



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County  
Board of Commissioners**

**Finance Subcommittee on Litigation**

**Tuesday, December 12, 2017**

**12:00 PM**

**Cook County Building, Board Room,  
118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois**

**NOTICE AND AGENDA**

There will be a meeting of the Committee or Subcommittee of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County at the date, time and location listed above to consider the following:

**PUBLIC TESTIMONY**

Authorization as a public speaker shall only be granted to those individuals who have submitted in writing, their name, address, subject matter, and organization (if any) to the Secretary 24 hours in advance of the meeting. Duly authorized public speakers shall be called upon to deliver testimony at a time specified in the meeting agenda. Authorized public speakers who are not present during the specified time for public testimony will forfeit their allotted time to speak at the meeting. Public testimony must be germane to a specific item(s) on the meeting agenda, and the testimony must not exceed three minutes; the Secretary will keep track of the time and advise when the time for public testimony has expired. Persons authorized to provide public testimony shall not use vulgar, abusive, or otherwise inappropriate language when addressing the Board; failure to act appropriately; failure to speak to an item that is germane to the meeting, or failure to adhere to the time requirements may result in expulsion from the meeting and/or disqualify the person from providing future testimony.

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**COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 11/14/2017

[18-0899](#)

**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**CASE DISPOSITION SUMMARY REPORT**

*Civil Rights Section - 11/3/2017 - 11/29/2017*

[18-0897](#)

**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**SPECIAL STATE'S ATTORNEY'S INVOICES FOR APPROVAL**

*Hernandez v. Cook County Sheriff's Department, et al.*

Case No: 07 C 855

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Larry S. Kowalczyk and  
the Firm of Querrey & Harrow, LTD.

**Tab Item No. 1**

*Avalos, Hector, et al. v. Robert Vais, et al.*

Case No. 14 L 1734

In re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses  
For Special State's Attorney William B. Oberts and  
the Firm of Tribler, Orpett & Meyer, P.C.

**Tab Item No. 2**

*Chicago Tribune Company v. Cook County Assessor's Office*

Case No: 16 CH 4992

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Steven M. Puiszis and  
the firm of Hinshaw & Culbertson, LLP.

**Tab Item No. 3**

*In Re: Level Assessment Litigation*

Case Nos. 2004 Tax Obj. No. 05 COTO 3938

2005 Tax Obj. No. 07 COTO 1618

2006 Tax Obj. No. 07 COTO 0779

2007 Tax Obj. No. 08 COTO 5700

2008 Tax Obj. No. 09 COTO 6258

Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Steven M. Puiszis and the  
firm of Hinshaw & Culbertson, LLP.

**Tab Item No. 4**

*Zaborowski, et al. v. Sheriff of Cook County, et al.*

Case No. 08 C 6946

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for

Special State's Attorney John J. Rock and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 5**

*Kelly v. Village of Kenilworth, et al.*

Case No. 16 CH 5192

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney John J. Rock and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 6**

*Percy Taylor v. Sheriff Dart, et al.*

Case No. 13 C 1856, 13 C 6512, 15 C 5919

Case No. 14 L 6617

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney John J. Rock and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 7**

*United States of America, et al. v. Triad Isotopes Inc. et al.*

Case No. 11 C 8098

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney John J. Rock and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 8**

*Patricia Hicks v. Cook County Sheriff's Office, et al.*

Jasmin McBride and Lorenzo Smith v. Cook County  
Sheriff's Office, et al.

Case No. 15 C 6852 and 17 C 4951

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney John J. Rock and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 9**

*Alstory Simon v. Northwestern University, et al.*

Case No. 15 C 1433

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Eileen E. Rosen and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 10**

*Dorothy Holmes, et al. v. Officer George Hernandez, et al.*

Case No. 14 C 8536

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Eileen E. Rosen and the firm  
of Rock, Fusco & Connelly, LLC.

**Tab Item No. 11**

*Stewart Title Guaranty Company v. Nicholas Grapsas, et al.*

Case No. 2015 L 4520 and 2012 P 3203

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney John H. Scheid, Jr. and the  
firm of Pretzel & Stouffer, Chartered.

**Tab Item No. 12**

*Terrill Swift v. City of Chicago, et al.*

Case No: 12 L 12995

*Michael Saunders v. City of Chicago, et al.*

Case No: 12 CV 09158

*Vincent Thames v. City of Chicago, et al.*

Case No: 12 CV 09170

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Patricia C. Bobb and the  
Law Offices of Patricia C. Bobb & Associates, P.C.

**Tab Item No. 13**

*RE: Research re: Ordinance.*

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for  
Special State's Attorney Patricia B. Holmes and the  
firm of Riley Safer Holmes and Cancila, LLP.

**Tab Item No. 14**

[18-0856](#)

**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING**

**Department:** State's Attorney's Office, Civil Actions Bureau

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**Request:** Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Litigation

**Case Name:** Doe, Jane v. Cook County

**Case Number:** 14 L 3950

[18-0857](#)

**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING**

**Department:** State's Attorney's Office, Civil Actions Bureau

**Request:** Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Litigation

**Case Name:** Jackson, Napoleon v. Cook County (Est. Althea Jackson)

**Case Number:** 14 L 12610

[18-0913](#)

**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING**

**Department:** State's Attorney's Office, Civil Actions Bureau

**Request:** Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Litigation

**Case Name:** John Luckett v. Cook County Sheriff's Office

**Case Number:** 14 C 6089

[18-0895](#)

**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING**

**Department:** State's Attorney's Office, Civil Actions Bureau

**Request:** Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Litigation

**Case Name:** Shakman, et al. v. Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, et al.

**Case Number:** 69 C 2145

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**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING**

**Department:** State's Attorney's Office, Civil Actions Bureau

**Request:** Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Litigation

**Case Name:** City of Chicago and People of the State of Illinois, ex rel. Kimberly M. Foxx, State's Attorney of Cook County, Illinois v. Uber Technologies, Inc., et al.

**Case Number:** 17 CH 15594

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**Presented by:** CHAKA M. PATTERSON, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

**PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING**

**Department:** State's Attorney's Office, Civil Actions Bureau

**Request:** Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Litigation

**Case Name:** Percy Taylor v. Thomas J. Dart, et al.

**Case Number:** 13 CH 26319

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Matthew B. DeLeon". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath it.

Secretary

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