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## **CITY COUNCIL CLAIMS COMMITTEE**

Regular meeting of the Claims Committee was held on Monday, May 5, 2014, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

### **CALL MEETING TO ORDER:**

The meeting was called to order at 6:25 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: Michael Glucksman, 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>
Fire Department	12/06/10	Ladder 2 damage
Fire Department	06/13/11	Ladder 2 damage
Fire Department	08/25/11	Ladder 2 damage
Fatima Muriel	03/29/14	vehicle damage
Fire Department	03/14/14	Rescue 5 damage
Fire Department	04/04/14	Ladder 2 damage
Michael Bourassa	01/18/14	vehicle damage
John Peiczarek	02/28/14	vehicle damage
Susan Bornstein	02/13/14	property damage
Delores Maiorano	02/13/14	property damage
John Baldassarre	03/03/14	vehicle damage
John Baldassarre	03/18/14	vehicle damage
Inocencia Reyes	03/21/14	vehicle damage
Donna McNally	03/31/14	vehicle damage
Peter Beaudoin	04/09/14	vehicle damage
Frank Mendella	04/08/14	vehicle damage
Donna-Marie Frappier	04/24/14	vehicle damage
Police Department	03/29/14	vehicle damage
Police Department	04/07/14	vehicle damage
Bruce San & Savuth Yon	10/30/08	personal injury

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

The Meeting went into Executive Session at 6:26 P.M.

Present in Executive Session: Councilwoman Lee, Councilman Stycos, Council Minority Leader Favicchio, Council Vice-President Farina and Council President Lanni; Michael Glucksman, 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 6:45 P.M.

#### **Fire Department**

On motion by Councilman Stycos, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$6,074.60. Motion passed unanimously.

**Fire Department**

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$1,685.40. Motion passed unanimously.

**Fire Department**

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Stycos, it was voted to approve this claim for \$5,090. Motion passed unanimously.

**Fatima Muriel**

Introduction. No action.

**Fire Department**

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

**Fire Department**

Introduction. No action.

**Michael Bourassa**

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

**John Peiczarek**

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for \$150. Motion passed unanimously.

**Susan Bornstein**

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

**Delores Maiorano**

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

**John Baldassarre**

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

**John Baldassarre**

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

**Inocencia Reyes**

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

**Donna McNally**

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.

**Peter Beaudoin**

On motion by Councilman Stycos, seconded by Council Vice-President Farina, it was voted to approve this claim for \$399.58. Motion passed unanimously.

**Frank Mendella**

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.

**Donna-Marie Frappier**

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.

**Police Department**

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this claim for \$3,827.24. Motion passed unanimously.

**Police Department**

On motion by Council Vice-President Farina, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this claim for \$9,025. Motion passed unanimously.

**Bruce San & Savuth Yon**

Introduction. No action.

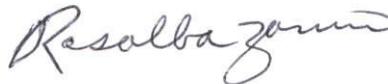
**MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:**

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

- Claim of Laura Gustafson, April 15, 2014, Reservoir Ave. - referred to State
- Claim of Adam Field, April 15, 2014, Reservoir Ave. – referred to State
- Claim of Traci Hughey, February 26, 2014, Reservoir Ave. – referred to State
- Claim of Thomas Ohanian, April 16, 2014, Wayland Ave. – referred to State
- Claim of Anne Croft, March 25, 2014, Route 10 at Reservoir Ave. – referred to State

The meeting adjourned at 6:46 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Rosalba Zanni  
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees