



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

11:30 AM

Wednesday, September 20, 2023

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

ATTENDANCE

Present: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (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.

1. George Blakemore - Concerned citizen

23-4859

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 7/19/2023

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Morita, to approve 23-4859. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4695

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Carolynn Adame v. Cook County Sheriff's Department

Case Number: 21 WC 031329

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4695. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4127

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Samuel Alberto v Cook County

Case Number: 20 WC 009315

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4127. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4235

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Amana Allen v. Cook County

Case Number: 19 WC 015202

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4235. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-3827

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Frank Anson

Case Number: 19 WC 015241

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-3827. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4107

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Tiffany Boyd

Case Number: 21 WC 23573

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4107. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4236

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Gabbieal Brooks v. Cook County

Case Number: 16 WC 16076; 17 WC 07291

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4236. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4186

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Brian Crawford v. Cook County

Case Number: 22 WC 23206

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4186. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4678

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Cuellar, Edgar v Cook County Sheriff's Office

Case Number: 21 WC 004557; 21 WC 028816; 22 WC 000066; 22 WC 010763

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4678. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4696

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Deborah Eck v. Cook County Sheriff's Office

Case Number: 21 WC 014824

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4696. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4718

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Jason Fowler v. Cook County Sheriff's Office

Case Number: 20 WC 023219

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4718. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4720

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Anthony Kolaski v. Cook County Sheriff's Office

Case Number: 21 WC 035164

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4720. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4223

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Noel Lucas v. Cook County

Case Number: 19 WC 032916

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4223. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4237

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Felix McClure v. Cook County

Case Number: 21 WC 19929

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4237. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4185

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Anthony Medrano v. Cook Count

Case Number: 20 WC 15578

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4185. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4479

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Emilio Mendez v. County of Cook

Case Number: 21 WC 009998

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4479. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4662

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Messina, Jeffrey v. Cook County Court Services Division

Case Number: 22 WC 010763

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4662. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4106

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Keith Oleksiak v. Cook County

Case Number: 21 WC 014367

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4106. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4244

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Ramiro Orona v. Cook County

Case Number: 19 WC 016918

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4244. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4238

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Tracy Perry Parks v. Cook County

Case Number: 20 WC 13809; 20 WC 13810

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4238. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4477

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Latrina Rogers v. County of Cook

Case Number: 21 WC 31671 & 23 WC 09139

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4477. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4206

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Gilbert Sanchez v. Cook County

Case Number: 22 WC 004891

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4206. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4392

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Kristin Sellers v. County of Cook

Case Number: 20 WC 029754; 20 WC 029755; 21 WC 015267 & 21 WC 022232

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4392. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-3883

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Reginald W. Taylor v. Stroger Hospital of Cook County

Case Number: 14 WC 015570; 15 WC 032375

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-3883. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4329

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Samantha Tikalsky v. Cook County

Case Number: 21 WC 026830

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4329. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4697

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Maria Valdivia v. Cook County Department of Public Health

Case Number: 12 WC 03489

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4697. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-2781

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Alphonso B. Ward. V. Cook County

Case Number: 19 WC 030943

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-2781. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4336

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Gary W. Ward v. Cook County

Case Number: 22 WC 023650

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4336. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

23-4375

PROPOSED LITIGATION PENDING

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

Request: Refer to the Board and/or the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Case Name: Tascha Williams-Akodu v. County of Cook

Case Number: 22 WC 005495

A motion was made by Vice Chairwoman Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Quezada, to approve 23-4375. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner Quezada, seconded by Commissioner Gordon, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: S. Morrison, Trevor, Gordon, Morita, and Quezada (5)

Respectfully submitted,



Chairman



Secretary

A complete record of this meeting is available at <https://cook-county.legistar.com>.