

(The following is not a verbatim transcript of comments or discussion that occurred during the meeting, but rather a summarization intended for general information purposes. All motions and votes are the official records).

CITY COUNCIL CLAIMS COMMITTEE

Regular meeting of the Claims Committee was held on Monday, April 7, 2014, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 P.M. by the Chair.

Present: Councilwoman Sarah Kales Lee, Chair
Councilman Steven A. Stycos, Vice-Chair
Council Minority Leader Michael W. Favicchio
Council Vice-President Michael J Farina
Council President John E. Lanni, Jr.

Absent: Councilman Richard D. Santamaria, Jr.
Councilman Donald Botts, Jr.

Also Present: Evan Kirshenbaum, Assistant City Solicitor
Anna Marino, Claims Examiner
Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and they stand approved as recorded. Motion passed unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None.

OLD BUSINESS:

None.

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to go into Executive Session pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5(a)(2). Motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC HEARING

The following names of claimants and the nature of the claims were read into the record.

- **Introduction of new claims and review of pending claims:**

<u>Claimant</u>	<u>Date of Incident</u>	<u>Nature of Claim</u>
Careena Robertson	02/11/14	vehicle damage – mirror
Estela Andreoni	09/01/13	personal injury – trip & fall
Highway	01/02/14	vehicle damage - glass
Robert Blinkhorn	01/04/14	property damage - mailbox
Clifton Tidd	01/16/14	vehicle damage - pothole
David Barsamian	01/22/14	property damage - mailbox
Gary Munroe	01/25/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Linda Joharjian	01/10/14	property damage - sprinklers
Bettina Moreid	02/03/14	property damage - mailbox
Police	02/10/14	vehicle damage
Richard Cunningham	02/08/14	vehicle damage
Isau Barrios	02/10/14	vehicle damage
Anthony Franchetti	02/13/14	property damage - fence
James McCormick	02/14/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Linda Iavarone	02/20/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Elizabeth DelPadre	02/21/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Carly Cerullo	02/13/14	vehicle damage
Police	02/24/14	vehicle damage
Peter Yee	02/13/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Christopher Tasca	02/05/14	property damage – mailbox
Richard & Rhonda Gemma	02/13/14	property damage – mailbox
Debra Podbros	02/13/14	property damage – mailbox
Michael Rossi	02/13/14	property damage – mailbox
E. Jane Woodhouse	02/13/14	property damage – mailbox
Steven DiSciullo	02/05/14	property damage – mailbox
Maria Murphy	02/15/14	property damage – mailbox
Nicola & Maria Marella	02/15/14	property damage – mailbox
Scott Perron	02/16/14	vehicle damage – pothole
David Picano	02/20/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Bonnie Simon	03/01/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Mary Ann Manni	02/21/14	vehicle damage – pothole
Donna Pagliaro	03/01/14	vehicle damage – pothole

EXECUTIVE SESSION Pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5(a)(2)

The Meeting went into Executive Session at 6:05 P.M.

Present in Executive Session: Councilwoman Lee, Councilman Stycos, Council Minority Leader Favicchio, Council Vice-President Farina and Council President Lanni; Evan Kirshenbaum, Assistant City Solicitor; Anna Marino, Claims Examiner.

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to come out of Executive Session. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting came out of Executive Session at 6:30 P.M.

Careena Robertson

No action.

Estela Andreoni

No action.

Highway

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim. Motion passed unanimously.

Robert Blinkhorn

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Clifton Tidd

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

David Barsamian

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Gary Munroe

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Linda Joharjian

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to deny this claim. Motion passed unanimously.

Bettina Moreid

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Police

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for \$2,306.91. Motion passed unanimously.

Richard Cunningham

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Isau Barrios

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Anthony Franchetti

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to deny this claim. Motion passed unanimously.

James McCormick

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Linda Iavarone

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Elizabeth DelPadre

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Carly Cerullo

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim. Motion passed unanimously.

Police

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for \$2,192.88. Motion passed unanimously.

Peter Yee

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for 50% of \$512.14. Motion passed unanimously.

Christopher Tasca

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Richard & Rhonda Gemma

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Debra Podbros

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Michael Rossi

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

E. Jane Woodhouse

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Steven DiSciullo

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Maria Murphy

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously

Nicola & Maria Marella

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously

Scott Perron

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously

David Picano

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously

Bonnie Simon

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously

Mary Ann Manni

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for \$300. Motion passed unanimously

Donna Pagliaro

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for \$300. Motion passed unanimously

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:

Ms. Marino stated that the following claims were filed and referred out:

- Claim of Debra Baldassare – referred to State
- Claim of Frank Pettinato – referred to State
- Claim of School bus accident – referred to School Dept.
- Claim of Dorothy Lampal – referred to State
- Claim of Lora Spalt – referred to State
- Claim of Carol Molik – referred to State

The meeting adjourned at 6:32 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees