



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County  
Minutes of the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation**

**11:30 AM**

**Tuesday, November 2, 2021**

**Virtual Meeting**

**ATTENDANCE**

**Present:** Chairman S. Morrison, Vice-Chairman Britton, Commissioners Degnen, K. Morrison and Johnson (5)

**PUBLIC TESTIMONY**

Chairman S. Morrison asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in Accordance with Cook County Code.

No speakers.

**Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison, moved that the Workers' Compensation Subcommittee convene in Open Session to consider matters of pending Workers' Compensation. The motion carried.**

**Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison, moved Approval of the cases over \$25,000.00. The motion carried.**

**21-6062**

**COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 10/05/2021

**A motion was made by Commissioner Degnen, seconded by Commissioner Johnson, to approve 21-6062. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Chairman S. Morrison, Vice-Chairman Britton, Commissioners Degnen, K. Morrison and Johnson (5)

## **1. SETTLEMENTS AND DECISIONS**

### **BARRIOS, JESSICA**

**20 WC 18242**

Petitioner injured her left shoulder while restraining an inmate.

**Commissioner Johnson seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison moved Approval. The motion carried.**

### **MILLER, LASEAN**

**19 WC 25160**

Petitioner was injured when running from a car fire leading him to fall on a wet surface and injure his left wrist, right elbow and right shoulder.

**Commissioner Johnson seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison moved Approval. The motion carried.**

### **TAYLOR, ARTHUR**

**19 WC 18207**

Petitioner suffered injuries to his left hand as he attempted to arrest a subject after an alleged drug purchase.

**19 WC 18208**

Petitioner injured his left hand when chasing and arresting a suspect.

**Commissioner Johnson seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison moved Approval. The motion carried.**

### **VALENTINO, DIANE**

**17 WC 28521**

Petitioner injured her left knee after she tripped over a printer cord.

**Commissioner Johnson seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison moved Approval. The motion carried.**

### **VALENZUELA, FRED**

**20 WC 05041**

Petitioner injured his left knee while performing a restraint technique on an inmate.

**Commissioner Johnson seconded by Commissioner K. Morrison moved Approval. The motion carried.**

## ADJOURNMENT

**A motion was made by Commissioner K. Morrison, seconded by Commissioner Johnson, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Chairman S. Morrison, Vice-Chairman Britton, Commissioners Degnen, K. Morrison and Johnson (5)

Respectfully submitted,



Chairman

LYNNE M. TURNER  
Interim Secretary

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