

Board of Commissioners of Cook County

Minutes of the Finance Subcommittee on Workers' Compensation

Tuesday, September 8, 2015

11:30 AM

Cook County Building, Board Room, Rm. 569

118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois

ATTENDANCE

Present:

Chairman Schneider, Vice Chairman Arroyo, Commissioners Goslin, Moore and Tobolski (5)

Absent:

None (0)

PUBLIC TESTIMONY

Chairman Schneider asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in accordance with Cook County Code, Sec. 2-107 (dd).

There were no public speakers.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved that the Workers' Compensation Subcommittee convene in Open Session to consider matters of pending Workers' Compensation. The motion carried.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval of the cases over \$25,000.00. The motion carried.

15-5245

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 07/01/2015

This Committee Minutes was deferred until the next meeting.

1. SETTLEMENTS

County Government

CALLAHAN, MICHAEL 14 WC 03738

\$51,163.37

The Petitioner was assisting in containing a riot when he injured his right arm.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

CONLEY, ELYCE 11 WC 41785

\$45,120.62

The Petitioner injured her left arm and shoulder while attempting to handcuff a combative detainee.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

GRIFFITH, JENNIFER 12 WC 04485

\$35,206.47

The Petitioner injured her left arm and shoulder while attempting to handcuff a combative detainee.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

K1NG, CHRISTOPHER 09 WC 20874

\$75,678.37

The Petitioner injured his right shoulder while restraining a combative detainee. 04/01/14 – The Petitioner reached his right arm across his chest to pick up a large stack of paperwork when he heard a pop in his right shoulder.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

PERRY, ROY 09 WC 05805

\$78,403.72

The Petitioner and his partner were traveling south bound on Loomis when another car failed to stop at a stop sign and struck their unit car on the passenger side, causing the vehicle to spin out of control and strike a packed vehicle.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

REWOLINSKI, TERESA

14 WC 08881

\$29,305.60

The Petitioner was hit by a car in the parking lot at the Rolling Meadows courthouse.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

RICCIO, MICHAEL

09 WC 49589

\$73,000.00

The Petitioner injured his lower back and right knee while shoveling asphalt off the back of a truck.

09 WC 49590

The Petitioner injured his left wrist, when the steel part of a sewer cleaner, weighing 150 pounds, fell off the truck and struck his left wrist.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

RUBEN, DEON 12 WC 20970

\$41,232.10

The Petitioner injured his left shoulder after he fell to the ground while trying to restrain a juvenile detainee.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

HOSPITALS

KESTELOOT, AUDREY

09 WC 50293

\$39,413.80

The Petitioner injured her left leg when she was run over by another employee driving a motorized cart in a hallway

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

2. **DECISIONS**

CISNEROS, BELINDA 02 WC 4200

\$144,446.98

The Petitioner injured both arms from repetitive motion.

Vice Chairman Arroyo seconded by Commissioner Tobolski moved Approval. The motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Arroyo, seconded by Commissioner Tobolski, moved to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:

Chairman Schneider, Vice Chairman Arroyo, Commissioners Goslin, Moore and Tobolski (5)

Absent:

None (0)

Respectfully submitted,

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