

**REPORT OF THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION SUBCOMMITTEE
OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

December 1, 2011

The Honorable,
The Finance Committee of
The Board of Commissioners
of Cook County,

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your Workers' Compensation Subcommittee of the Finance Committee of the Board of Commissioners met pursuant to notice Thursday, December 1, 2011 at 11:00 a.m., in Room 569 of the County Building, 118 N. Clark Street.

ATTENDANCE:

Present: Chairman Schneider, Vice Chairman Reyes, Commissioners Fritchey, and Garcia (4)

Absent: Commissioner Tobolski (1)

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

1. Settlements

A. County Government

CURTIS, PATRICIA
09 WC 37418

\$25,226.12

A temporary wall collapsed and fell onto the Petitioner's left shoulder.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia, moved Approval. The motion carried.

DANIELS, MARY

08 WC 35361

\$43,395.00

The Petitioner was stirring 500 pounds of macaroni manually, because of broken automatic mixer on the pot, when she experienced pain and throbbing in the upper and lower back.

07 WC 01013

The Petitioner was stirring pot of food manually when Petitioner reinjured her back.

08 WC 35360

The Petitioner was stirring oatmeal manually and injured her back.

08 WC 26758

The Petitioner was stirring food and injured her lower back and arm.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia, moved Approval. The motion carried.

KING, HOWARD

06 WC 55070

\$92,995.50

The Petitioner injured his lower back moving a patient from the ambulance cart to the emergency room.

08 WC 5237

The Petitioner injured his neck and arm while lifting a patient on a gurney.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia, moved Approval. The motion carried.

MCLAUGHLIN, ELAINE

07 WC 41410

\$82,383.94

The Petitioner lifted the cabinet door above her desk and the door rolled back down hitting her nose.

09 WC 02220

The Petitioner slipped on ice in the parking lot injured her left wrist and arm.

10 WC 12807

The Petitioner injured her right shouler when her shoulder popped while cleaning the office wall, file cabinet and desk, of the area where her desk was to be located.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia , moved Approval. The motion carried.

ZICCARELLI, SALVATORE
03 WC 42130

\$69,338.76

While walking between Division I and Division III, the Petitioner stepped in a sink hole.

04 WC 24011

While lifting a heavy cart through a door the Petitioner felt a sharp pop in his right shoulder.

07 WC 15130

While demonstrating a defensive technique, a co-worker fell on the Petitioner's right shoulder.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia , moved Approval. The motion carried.

2. Decisions

HUNT-GOLLIDAY, PASHA
06 WC 27109
11 IWCC 1014

\$75,005.42

The Petitioner installed razor wire on top of twenty foot fence at Cook County Jail on 26th Street and California. Petitioner lost balance on ladder, grasped razor wire with gloved left hand and lacerated her left hand. Cermack Hospital treatment for injury included a tetanus shot in Petitioner's right arm that caused her arm and shoulder to swell.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia, moved Approval. The motion carried.

CARRUTHERS, YVONNE
08 WC 053788
09 WC 000056

\$47,189.71

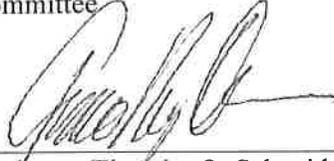
The Petitioner experienced burning sensation in her right arm due to repetitive trauma from her duties of typing; preparing training folders and programs, and

the Petitioner was putting boxes back on the shelf in a storage room when she once again experienced a sharp pain through her right arm and a burning sensation near the elbow.

Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Garcia, moved Approval. The motion carried.

Commissioner Fritchey seconded by Vice Chairman Reyes, seconded by moved to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Workers' Compensation Subcommittee of the Finance
Committee



Chairman Timothy O. Schneider, Chairman

Attest:


Matthew B. Deleon, Secretary

** The audio recording for this meeting is available from the Office of the Secretary to the Board, 118 North Clark Street, Room 567, Chicago, IL 60602.