

U.S. city reaches \$45 million settlement Black man who was paralyzed in police



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New Haven, June 15 (RHC)-- The U.S. city of New Haven, Connecticut, has reached a historic \$45 million settlement with Randy Cox, a Black man who was left paralyzed after he was handcuffed and placed in the back of a police van without a seat belt.

After the van made an abrupt stop, Cox slid headfirst into a metal partition, seriously injuring his neck and spine. Officers then ignored his pleas for help.

Five police officers have pleaded “not guilty” to criminal charges including second-degree reckless endangerment.

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