

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

11:30 AM

Tuesday, September 21, 2021

Virtual Meeting

ATTENDANCE

Present: Chairman S. Morrison, Commissioners Degnen, K. Morrison and Johnson (4)

Absent: Vice-Chairman Britton Excused Absent (1)

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

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

21-5146

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 07/22/2021

A motion was made by Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Degnen, to approve 21-5146. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Chairman S. Morrison, Commissioners Degnen, K. Morrison and Johnson (4)

Absent: Vice-Chairman Britton Excused Absent (1)

1. <u>SETTLEMENTS AND DECISIONS</u>

<u>CAMP, ARTHUR</u> 20 WC 10991	Petitioner was in the commissary when he tripped over a bench that was affixed to a table. Petitioner fell on his knees on outstretched hands, injuring his bilateral knees, bilateral wrists, and back.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
<u>COLLINS, ARCHELLE</u> 21 WC 14286	Petitioner hit her left hand on the underside of a marble counter.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
<u>FLAHERTY, PATRICK</u> 17 WC 24905	Petitioner slipped and fell on ice while exiting his vehicle.
20 WC 28606	Petitioner struck his head on a metal rolling door while leaving a room.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
<u>KEHOE, DAVID</u> 18 WC 28108	
	Approval. The motion carried. Petitioner was involved in a motor vehicle accident when he was rear ended by another vehicle. Petitioner's vehicle was stationary at the time of impact. Petitioner reported pain to his left shoulder,
	 Approval. The motion carried. Petitioner was involved in a motor vehicle accident when he was rear ended by another vehicle. Petitioner's vehicle was stationary at the time of impact. Petitioner reported pain to his left shoulder, neck, and lower back. K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved

<u>KUNCE, KRUSTINA</u> 19 WC 16292	Petitioner injured her right eye and cheek, nose, and right wrist while separating two fighting residents and was punched in the face.
20 WC 11134	Petitioner re-injured her right wrist while attempting to restrain and separate two fighting residents.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
LAMEK, MAGDALENA 18 WC 30672	Petitioner was breaking up a fight between residents. The next day she felt pain in her lower back, radiating hips, along with pain in her right leg, calf, and buttocks.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
<u>LARKIN, JOSEPH</u> 18 WC 24297	Petitioner injured his left leg when attempting to handcuff a detainee. Petitioner reported hearing an audible "pop" in his knee when it struck the ground during the altercation.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
MARCINIAK, GEORGE 16 WC 03205	Petitioner, injured his left knee and right shoulder while restraining a combative detainee when their legs became interlocked causing Petitioner to fall to the ground.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.
PARKER SR., TIMOTHY 18 WC 7222	Petitioner alleged injuries to his left arm as a result of performing work activities of using an oversized key to open gates at the correctional facility.
	K. Morrison seconded by Commissioner Johnson moved Approval. The motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

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

Ayes: Chairman S. Morrison, Commissioners Degnen, K. Morrison and Johnson (4)

Absent: Vice-Chairman Britton Excused Absent (1)

Respectfully submitted,

Sen M. Marrison

Chairman

LYNNE M. TURNER Interim Secretary

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