Rule 30(b)(6) deposition notice.	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$	99.00	
5/18/2022	ВНС	Read emails regarding subpoenas and Rule 30(b)(6) notice [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$	49.50	

		Read and analyzed Ninth Circuit opinion addressing				
6/6/2022	внс	[.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 148.50	
		Read and analyzed co-counsel's summary of Audatex data [.6]. Meeting				
6/8/2022	внс	with co-counsel regarding case management strategy [.5].	1.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 544.50	
6/9/2022	ВНС	Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding deposition notices [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
		Meeting with co-counsel regarding 30(b)(6) objections [.2]; discussion with				
6/17/2022	ВНС	Mr. Caplow regarding same [.5].	0.7	\$ 495.00	\$ 346.50	
6/27/2022	ВНС	Discussed deposition with co-counsel [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
7/8/2022	ВНС	Attended Rule 30(b)(6) deposition.	5.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 2,524.50	
		Videoconference with co-counsel regarding case management and client				
7/11/2022	ВНС	depositions [.8].	0.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 396.00	
		Analyzed data in preparation for case management meeting with co-				
8/2/2022	ВНС	counsel [.3]. Case management meeting with co-counsel [.7].	1	\$ 495.00	\$ 495.00	
		Reviewed draft settlement demand and settlement agreement [.7].				
		Telephone calls with co-counsel regarding settlement demand [.6].				
8/4/2022	ВНС	Worked on settlement agreement language [.4].	1.7	\$ 495.00	\$ 841.50	
8/10/2022	ВНС	Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding settlement negotiations [.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 148.50	
8/17/2022	ВНС	Exchanged emails regarding conference with counsel; scheduled same [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
8/19/2022	ВНС	Meeting with Mr. Caplow regarding settlement [.5].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 247.50	
		Discussed data analysis with Ms. Nuss [.1]; drafted email to Mr. Caplow				
8/23/2022	ВНС	regarding data analysis issues [.3]; sent same [.1].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 247.50	
		Meeting with Mr. Caplow regarding settlement negotiations [.4]; prepared				
		for same [.2]; telephone call with Mr. Leonard regarding same [.1]; email				
		memo to all co-counsel regarding information from Mr. Caplow and next				
8/31/2022	ВНС	steps [.4].	1.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 544.50	
		Email to Mr. Caplow regarding data discrepancies [.3]. Video conference				
		with Mr. Caplow regarding settlement negotiations [.8]; videoconference				
9/6/2022	ВНС	with co-counsel following up on same [.4].	1.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 742.50	
		Prepared for videoconference with Mr. Caplow regarding potential				
		settlement [.8]. Video conference with Mr. Caplow regarding settlement				
		negotiations [.7]. Exchanged emails with co-counsel regarding conference				
9/7/2022	ВНС	with Mr. Caplow [.2].	1.7	\$ 495.00	\$ 841.50	
		Email to co-counsel regarding strategy for response to MOE settlement				
		offer [1.2]. Email to Mr. Caplow responding to MOE settlement offer [.3].				
9/8/2022	ВНС	Discussed settlement options with co-counsel [.5].	2	\$ 495.00	\$ 990.00	

		Discussed MOE counteroffer with co-counsel and response to same [.3].				
		Email to Mr. Caplow providing Plaintiff's second counter offer [.2];				
9/9/2022	ВНС	telephone call from Mr. Caplow regarding same [.4].	0.9	\$ 495.00	\$ 445.50	
9/13/2022	ВНС	Worked on Plaintiffs' motion for class certification.	1.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 742.50	
9/13/2022	ВНС	Continued work on Plaintiffs' motion for class certification.	3.9	\$ 495.00	\$ 1,930.50	
9/15/2022	ВНС	Discussed motion for class certification with co-counsel [.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 148.50	
		Email to Mr. Caplow regarding confidential documents to be filed with				
9/15/2022	ВНС	class certification [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
9/16/2022	ВНС	Worked on Plaintiffs' motion for class certification.	2.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 1,386.00	
		Exchanged emails with Mr. Caplow regarding renoting motion to seal [.1];				
9/23/2022	ВНС	approved re-note for filing [.1].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Telephone call from Mr. Fox regarding Audatex request to renote sealing				
		motion [.1]; approved renote for filing and sent same to all counsel [.1].				
		Email to Mr. Caplow regarding proposed redactions and scheduling				
9/30/2022	ВНС	settlement call [.1]; email to co-counsel regarding redactions issue [.1].	0.4	\$ 495.00	\$ 198.00	
		Telephone call from Mr. Caplow regarding motion to seal and settlement				
10/3/2022	ВНС	negotiations [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Voice message for Mr. Caplow returning his call regarding settlement				
		discussions [.1]. Telephone call with Mr. Caplow regarding MOE offer of				
		settlement [.3]; email memo to co-counsel regarding same [.1]; video				
10/6/2022	ВНС	conference with co-counsel regarding response to offer [.3].	0.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 396.00	
10/7/2022	ВНС	Voicemail for Mr. Caplow regarding settlement negotiation [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
		Videoconference with co-counsel regarding settlement offer [.2];				
10/11/2022	ВНС	telephone call with Mr. Caplow regarding same [.1]. Worked on	0.6	\$ 495.00	\$ 297.00	
		Worked on settlement agreement [.9]. Email to counsel for Audatex				
10/12/2022	ВНС	regarding settlement [.1]. Worked on settlement distribution [.1].	1.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 544.50	
		Email notifying Court of settlement [.1]. Exchanged emails with co-counsel				
		regarding settlement terms [.2]. Worked on revised settlement agreement				
		and sent same to defense counsel [.5]. Exchanged emails with staff				
10/13/2022	ВНС	regarding submitting working copies [.1].	0.9	\$ 495.00	\$ 445.50	
		Telephone call with co-counsel regarding settlement agreement [.2].				
10/14/2022	внс	Worked on settlement agreement [.2]. Worked on settlement notices.	0.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 396.00	
		Worked on settlement agreement revisions from Mr. Caplow; email to co-				
10/17/2022	внс	counsel regarding same [.9].	0.9	\$ 495.00	\$ 445.50	

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		Email to Ms. Terrell regarding outstanding issues related to settlement				
		agreement [.3]. Revised settlement agreement and class notices; drafted				
		stipulated motion to stay in light of settlement; sent same to Mr. Caplow				
		[1.6]. Telephone call with Mr. Caplow regarding stipulated motion to stay				
10/18/2022	ВНС	and other matters in revised settlement agreement [.2].	2.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 1,039.50	
		Updated notice postcards and sent same to Mr. Caplow [.2]. Commenced				
10/24/2022		drafting motion for preliminary approval of settlement [.3].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 247.50	
10/25/2022	ВНС	Worked on motion for preliminary approval.	1.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 544.50	
		Telephone call with Mr. Caplow regarding finalizing settlement agreement				
		[.2]. Worked on settlement agreement; proposed order; and motion for				
10/26/2022	ВНС	preliminary approval of settlement [2.1].	2.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 1,138.50	
		Revised settlement agreement and exhibits per email from Mr. Caplow				
10/27/2022	ВНС	[.3]. Completed draft of motion for preliminary approval of settlement	1.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 891.00	
		Continued Settlement Agreement corrections; motion for preliminary				
10/28/2022	ВНС	approval and proposed order.	1.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 891.00	
11/2/2022	ВНС	Email to Mr. Caplow regarding settlement agreement [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
11/3/2022	ВНС	Worked on settlement agreement [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
11/4/2022	ВНС	Completed work on motion for preliminary approval [.4].	0.4	\$ 495.00	\$ 198.00	
		Exchanged emails with Mr. Caplow regarding signatures on settlement				
11/8/2022	ВНС	agreement [.1].	0.1	\$ 495.00	\$ 49.50	
		Reviewed final versions of motion for preliminary approval and supporting				
11/9/2022	внс	documents and approved same for filing [.3].	0.3	\$ 495.00	\$ 148.50	
11/21/2022	ВНС	Email to Mr. Caplow regarding order on class certification [.2].	0.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 99.00	
		Telephone call from Mr. Caplow regarding court's certification order [1].				
		Drafted stipulation and proposed order regarding class certification order;				
		sent same to all counsel [.5]. Reviewed and approved stipulated motion				
		for filing [.2]. Joint telephone call to court regarding filed stipulation [.1].				
		Telephone call from Mr. Caplow regarding assembling class list for notice				
11/28/2022	внс	[.4].	2.2	\$ 495.00	\$ 1,089.00	
		Prepared for preliminary approval hearing [1.5]; joined Zoom until notice			-	
		of recheduled hearing recieved [.3]; exchanged emails with all counsel and				
12/20/2022	внс	the court regarding rescheduling hearing [.2].	2	\$ 495.00	\$ 990.00	
		Prepared for preliminary approval hearing; attended same [.7]. Reviewed				
12/21/2022	внс	preliminary approval order and docketing related to same [.1].	0.8	\$ 495.00	\$ 396.00	
12/23/2022		Worked on issues related to class notice list [.3].		\$ 495.00		
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12/28/2022	ВНС	Worked on settlement website [.5].	0.5	\$ 495.00	\$ 247.50	<u> </u>
		Email to Mr. Caplow approving class notice list [.2]. Revised class				
1/13/2023	ВНС	settlement notices and sent same to Mr. Caplow [.4].	0.6	\$ 500.00	\$ 300.00	
		Statement Professional: Blythe Chandler	85		\$ 42,078.00	
3/3/2022	ET	Researched Audatex location and registered agent for service [0.5]	0.5	\$ 125.00	\$ 62.50	
		Statement Professional: Eva Thomas	0.5		\$ 62.50	
		Reviewed email from Ms. Childs enclosing production documents and				
C/10/2021	INI	responses to same.[.1]	0.1	ć 10F 00	\$ 19.50	
6/10/2021	JIN	Reviewed email regarding contents of defendant's production and	0.1	\$ 195.00	\$ 19.50	
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8/26/2021		prepared email containing policy documents produced.[.1]		\$ 195.00		
3/10/2022	JN	Processed production of class data.[.3]	0.3	\$ 195.00	\$ 58.50	
0/44/0000		Prepared emails regarding data productions and plans for processing and		4 40= 00	4 10 -0	
3/14/2022	JN	analysis of same.[.1]	0.1	\$ 195.00	\$ 19.50	
		Reviewed complaint and data productions and attended team call				
3/16/2022	JN	regarding analysis of same.[.7]	0.7	\$ 195.00	\$ 136.50	
		Worked on document review and research and analysis of data				
3/21/2022	JN	produced.[1.1]	1.1	\$ 195.00	\$ 214.50	
		Worked on document review and research and analysis of data				
3/22/2022	JN	produced.[1.7]	1.7	\$ 195.00	\$ 331.50	
		Prepared for and attended meeting regarding data analysis.[.4]; Data				
		analysis[2.5]; Research regarding damages calculations by percentage of				
3/23/2022	JN	indemnity value.[.4]	3.3	\$ 195.00	\$ 643.50	
		Continued research on AutoSource bands and completed data analysis and				
3/24/2022	JN	summary.[1.4];	1.4	\$ 195.00	\$ 273.00	
		Worked on data analysis and prepared output files and email summaries				
3/29/2022	JN	enclosing same.[1.6]	1.6	\$ 195.00	\$ 312.00	
		Worked on issues regarding higher percentages for damages				
		calculations.[.1]; Worked on data analysis to incorporate higher				
3/31/2022	JN	percentages and correct salvage class statistics.[.9]	1	\$ 195.00	\$ 195.00	
		Worked on strategy for preparation of mediation data[.1]; Worked on				
4/4/2022	JN	data.[.3]	0.4	\$ 195.00	\$ 78.00	
		Worked on issues regarding plans for proceeding with case post-				
4/8/2022	JN	mediation.[.2]	0.2	\$ 195.00	\$ 39.00	

4/22/2022	JN	Worked on production of documents.[.7]	0.7	\$ 195.00	\$ 136.50	
		Prepared revised production and prepared email to all counsel enclosing				
4/25/2022	JN	same[.3];	0.3	\$ 195.00	\$ 58.50	
		Reviewed email from Ms. Childs enclosing document production and				
		prepared emails regarding same.[.1]; Worked on processing and logging of				
4/26/2022	JN	recent productions.[.7];	0.8	\$ 195.00	\$ 156.00	
6/9/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	1.3	\$ 195.00	\$ 253.50	
6/10/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	4	\$ 195.00	\$ 780.00	
6/13/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	1.4	\$ 195.00	\$ 273.00	
		Prepared production of Audatex subpoena responses and prepared email				
6/17/2022	JN	to Mr. Caplow enclosing same.[.3]	0.3	\$ 195.00	\$ 58.50	
6/17/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	3	\$ 195.00	\$ 585.00	
		Worked on processing of CoPart production and prepared emails				
6/17/2022	JN	regarding same.[.3]	0.3	\$ 195.00	\$ 58.50	
		Prepared summary of analysis of Audatex and MOE produced data.[.8];				
6/21/2022	JN	Continued working on data analysis.[1.2]	2	\$ 195.00	\$ 390.00	
		Prepared email regarding production of Copart subpoena responses and				
7/11/2022	JN	reviewed response to same.[.1]	0.1	\$ 195.00	\$ 19.50	
		Prepared Copart documents for production and email enclosing link to				
7/11/2022	JN	same.[.2]; Worked on processing of Copart production.[.3]	0.5	\$ 195.00	\$ 97.50	
		Attended team call regarding depositions and data analysis to be				
		completed in advance of filing of motion for class certification.[.6]; Worked				
8/2/2022	JN	on data analysis.[.4]	1	\$ 195.00	\$ 195.00	
8/3/2022	JN	Worked on analysis of data.	2	\$ 195.00	\$ 390.00	
8/19/2022	JN	Worked on analysis of data produced.	1.6	\$ 195.00	\$ 312.00	
		Prepared summary of preliminary analysis of recent data production.[.2];				
8/22/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis and prepared summary of same.[1.9]	2.1	\$ 195.00	\$ 409.50	
8/31/2022	JN	Video conference with Mr. Caplow regarding data discrepancies.[.4]	0.4	\$ 195.00	\$ 78.00	
8/31/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	0.7	\$ 195.00	\$ 136.50	
9/1/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	1.4	\$ 195.00	\$ 273.00	
9/2/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.[1.7]	1.7	\$ 195.00	\$ 331.50	
9/2/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.	1.8	\$ 195.00	\$ 351.00	
9/6/2022	JN	Worked on processing of productions.[.2]	0.2	\$ 195.00	\$ 39.00	
9/6/2022	JN	Worked on data analysis.[.6]	1.1	\$ 195.00	\$ 214.50	

		Video conference with Mr. Caplow regarding data discrepancies.[.7];					
9/6/2022	JN	Worked on issues regarding plans for addressing same.[.1]	0.8	\$ 195.00	\$	156.00	
		Reviewed email from Mr. Caplow regarding discussions of potential					
9/8/2022	JN	settlement.[.1]	0.1	\$ 195.00	\$	19.50	
9/14/2022	JN	Worked on exhibits to motion for class cert	1.4	\$ 195.00	\$	273.00	
		Identified confidential exhibits and exhibits that require additional					
9/15/2022	JN	redactions and prepared email regarding same.[]	0.5	\$ 195.00	\$	97.50	
		Worked on data analysis regarding pro-rata shares for potential					
10/11/2022	JN	settlement.[.3]	0.3	\$ 195.00	\$	58.50	
10/12/2022	JN	Prepared revised settlement award spreadsheet with adjustable fields.[.3]	0.3	\$ 195.00	\$	58.50	
		Worked on issues regarding damages analysis and declaration in support					
11/4/2022	JN	of motion for preliminary approval.[.2]	0.2	\$ 195.00	\$	39.00	
1/3/2023	JN	Worked on data analysis[2.5]; Call regarding same.[.3]	2.8	\$ 195.00	\$	546.00	
		Worked on analysis of latest data file produced by Defendant and					
1/13/2023	JN	prepared email regarding same.[.2]	0.2	\$ 195.00	\$	39.00	
		Statement Professional: Jodi Nuss	47.3		\$	9,223.50	
12/28/2022		Created settlement website page for Demarre v Mutual of Enumclaw (2).		\$ 125.00	\$	250.00	
12/29/2022	MT	Completed web page and made edits requested by Ms. Chandler (1).	1	\$ 125.00	\$	125.00	
		Statement Professional: Michelle Terrell	3		\$	375.00	
		Call with co-counsel re: complaint drafting [.3]; initial review of client					
11/24/2020	RT	documents [1.1]	1.4	\$ 475.00	\$	665.00	
		Review of client documents and correspondence [2.4]; Research into law					
12/7/2020	RT	regarding salvage deduction [1.8]	4.2	\$ 475.00	\$	1,995.00	
		Research into law regarding [1.8]; Review of prior					
12/8/2020	RT	Enumclaw litigation pleadings, motion practice, and decisions [2]	3.8	\$ 475.00	\$	1,805.00	
		Research into law regarding [2.2]; Research into					
		arguments [1.1]; Prep					
12/9/2020	RT	and call with co-counsel re: investigation [.3]	3.6	\$ 475.00	\$	1,710.00	
12/10/2020	RT	Email to co-counsel with questions and issues re: investigation [.4]	0.4	\$ 475.00	\$	190.00	
12/18/2020	RT	Follow-up email to co-counsel on complaint questions [.1]	0.1	\$ 475.00	\$	47.50	
1/6/2021	RT	Complaint drafting [5]	5	\$ 475.00	\$	2,375.00	
		Complaint drafting [3.5]; research and analysis on					
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2/1/2021	RT	Finished draft complaint [6.3]	6.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 2,992.50	
2/5/2021	RT	Call w/ co-counsel re: complaint [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
2/7/2021	RT	Revised complaint [1].	1	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	
2/12/2021	RT	Call w/ co-counsel re: complaint [.7]	0.7	\$ 475.00	\$ 332.50	
2/13/2021	RT	Revised complaint [1.5]	1.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 712.50	
		Research on necessity of bringing action on behalf of				
2/16/2021	RT	[2.3]	2.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,092.50	
2/24/2021	RT	Revised complaint [1.1]	1.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 522.50	
		Sorting out appearance and case schedule [.2]; call with opposing counsel				
3/16/2021	RT	[.2]	0.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 190.00	
3/18/2021	RT	Drafted declaration of service [.7]	0.7	\$ 475.00	\$ 332.50	
3/24/2021	RT	Prep for call with opposing counsel [.5]; call with opposing counsel [.3]	0.8	\$ 475.00	\$ 380.00	
		Status call with co-counsel [.3]; review of answer [1.2]; drafted first set of				
4/27/2021	RT	requests for production [3.9]	5.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 2,565.00	
4/29/2021	RT	Drafted first set of interrogatories [5.5]	5.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 2,612.50	
		Revised interrogatories and requests for production and added				
4/30/2021	RT	instructions and definitions [3.1]	3.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,472.50	
		Call with opposing counsel re: venue issues [.2]; research on WA superior				
5/4/2021	RT	court venue rules [1.1]; revised draft discovery requests [.8]	2.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 997.50	
		Draft stipulation on change of venue [.7]; call with co-counsel re: answer				
		and venue issues [.4]; call with opposing counsel re: discovery [.6]; drafted				
5/5/2021	RT	proposed order on change of venue [.4]; prep for call on discovery [1]	3.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,472.50	
5/6/2021	RT	Finalizing stipulation on change of venue [.2]	0.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 95.00	
		Drafted amended complaint [.7]; review of effect of earlier settlement on				
5/14/2021	RT	potential claims [.5]	1.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 570.00	
		Call with co-counsel re: remaining issues in amended complaint [.5];				
5/17/2021	RT	review of authority on permissible scope of class settlements [.5]	1	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	
5/19/2021	RT	Email to co-counsel re: amendment and venue [.2]	0.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 95.00	
5/20/2021	RT	Call with opposing counsel on consent to amend [.3]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	
<u> </u>		Review of communication from opposing counsel [.1]; emails to opposing				
5/27/2021	RT	counsel regarding amended pleadings [.2]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	
<u> </u>		Call w/ opposing counsel re: amended complaint, discovery [.1]; email to				
		co-counsel on plan for amendment, discovery [.2]; email to counsel re:				
6/7/2021	RT	discovery format [.1]	0.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 190.00	
6/9/2021		Reviewed, finalized, and supervised filing of stipulation to change venue		\$ 475.00	\$ 285.00	

6/21/2021	RT	Investigation of status of venue transfer [.3]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	
·		Review of initial discovery production [3.5]; email to co-counsel re:				
6/24/2021	RT	discovery [.2]	3.7	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,757.50	
		Review of local rules related to transfer of venue and issue with Pierce				
		County transfer [.7]; call with opposing counsel re: transfer issue and				
7/2/2021	RT	status of jury demand [.1]; review and filing of jury demand [.3]	1.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 522.50	
8/10/2021	RT	Call with opposing counsel re: discovery and case status [.2]	0.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 95.00	
8/23/2021	RT	Call with opposing counsel re: discovery and status [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
8/24/2021	RT	Call with co-counsel re: discovery and [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
8/31/2021	RT	Call w/ co-counsel re: new salvage information and discovery status [1]	1	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	
		Call w/ opposing counsel re: discovery and mediation track [.9]; email to co-				
9/28/2021	RT	counsel summarizing call and discussing case strategy [.5]	1.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 665.00	
9/29/2021	RT	Discussion with co-counsel re: case strategy [.3]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	
		Call w/ co-counsel re: discovery and mediation track [.7]; revised discovery				
9/30/2021	RT	requests [1]; finalized amended pleading [.5]	2.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,045.00	
		Drafted letter proposing mediation and discovery framework [2];				
10/14/2021	RT	investigation into salvage entity market practices [.5]	2.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,187.50	
		Revised and sent mediation proposal letter [.7]; emails w/ co-counsel re:				
10/15/2021	RT	mediation proposal [.3]	1	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	
10/22/2021	RT	Review and analysis of Answer [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
		Call with opposing counsel re: discovery and mediation proposal [.8]; prep				
11/8/2021	RT	for call with opposing counsel [.6]	1.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 665.00	
		Prep and call with opposing counsel re: discovery and settlement talks [1];				
12/21/2021	RT	review of document production [2.5]; arranging mediation dates [.3]	3.8	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,805.00	
		Review and analysis of other cases addressing Copart or salvage estimate				
2/3/2022	RT	practices [3.6]	3.6	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,710.00	
2/10/2022	RT	Review and analysis of other cases addressing Audatex practices [2.9]	2.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,377.50	
2/11/2022	RT	Review of discovery as relevant to third party subpoenas [2.5]	2.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,187.50	
		Revised third party subpoenas [1.2]; Research on jurisdiction issues related				
2/15/2022	RT	to subpoenas [1.9]	3.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,472.50	
2/25/2022	RT	Revised third party subpoenas [.9]	0.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 427.50	
3/3/2022	RT	Review and revision of third-party subpoenas [.6]	0.6	\$ 475.00	\$ 285.00	
3/4/2022	RT	Review and revision of third-party subpoenas [.9]	0.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 427.50	
3/7/2022	RT	Drafted primary witness disclosures [2.5]	2.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,187.50	
3/16/2022	RT	Review of discovery re: fact section of mediation letter [2.1]	2.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 997.50	

		Drafted fact section of mediation letter [2.5]; Review and analysis of				
		precedent on WAC 391 [1.8]; Review and analysis of precedent re:				
3/22/2022		[.9]		\$ 475.00	\$ 2,470.00	
3/23/2022	RT	Review and revision of damages estimate [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
		Review and revision of damages model [.8]; Drafted exposure section of				
		mediation letter [1.7]; Drafted legal analysis section of mediation letter				
		[3.5]; revised mediation letter [1.5]; Review and analysis of precedent on				
3/25/2022	RT	[2.2]	9.7	\$ 475.00	\$ 4,607.50	
3/28/2022	RT	Revised mediation submission [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
3/29/2022	RT	Revised mediation submission [1.2]	1.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 570.00	
3/30/2022	RT	Revised mediation letter [.5]; revised damages model [.5]	1	\$ 475.00	\$ 475.00	
3/31/2022	RT	Finalized mediation submission [2]	2	\$ 475.00	\$ 950.00	
4/1/2022	RT	Drafted settlement agreement [5.2]	5.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 2,470.00	
		Prep for mediation [3.8]; Revised settlement proposal [.6]; call w/				
4/4/2022	RT	paralegal [.1]	4.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 2,137.50	
4/5/2022	RT	Mediation [8.5]	8.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 4,037.50	
		Call w/ co-counsel re: Audatex subpoena [.3]; prep and call w/ counsel for				
4/8/2022	RT	Audatex re: subpoena [.9]	1.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 570.00	
4/21/2022	RT	Prepared production of client documents [1.9]	1.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 902.50	
4/22/2022	RT	Finalizing production of client docs [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
5/2/2022	RT	Jury demand [.5]	0.5	\$ 475.00	\$ 237.50	
		Call w/ co-counsel discussing research project and prep for deposition [.4];				
5/4/2022	RT	prep for call w/ co-counsel [.5]	0.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 427.50	
5/5/2022		Call w/ associate re: case research [.4]	0.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 190.00	
		Call w/ associate re: preparing 30(b)(6) notice [.4]; review and revision of				
5/12/2022	RT	draft 30(b)(6) notice [.8]	1.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 570.00	
5/16/2022		Revised draft 30b6 notice [.2]		\$ 475.00		
5/18/2022	RT	Revised 30b6 notice [.5]; email to Audatex re: subpoena [.2]	0.7	\$ 475.00	\$ 332.50	
		Prep and call with Copart re: subpoena [.7]; email re: meet and confer on		-		
5/24/2022	RT	copart subpoena [.5]	1.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 570.00	
6/7/2022		Prep and call w/ Copart attorney re: subpoena [.9]		\$ 475.00	-	
6/8/2022		Prep and call w/ co-counsel re: case strategy [1.2]		\$ 475.00	-	
6/16/2022		Identification of documents for use in 30(b)(6) deposition [2.9]		\$ 475.00	\$ 1,377.50	
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6/17/2022	RT	deposition [1.5]; review and analysis of objections to deposition [1.8]	3.7	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,757.50	
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	Statement Professional: Ryan Tack-Hooper	197.2		\$ 93,670.00	
10/11/2022	RT Call w/ co-counsel [.3]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	
10/6/2022	RT Telephone meeting with co-counsel [.4]	0.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 190.00	
9/16/2022	and revision of motion for class certification [2.5]	3	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,425.00	
	Communication with counsel for Audatex re: confidentiality [.5]; review				
9/8/2022	RT Email to opposing counsel on scheduling and depositions [.2]	0.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 95.00	
9/7/2022	RT Settlement call [.7]	0.7		\$ 332.50	
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8/10/2022		0.3		\$ 142.50	
8/5/2022		0.4		\$ 190.00	
8/4/2022		0.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 427.50	
8/3/2022	RT Revised draft settlement agreement [2.2]	2.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,045.00	
8/2/2022	Prep and call w/ co-counsel re: case strategy [.9]	0.9		\$ 427.50	
8/1/2022		2.2	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,045.00	
7/11/2022		1.2		\$ 570.00	
7/8/2022	RT Final preparation and 30b6 deposition [7.9]	7.9	\$ 475.00	\$ 3,752.50	
7/7/2022	RT Completed outline for 30b6 deposition [11.4]	11.4	\$ 475.00	\$ 5,415.00	
7/6/2022	RT Prepared outline for first third of 30b6 deposition [6.1]	6.1	\$ 475.00	\$ 2,897.50	
7/5/2022	RT Call with Copart counsel re: subpoena [.3]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	
6/22/2022	RT Call w/ Copart counsel re: subpoena [.3]	0.3	\$ 475.00	\$ 142.50	

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THE HONORABLE KEN SCHUBERT 1 Department 40 2 3 4 5 6 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON 7 IN AND FOR COUNTY OF KING 8 MONTY LONG and DONALD GARCIA, on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated, 9 NO. 19-2-11281-6 SEA 10 Plaintiffs, FINAL APPROVAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT 11 VS. 12 FIRST RESOLUTION INVESTMENT CORPORATION, 13 a Nevada corporation, and GORDON AYLWORTH & TAMI, P.C., an Oregon professional 14 corporation, 15 Defendants. 16 17 18 The Court, having considered Plaintiffs' Motion for Final Approval of Class Action 19 Settlement between Monty Long and Donald Garcia ("Plaintiffs") and First Resolution 20 Investment Corporation and Gordon Aylworth & Tami, P.C., ("Defendants") in the above-21 captioned matter (the "Action"), the Class Action Settlement Agreement and Release entered 22 into between Plaintiffs and Defendants ("Settlement"), Plaintiffs' Motion for an Award of 23 Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Class Representative Service Awards, and the lack of objections 24 received regarding the proposed Settlement, the record in this the Action, the submissions and

arguments presented by counsel, and, having held a Final Approval Hearing on August 28, 2020,

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finds that:

- 1. Unless defined herein, all capitalized terms in this Final Approval Order shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Settlement.
- 2. The Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of the Action and over the settling parties, including the Settlement Class Members.
- 3. On March 24, 2020, the Court preliminarily approved the Settlement and certified, for settlement purposes, the Class as defined in the Settlement.
- 4. Pursuant to the Court's Preliminary Approval Order, the Postcard Notice was distributed to the Class by First Class mail. The Court hereby finds and concludes that the Postcard Notice was disseminated to members of the settlement Class in accordance with the terms set forth in the Settlement and in compliance with the Court's Preliminary Approval Order. The Court further finds and concludes that the Postcard Notice, and the distribution procedures set forth in the Settlement fully satisfy CR 23(c)(2) and the requirements of due process, were the best notice practicable under the circumstances, provided individual notice to all members of the Class who could be identified through reasonable effort, provided an opportunity for the Class Members to object or exclude themselves from the Settlement, and support the Court's exercise of jurisdiction over the Settlement Class Members as contemplated in the Settlement and this Final Approval Order.
- 5. The Settlement Class Members were given an opportunity to object to the Settlement. No Settlement Class Members objected to the Settlement or requested exclusion from the Settlement.
- 6. The Settlement was arrived at as a result of arms' length negotiations conducted in good faith by experienced attorneys familiar with the legal and factual issues of this case.
- 7. The Settlement is fair, reasonable, adequate, and in the best interests of the Settlement Class in light of the complexity, expense, and duration of litigation, as well as the risk involved in establishing liability and damages and in maintaining the class action through trial and appeal.

8. The consideration provided by the Settlement constitutes fair value given in exchange for the release of the Settlement Class Members' Released Claims against the Released Parties. The Court finds that the consideration provided to the Settlement Class Members is reasonable, considering the facts and circumstances of the claims and affirmative defenses asserted in the action, and the potential risks and likelihood of success of pursuing trial on the merits.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

- 9. The Settlement is finally approved as fair, reasonable, adequate, just, and in compliance with all applicable requirements of the applicable laws, and in the best interest of the Settlement Class. The Settlement Agreement, which shall be deemed incorporated herein, and all terms the Settlement are finally approved and shall be consummated in accordance with the terms and provisions thereof, except as amended by any subsequent order issued by the Court.
- 10. Defendants shall pay the Settlement Fund amount of \$600,000, provide debt relief to all Settlement Class Members, file satisfactions of judgment in the lawsuits FRIC filed against Settlement Class Members, and request deletion of any tradelines related to Settlement Class Members, in accord with the schedule required under the Settlement Agreement.
- 11. Pursuant to CR 23(b)(3), the Action is hereby certified, for settlement purposes only, as a class action on behalf of the following Settlement Class Members: all persons from whom FRIC collected or attempted to collect, directly or indirectly, at any time since April 25, 2015, amounts owed (1) pursuant to a judgment FRIC obtained in a Washington state court prior to February 24, 2014; or (2) pursuant to a judgment John P. Plovie obtained and sought to collect on FRIC's behalf in a Washington state court after February 24, 2014.
- 12. Pursuant to CR 23, the Court appoints Plaintiffs Monty Long and Donald Garcia as the Class Representatives and appoints Terrell Marshall Law Group PLLC and Leonard Law as Class Counsel.

FINAL APPROVAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT - 3

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- 13. For settlement purposes only, the Court finds that the Action satisfies the applicable prerequisites for class action treatment under CR 23(a) and (b)(3), namely:
 - The Class is so numerous that joinder of all members is impracticable;
 - There are questions of law and fact common to the Class Members;
 - The claims of the Class Representatives are typical of the claims of the Settlement Class Members;
 - The Class Representatives and Class Counsel have fairly and adequately represented and protected the interests of all the Settlement Class Members;
 - Common issues predominate over any individualized issues; and
 - A class action is superior to thousands of individual actions.
- 14. The Plaintiffs, Settlement Class Members, and their successors and assigns have released claims pursuant to the release contained in the Settlement. The Released Claims are compromised, settled, released, discharged, and dismissed with prejudice by virtue of these proceedings and this Final Approval Order.
- 15. To the extent permitted by law and without affecting the other provisions of this Final Approval Order, this Final Approval Order is intended by the parties and the Court to be *res judicata* and to prohibit and preclude any prior, concurrent, or subsequent litigation brought individually, or in the name of, or otherwise on behalf of, Plaintiffs or any Settlement Class Member with respect to the Settlement Class Member Released Claims based upon the same alleged facts.
- 16. The Court hereby retains continuing and exclusive jurisdiction over the parties and all matters relating to the Action or Settlement, including the administration, interpretation, construction, effectuation, enforcement, and consummation of the Settlement, including its injunctive provisions, and this Final Approval Order. This Final Approval Order finally disposes of all claims and is appealable.

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- 17. This Final Approval Order is not, and shall not be construed as, an admission by Defendants of any liability or wrongdoing in this or in any other proceeding.
- 18. The Court approves Class Counsel's application for \$200,000 in attorneys' fees and \$13,633 in costs. This amount reflected actual costs incurred and an attorneys' fee award of one-third of the Settlement Fund.
- 19. The Settlement created a common fund for the benefit of Class Members.

 Accordingly, the Court finds that the percentage of the fund method is the appropriate method to use in determining the appropriate fee award in this case. *Bowles v. Wash. Dep't of Ret. Sys.*, 121 Wn.2d 52, 72, 847 P.2d 440 (1993).
- 20. Class Counsel obtained an excellent result for the Settlement Class. Class Counsel's work lead to the creation of a \$600,000 common fund. In addition, the Settlement provides \$20 million in debt relief to the Settlement Class Members.
- 21. An attorneys' fee award equal to one-third of a common fund is appropriate in consumer protection class action cases. *Terrell v. Costco Wholesale Corp.*, No. 16-2-19140-1-SEA (King Cnty. Sup. Ct. June 19, 2018); *Dougherty v. Barrett Business Services Inc.*, No. 17-2-05619-1 (Clark Cnty. Sup. Ct. Nov. 8, 2019); *Strong v. Numerica Credit Union*, No. 17-2-01406-39 (Yakima Cnty. Sup. Ct. Feb. 14, 2020).
- 22. The Court has considered the factors set forth in Washington Rule of Professional Conduct 1.5(a) in concluding that the requested fee is reasonable. Specifically:
 - a. The case raised novel and difficult questions of law, which demanded litigators with the skill and experience of Class Counsel.
 - b. Class Counsel's work on this matter precluded work on other matters.
 - c. A one-third fee in contingency cases is customary in this county.
 - d. The excellent results obtained, and the amount of time involved support the award.
- 23. The Court approves service awards to the Class Representatives in the amount of \$5,000 each, to be paid from the Settlement Fund.

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FINAL APPROVAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT - 7

CASE NO. 19-2-11281-6 SEA

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SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY OF YAKIMA

THEODORE STRONG,

v.

Plaintiff,

NO. 17-2-01406-39

NUMERICA CREDIT UNION,

Defendant.

AMENDED-[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT AND AWARD OF ATTORNEYS' FEES, COSTS AND SERVICE AWARD

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The Court, having considered Plaintiff's Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement and Award of Attorneys' Fees, Costs and Service Award in the above-captioned matter (the "Action"), the Settlement Agreement and Release entered into between Plaintiff Theodore Strong ("Plaintiff") and Numerica Credit Union ("Defendant"), the lack of objections to and requests for exclusion from the proposed Settlement, the record in this the Action, the submissions and arguments presented by counsel, and having held a Final Approval Hearing on February 14, 2020, finds that:

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1. All capitalized terms in this Final Approval Order shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Settlement Agreement.

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2. The Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of the Action and over the settling parties, including the members of the Settlement Class.

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3. On October 8, 2019, the Court preliminarily approved the Settlement and certified, for settlement purposes, the Class as defined in the Settlement Agreement.

- 4. Pursuant to the Court's Preliminary Approval Order, notice of the Settlement was distributed to the Class by certified mail, US Mail, and email. The Court hereby finds and concludes that the notice was disseminated to members of the Class in accordance with the terms set forth in the Settlement and in compliance with the Court's Preliminary Approval Order. The Court further finds and concludes that the notice, and the distribution procedures set forth in the Settlement fully satisfy CR 23(c)(2) and (e) and the requirements of due process, were the best notice practicable under the circumstances, provided individual notice to all members of the Class who could be identified through reasonable effort, provided an opportunity for the Class Members to object or exclude themselves from the Settlement, and support the Court's exercise of jurisdiction over the Settlement Class as contemplated in the Settlement Agreement and this Final Approval Order.
- 5. The Class Members were given an opportunity to object to the Settlement. No Class Members objected to the Settlement and no Class Members requested exclusion from the Settlement.
- 6. The Settlement was arrived at as a result of arms' length negotiations conducted in good faith by experienced attorneys familiar with the legal and factual issues of this case.
- 7. The Settlement is fair, reasonable, adequate, and in the best interests of the Settlement Class in light of the complexity, expense, and duration of litigation, as well as the risk involved in establishing liability and damages and in maintaining the class action through trial and appeal.
- 8. The consideration provided by the Settlement constitutes fair value given in exchange for the release of the Released Claims against the Released Parties by Settlement Class Members. The Court finds that the consideration provided to members of the Settlement Class is reasonable, considering that facts and circumstances of the claims and affirmative

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defenses asserted in the action, and the potential risks and likelihood of success of alternatively pursuing trial on the merits.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

- 9. The Settlement is finally approved as fair, reasonable, adequate, just, and in compliance with all applicable requirements of the applicable laws, and in the best interest of the Settlement Class. The Settlement Agreement, which shall be deemed incorporated herein, and all terms of the Settlement are finally approved and shall be consummated in accordance with the terms and provisions thereof, except as amended by any subsequent order issued by the Court.
- 10. Pursuant to CR 23(c)(3), the Action is hereby certified, for settlement purposes only, as a class action on behalf of the following Settlement Class Members: All persons who:
 - (a) resided in Washington state when they purchased or otherwise financed a vehicle primarily for personal, family, or household use;
 - (b) whose contract was assigned to Defendant or financing was provided by Defendant; and
 - (c) to whom Defendant issued or failed to issue a Notice of Intent to Sell, pursuant to RCW 62A.9A-614 during the period April 14, 2015 through May 17, 2017 and/or to whom Defendant issued or failed to issue a Notice of Deficiency, pursuant to RCW 62A.9A-616, during the period April 14, 2015 through July 31, 2018.
- Excluded from the class are all persons who (a) filed for bankruptcy protection as to their Numerica auto loan and whose bankruptcy case was not dismissed or otherwise closed as of the date of this Settlement Agreement; or (b) against whom Defendant's assignee obtained a judgment to collect on their Deficiency Balance before May 20, 2019, which judgments are held by unrelated third party debt collectors.
- 11. The Plaintiff and each Settlement Class Member, their respective heirs, executors, administrators, representatives, agents, attorneys, partners, affiliates, successors, predecessors-in-interest, and assigns are deemed to have released, waive, acquitted, and discharged forever each of the Released Parties from each of the Released Claims, as defined in the Settlement Agreement. The Released Claims are compromised, settled, released, AMENDED [PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING

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discharged, and dismissed with prejudice by virtue of these proceedings and this Final Approval Order, provided, however, that the Released Claims shall not be construed to limit the right of Defendant or any member of the Settlement Class to enforce the terms of the Settlement.

- 12. This Final Approval Order is binding on all Settlement Class Members.
- To the extent permitted by law and without affecting the other provisions of this Final Approval Order, this Final Approval Order is intended by the parties and the Court to be *res judicata* and to prohibit and preclude any prior, concurrent, or subsequent litigation brought individually, or in the name of, and/or otherwise on behalf of, Plaintiff or any Settlement Class Member with respect to the Released Claims based upon the same alleged facts.
- 14. The Court retains continuing and exclusive jurisdiction over the parties and all matters relating to the Action and Settlement, including the administration, interpretation, construction, effectuation, enforcement, and consummation of the Settlement, including its injunctive provisions, and this Final Approval Order..
- 15. This Final Approval Order is not, and shall not be construed as, an admission by Defendant of any liability or wrongdoing in this or in any other proceeding.
- 16. The Court approves Class Counsel's application for \$348,540.51 in attorneys' fees and \$18,126.16 in costs, which, together, represents one-third of the Settlement Fund.
- 17. The Settlement created a common fund for the benefit of Settlement Class Members. Accordingly, the Court finds that the percentage of the fund method is the appropriate method to use in determining the appropriate fee award in this case. *Bowles v. Wash. Dep't of Ret. Sys.*, 121 Wn.2d 52, 72, 847 P.2d 440 (1993).
- 18. Class Counsel obtained an excellent result for the Settlement Class. Class Counsel's work lead to the creation of a \$1.1 million common fund from which Settlement Class Members whose statutory damages under the UCC are greater than their remaining Deficiency Balance will receive cash payments. The Settlement benefits also include

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Numerica's agreement to request permanent deletion of the "tradeline" for Settlement Class Members' Numerica auto loans their credit reports and Numerica's dismissal all pending legal actions to collect those Deficiency Balances. Numerica also agrees to permanently cease collection of all remaining Deficiency Balances of the Settlement Class Members whose statutory damages are less than their Deficiency Balance or who do not have statutory damages—which amounts to approximately \$8,330,822.93 in debt waiver. However, if a Settlement Class Member brings any claim against Numerica that is not subject to the Release, Numerica may assert that the Settlement Class Member's Deficiency Balance is an offset to

- An attorneys' fee and cost award equal to one-third of a common fund is appropriate in this case and is in line with cases litigated under the UCC and attorneys' fees and costs awarded by Washington courts. See Final Judgment Approving Settlement and Certifying Settlement Class at 6, Gales v. Capital One, Case No. 8:13-cv-01624-WGC (D. Md. August 5, 2015), ECF No. 78 (approving fee award of one-third in UCC class action); Final Judgment, Smith v. Toyota Motor Credit Corporation, Case No. 12-02029-WDQ (D. Md. Oct. 2, 2014), ECF No. 53 (approving fee award of 49% in UCC class action); see also A.M. v. Moda Health Plan, Inc., C 14-1191 TSZ, 2015 WL 9839771, at *3 (W.D. Wash. Nov. 3, 2015) (awarding fee of 35% of settlement fund); Order Approving Award of Attorneys' Fees and Costs, Terrell v. Costco Wholesale Corp., No. 16-2-10140-1 SEA, (King Cty. Sup. Ct. June 19, 2018) (awarding one-third of fund in class action under the Fair Credit Reporting Act).
- The Court approves a service award to the Named Plaintiff in the amount of 20. \$10,000, to be paid from the Settlement Fund. This amount is reasonable in light of Plaintiff's efforts in this case, which included assisting his counsel with the investigation of his claims, responding to written discovery, being deposed, and assisting with settlement negotiations.
- The Court further approves and authorizes the deduction of an amount not to 21. exceed \$29,500 from the Settlement Fund to cover the Class Administrator's costs.

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APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT AND

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AWARD OF ATTORNEYS' FEES, COSTS AND SERVICE

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3 4 5 6 7 AMANDA DOUGHERTY, individually and as 8 a representative of the class, 9 Plaintiff, 10 V. 11 BARRETT BUSINESS SERVICES, INC., 12 Defendant. 13 14 15 16 17

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THE HONORABLE DAVID E. GREGERSON Department 2

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SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY OF CLARK

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| FINAL APPROVAL ORDER AND ENTRY OF JUDGMENT

NO. 17-2-05619-1

The Court, having considered Plaintiff's Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement between Plaintiff Amanda Dougherty ("Plaintiff") and Barrett Business Services, Inc. ("Defendant") in the above-captioned matter (the "Action"), the Class Action Settlement Agreement and Release entered into between Plaintiff and Defendant ("Settlement"), Plaintiff's' Motion for an Award of Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Class Representative Service Award, and the lack of objections received regarding the proposed Settlement, the record in this the Action, the submissions and arguments presented by counsel, and, having held a Final Approval Hearing on November 8, 2019, finds that:

- 1. Unless defined herein, for purposes of this Final Approval Order, all capitalized terms in this Final Approval Order shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Settlement.
- 2. The Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of the Action and over the settling parties, including the members of the Settlement Class.

- On June 28, 2018, the Court preliminarily approved the Settlement and certified,
 for settlement purposes, the Settlement Class as defined in the Settlement.
- 4. Pursuant to the Court's Preliminary Approval Order, the Notice was distributed to the Class by email and US Mail. The Court hereby finds and concludes that the Notice was disseminated to members of the Settlement Class in accordance with the terms set forth in the Settlement and in compliance with the Court's Preliminary Approval Order. The Court further finds and concludes that the Notice, and the distribution procedures set forth in the Settlement fully satisfy CR 23(c)(2) and the requirements of due process, were the best notice practicable under the circumstances, provided individual notice to all members of the Settlement Class who could be identified through reasonable effort, provided an opportunity for the Settlement Class Members to object or exclude themselves from the Settlement, and support the Court's exercise of jurisdiction over the Settlement Class as contemplated in the Settlement and this Final Approval Order.
- 5. The Settlement Class Members were given an opportunity to object to the Settlement. No Settlement Class Members objected to the Settlement. The Settlement Class Members who made valid and timely requests for exclusion are excluded from the Settlement and are not bound by this Final Approval Order. Three Settlement Class Members requested exclusion. The identities of such persons are set forth in the Declaration of Jennifer M. Keogh that was filed in support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Final Approval.
- The Settlement was arrived at as a result of arms' length negotiations conducted in good faith by experienced attorneys familiar with the legal and factual issues of this case.
- 7. The Settlement is fair, reasonable, adequate, and in the best interests of the Settlement Class in light of the complexity, expense, and duration of litigation, as well as the risk involved in establishing liability and damages and in maintaining the class action through trial and appeal.

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8. The consideration provided by the Settlement constitutes fair value given in exchange for the release of the Settlement Class Member Released Claims against the Released Parties. The Court finds that the consideration provided to members of the Settlement Class is reasonable, considering that facts and circumstances of the claims and affirmative defenses asserted in the action, and the potential risks and likelihood of success of alternatively pursuing trial on the merits.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

- 9. The Settlement is finally approved as fair, reasonable, adequate, just, and in compliance with all applicable requirements of the applicable laws, and in the best interest of the Settlement Class. The Settlement Agreement, which shall be deemed incorporated herein, and all terms the Settlement are finally approved and shall be consummated in accordance with the terms and provisions thereof, except as amended by any subsequent order issued by the Court.
- 10. Pursuant to CR 23(c)(3), the Action is hereby certified, for settlement purposes only, as a class action on behalf of the following Settlement Class Members: all individuals on whom Defendant obtained a consumer report for employment purposes containing a liability release or an overbroad authorization from August 26, 2013 to June 28, 2019.
- Pursuant to CR 23, the Court certifies Plaintiff Amanda Dougherty as the Class Representative and appoints Terrell Marshall Law Group, PLLC and Berger Montague PC as Class Counsel.
- 12. For settlement purposes only, the Court finds that the Action satisfies the applicable prerequisites for class action treatment under CR 23(a) and (b)(3), namely:
 - The Settlement Class is so numerous that joinder of all members is impracticable;
 - There are questions of law and fact common to the Settlement Class Members;

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- The claims of the Class Representative are typical of the claims of the Settlement Class Members;
- The Class Representative and Class Counsel have fairly and adequately represented and protected the interests of all of the Settlement Class Members;
- · Common issues predominate over any individualized issues; and
- A class action is superior to thousands of individual actions.
- 13. The Plaintiff, Settlement Class Members, and their successors and assigns are permanently barred and enjoined from instituting or prosecuting, either individually or as a class, or in any other capacity, any of the Settlement Class Member Released Claims against any of the Released Parties, as set forth in the Settlement. Pursuant to the release contained in the Settlement, the Released Claims are compromised, settled, released, discharged, and dismissed with prejudice by virtue of these proceedings and this Final Approval Order, provided, however, that the Settlement Class Member Released Claims shall not be construed to limit the right of Defendant or any member of the Settlement Class to enforce the terms of the Settlement.
- 14. This Final Approval Order is binding on all Settlement Class Members, except those individuals who validly and timely excluded themselves from the Settlement. The identities of such persons are set forth in the Supplemental Declaration of Jennifer M. Keogh that was filed in support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Final Approval.
- 15. To the extent permitted by law and without affecting the other provisions of this Final Approval Order, this Final Approval Order is intended by the parties and the Court to be res judicata and to prohibit and preclude any prior, concurrent, or subsequent litigation brought individually, or in the name of, and/or otherwise on behalf of, Plaintiff or any Settlement Class Member with respect to the Settlement Class Member Released Claims based upon the same alleged facts.

- 16. The Court hereby retains continuing and exclusive jurisdiction over the parties and all matters relating to the Action and/or Settlement, including the administration, interpretation, construction, effectuation, enforcement, and consummation of the Settlement, including its injunctive provisions, and this Final Approval Order. This Final Approval Order finally disposes of all claims and is appealable.
- 17. This Final Approval Order is not, and shall not be construed as, an admission by Defendant of any liability or wrongdoing in this or in any other proceeding.
- 18. The Court approves Class Counsel's application for \$528,752.51 in attorneys' fees and costs. This amount reflected actual costs incurred and an attorneys' fee award of one-third of the Settlement Fund.
- 19. The Settlement created a common fund for the benefit of class members.

 Accordingly, the Court finds that the percentage of the fund method is the appropriate method to use in determining the appropriate fee award in this case. *Bowles v. Wash. Dep't of Ret. Sys.*, 121 Wn.2d 52, 72, 847 P.2d 440 (1993).
- 20. Class Counsel obtained an excellent result for the Settlement Class. Class Counsel's work lead to the creation of a \$1.5 million common fund. More than 10% of the Class submitted claims, and each class member who submitted a claim will be paid an estimated \$129. These results exceed those achieved in similar cases.
- 21. An attorneys' fee award equal to one-third of a common fund is appropriate in cases litigated under the Fair Credit Reporting Act. *King v. Gen. Info. Serv., Inc.*, No. 10-cv-6850, ECF No. 126 (E.D. Penn. Nov. 4, 2014) (awarding counsel one-third of fund in FCRA class action); *Ford v. CEC Entm't Inc.*, No. 14CV677 JLS (JLB), 2015 WL 11439033, at *1 (S.D. Cal. Dec. 14, 2015) (awarding fee of one-third in FCRA class action); *Razilov v. Nationwide Mut. Ins. Co.*, No. 01-CV-1466-BR, 2006 WL 3312024, at *1 (D. Or. Nov. 13, 2006).

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Exhibit 5

THE HONORABLE MARY E. ROBERTS 1 Department 4 Noted for Consideration: 2 With Oral Argument 3 4 5 6 7 8 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING 9 JULIUS TERRELL, as an individual and as a 10 representative of the class, NO. 16-2-19140-1 SEA 11 PROPOSED ORDER APPROVING Plaintiff, AWARD OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND 12 COSTS 13 COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP., 14 Defendant. 15 16 THIS MATTER came before the Court on June 15, 2018, on Plaintiff's Motion for 17 Final Approval of Class Action Settlement and Motion for Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Class 18 Representative Service Award. On June 15, 2018, the Court entered an order granting final 19 approval of the Class Settlement, approving payment of the requested attorney's fees, costs and 20 costs of settlement administration, and awarding a class representative service award. The 21 Court makes the following additional findings regarding its award of attorneys' fees, costs and 22 service award. 23 The Court heard oral argument on June 15, 2018, and has considered the following 24 submissions: 25 26 TERRELL MARSHALL LAW GROUP PLLC

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1	class action)	; Ford v. CEC Entm't Inc., No. 14CV677 JLS (JLB), 2015 WL 11439033, at *1		
2	(S.D. Cal. Dec. 14, 2015) (awarding fee of one-third in FCRA class action); Razilov v.			
3	Nationwide	Mut. Ins. Co., No. 01-CV-1466-BR, 2006 WL 3312024, at *1 (D. Or. Nov. 13,		
4	2006).			
5	6.	The Court has considered the factors set forth in Washington Rule of		
6	Professional	Conduct 1.5(a) in concluding that the requested fee is reasonable. Specifically:		
7		a. The case raised novel and difficult questions of law, which demanded		
8		litigators with the skill and experience of Class Counsel.		
9		b. Class Counsel's work on this matter precluded work on other matters.		
10		c. A one-third fee in contingency cases is customary in this county.		
11		d. The excellent results obtained and the amount of time involved support		
12		the award.		
13	7.	While the Court concludes that the percentage-of-the-fund method is appropri		
14	here, the Co	urt concludes that the lodestar method confirms that the requested fee is reasona		
15	Class Couns	el devoted over 513 hours to the investigation, development, litigation and		
16	resolution of	f this case, incurring over \$222,400.30 in lodestar. The Court has reviewed Class		
17	Counsel's co	ontemporaneous billing records documenting the hours worked and finds the hou		
18	expended re	asonable.		
19	8.	Class Counsel calculated their lodestar using reasonable hourly rates.		
20		a. The following hourly rates billed by Berger and Montague are		
21		reasonable given the experience and skill of counsel:		

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Timekeeper	Experience	Rate	
E. Michelle Drake	Partner with 17 years of experience	\$700	
Joseph Hashmall	Associate with 7 years of experience	\$515	
John Albanese	Associate with 6 years of experience	\$430	
Jean Hibray, Jean Ebensperger and Mai Xiong	Paralegals	\$230-\$280	

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b. The following hourly rates billed by Terrell Marshall Law Group are reasonable given the experience and skill of counsel:

Timekeeper	Experience	Rate
Beth E. Terrell	Partner with 23 years of experience.	\$500
Amanda M. Steiner	Partner with 21 years of experience.	\$495
Jennifer R. Murray	Partner with 13 years of experience.	\$450
Maria C. Hoisington	Associate with 2 years of experience.	\$225
Bradford Kinsey, Holly Rota, Hannelore Ohaus, Samuel Levy	Paralegals and legal assistants.	\$75-\$100

9. Similar rates have been approved numerous times in class action cases brought in both the Western District of Washington and King County Superior Court. See, e.g., Carideo v. Dell, Inc., No. 06-cv-01772, ECF No. 162 (W.D. Wash. Dec. 17, 2010) (Judge Robart approving as reasonable a fee petition which included rates ranging from \$175 to \$600); Barnett v. Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., No. 01-2-24553-8 (King Co., July 20, 2009) (Judge Spector approving fee request based on rates ranging from \$100 to \$760); Splater v. Thermal Ease Hydronic Systems, Inc., No. 03-2-33553-3 (King Co., July 31, 2009) (Judge Washington approving fee request based on rates ranging from \$100 to \$760); Hartman v. Comcast Business Communications, LLC, No. 10-0413, ECF No. 106 (W.D. Wash Dec. 8, 2011) (Judge Lasnik approving Plaintiff's counsel's fee request based on rates ranging from \$180 to \$650). Class Counsel are experienced, highly regarded members of the bar with extensive expertise in the area of class actions and complex litigation involving Fair Credit Reporting Act claims like those at issue here. Their requested hourly rates are reasonable in light of their qualifications and experience.

10. Class Counsel's requested fee of \$830,000 represents a 3.73 multiplier on their total lodestar to date. This requested multiplier is reasonable considering that counsel is seeking one-third of the common fund created through the Settlement. See *Bowles*, 121 Wn.2d at 72–73 (approving multiplier of three where plaintiff's fee request was found reasonable using

percentage-of-the-fund method); see Vizcaino v. Microsoft Corp., 290 F.3d 1043, 1051, n. 6
(9th Cir. 2002) (finding that in approximately 83% of cases surveyed by the court, the
multiplier was between 1.0 and 4.0 and affirming a multiplier of 3.65); McIntosh v. McAfee,
Inc., No. 06-cv-7694, 2009 WL 673976, at *2 (N.D. Cal. 2009) (recognizing a range from "2 to
4 or even higher"); Van Vranken v. Atlantic Richfield Co., 901 F. Supp. 294, 298 (N.D. Cal.
1995) ("[m]ultipliers in the 3-4 range are common").

- 11. Class Counsel assumed significant risk in this case, a factor which further justifies the requested multiplier. Class Counsel took this case on a contingency basis and have devoted nearly two years to prosecuting it with no guarantee they would ever be paid for their efforts. A review of the motions pending before this Court prior to settlement more illustrates the risk Counsel took in taking on this case. Both the delay in payment and the risk involved in this kind of case justify the multiplier requested here.
- 12. Class Counsel's requested costs are also reasonable. Counsel submitted detailed and itemized cost records to the Court, which the Court has reviewed, and approved.
- 13. The Settlement Administrator's fee request is also reasonable. The Administrator submitted a declaration describing the services performed in providing notice to Class Members, processing claims, and answering Class Member inquires, among other tasks. The fee charged for these services was reasonable, and is approved.
- 14. The Class Representative's requested service payment is also reasonable.

 Plaintiff assisted in the investigation, litigation and settlement of this case, and a \$3500 service payment for his assistance to the Class is reasonable and appropriate.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

The following payments in connection with the Settlement may be deducted from the settlement fund in accordance with the Court's Final Approval Order and the Settlement Agreement:

	(1)	attorneys' fees to Class Counsel in the amount of \$830,000, which is one-third
of the	e settlen	nent fund;
	(2)	reimbursement of Class Counsel's out-of-pocket costs in the amount of
\$17,	780.12;	
	(3)	reimbursement of the Settlement Administrator's expenses in an amount not to
exce	ed \$179	,822 to JND Administration; and
	(4)	a Class Representative Service Award of \$3,500 to Plaintiff Julius Terrell.
	IT IS	HEREBY ORDERED.
	DAT	ED this 19 that June, 2018.
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		HONORABLE MARY E. ROBERTS
		KING COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE
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