

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

MASON VAUGHAN, *individually and  
on behalf of himself and all others similarly  
situated,*

Plaintiff,

v.

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FRATERNITY, DELTA DELTA  
DELTA FOUNDATION, DELTA  
DELTA DELTA PARK STREET  
PROPERTIES, LLC, and DELTA  
DELTA DELTA NATIONAL  
HOUSE CORPORATION,

Defendants.

1:24CV186

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION  
FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES, COSTS AND SERVICE AWARD**

A class action is pending in this Court as captioned above. Plaintiff MASON VAUGHAN, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated (collectively "Plaintiff") and Defendants have entered into a Settlement Agreement (the "Settlement Agreement") that settles the above-captioned litigation and provides for a dismissal with prejudice of the claims asserted against Defendants in the above-captioned litigation (the "Action").

**THE FINAL APPROVAL HEARING** came on before the Court on March 10, 2025, on Plaintiff's Motion for Attorneys' Fees, Costs and Service Award, (ECF No. 29). In addition, the Court addressed Plaintiff's unopposed Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement, (ECF No. 32), which has been addressed by separate Order of this Court that will be filed simultaneously with this Order.

The Court has reviewed and considered this Motion and attached exhibits, as well as the arguments of counsel made at the hearing on March 10, 2025, and the law.

The Court finds that the attorney's fees and expenses are reasonable and within the range of awards in similar class actions within the Fourth Circuit and that the requested Service Award is fair and reasonable in light of Plaintiff's contributions to the litigation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. Class Counsel is awarded attorneys' fees and expenses in the total amount of **\$50,000.00**, to be paid from the Settlement Fund.
2. Plaintiff Mason Vaughan is awarded a Service Award of **\$2,500.00**, to be paid from the Settlement Fund, in recognition of his efforts in representing the Settlement Class.
3. The Settlement Administrative fees to CPT Group, Inc., shall not exceed **\$17,000.00** to be paid from the Settlement Fund.
4. That **\$5,580** for Identity Theft Credit Monitoring shall be paid to CyEx, LLC from the Settlement Fund.
5. These amounts outlined in paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 shall be distributed by the Settlement Administrator in accordance with the terms of the Settlement Agreement.

This 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 2025.

/s/ Loretta C. Biggs

Senior United States District Judge