



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County
Finance Subcommittee on Litigation**

Tuesday, October 25, 2016

11:00 AM

**Cook County Building, Board Room, 569
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.

16-6070

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 9/13/2016

CASE DISPOSITION SUMMARY REPORTS

16-5878

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

- *Torts & Civil Rights* 9/ 13/2016 - 10/25/2016

CASES PENDING LITIGATION

14-0422

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Wajih Tadros (Estate of Mary Tadros) v. County of Cook

Case Number: 13L8577

16-5880

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Sharp v. Smith, et al.

Case Number: 15 C 11510

16-5886

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Danny Romeo v. Thomas Dart

Case Number: 14 C 8703

16-5894

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Roland, Tyrese v Thomas Dart and Cook County

Case Number: 14 C 10661

16-5898

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Fincher, Dexter v. Cook County

Case Number: 15 L 6626

16-5914

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Pindak v. Public Building Commission, et al.

Case Number: 10 C 6237

16-5915

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Wilson-Hewitt v. Cook County, et al.

Case Number: 15 L 1443

16-5916

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, 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: Conwell v. Johnsen, et al.

Case Number: 12 C 10062

SPECIAL STATE'S ATTORNEY'S INVOICES FOR APPROVAL

16-5777

Presented by: DONALD J. PECHOUS, Deputy State's Attorney, Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

1) *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 Matthew R. Henderson and the firm of Hinshaw & Culbertson, LLP

2) *Leonard Grasso v Cook County Sheriff, et al.*

Case No. 15 C 10510

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for Special State's Attorney John C. Coyne and the Law Office of John C. Coyne

3) *Percy, Taylor v Sheriff Dart, et.al.*
Case No. 13 C 1856, 13 C 6512, 15 C 5919
Case No. 14 L 661

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

4) *Blanchard, Patrick v. Joseph Berrios*
Case No: 13 CH 1430

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for Special State's Attorney Alexander Polikoff and the Business and Professional People for the Public Interest

5) *Jackson, Shirley E. v Cook County Health and Human Services*
Case No. 14 L 4343

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for Special State's Attorney Jason A. Parson and the firm of Anderson, Razor & Partners, LLP

6) *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

7) *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

8) *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 Puiszis and the firm of Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP

9) *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 Matthew R. Henderson and the firm of Hinshaw & Culbertson, LLP

10) *Hudson v. Preckwinkle, et al.*
Case No: 13 C 8752

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for Special State's Attorney Paul O'Grady and the firm of Peterson Johnson & Murray Chicago, LLC

11) *United States of America v. Cook County, et al.*

Case No: 10 C 2946

In Re: Review of Attorney Fees and Expenses for Special State's Attorney Paul O'Grady and the firm of Peterson Johnson & Murray Chicago, LLC

***THIS SUBCOMMITTEE ROUTINELY MEETS IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.**



Matthew DeLeon
Secretary

Chairman: Silvestri
Vice-Chairman: Fritchey
Members: Boykin, Gainer, Schneider, Suffredin, Tobolski