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CITY COUNCIL CLAIMS COMMITTEE

Regular meeting of the Claims Committee was held on Thursday, March 9, 2015, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 6:18 P.M. by the Chair.

Present: Council Minority Leader Michael W. Favicchio, Chair
Council Vice-President Richard D. Santamaria, Jr., Vice-Chair
Council Majority Leader Paul H. Archetto
Councilman Mario Aceto
Councilman Christopher G. Paplauskas
Council President John E. Lanni, 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 Councilman Aceto, 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:

OLD BUSINESS:

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>
Amanda Beaudoin	12/09/14	vehicle damage
Joseph Pearson	12/07/14	vehicle damage
Christa Infantolino	12/27/14	vehicle damage
Kathleen Melillo	01/24/15	vehicle damage

Brian Corcoran	01/24/15	property damage
Alice Allen	01/26/15	property damage
John & Paula Montanaro	01/27/15	property damage
Alexander Caserta	01/27/15	property damage
Leonard Upham	01/27/15	property damage
Steven & Natalia Kidd	01/28/15	property damage
John Spagnolo	01/19/15	vehicle damage
Lawrence Caron	02/09/15	vehicle damage
Senior Services Van	02/18/15	vehicle damage
David Ferreira	02/02/15	property damage
Joseph & Karen Sylvia	02/02/15	property damage
Elena Kwetkowski	02/02/15	property damage
Melissa Rollings	02/02/15	property damage
Joseph Mee	02/02/15	property damage
William Rougas	02/04/15	property damage
Leonard Pezza	02/10/15	vehicle damage
Highway vehicle H-4	02/22/15	vehicle damage
Inspections vehicle 2328	02/15/15	vehicle damage
Police vehicle 488	01/31/15	vehicle damage
Police vehicle 3880	01/31/15	vehicle damage
Katherine Gardiner	05/01/14	water damage
Vincent D'Ambra	08/13/14	vehicle damage
Senior Services Transvan 1556	02/10/15	vehicle damage

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

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

The Meeting went into Executive Session at 6:20 P.M.

Present in Executive Session: Council Minority Leader Favicchio, Chair; Council Vice-President Santamaria, Vice-Chair; Council Majority Leader Archetto; Councilmen Aceto, Paplauskas and Council President Lanni; Evan Kirshenbaum, Assistant City Solicitor; Anna Marino, Claims Examiner; Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees.

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Aceto, was voted to come out of Executive Session. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting came out of Executive Session at 6:29 P.M.

The following motions were taken in Executive Session.

Amanda Beaudoin

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve this claim for \$139.15. Motion passed unanimously.

Joseph Pearson

On motion by Councilman Aceto, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve this claim for \$60.69. Motion passed unanimously.

Christa Infantolino

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve this claim for \$112.20. Motion passed unanimously.

Kathleen Melillo

Brian Corcoran

Alice Allen

John & Paula Montanaro

Alexander Caserta

Leonard Upham

Steven & Natalia Kidd

On motion by Council Vice-President Santamaria, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve the above seven claims as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve the above seven claims for \$50 as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

John Spagnolo

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Aceto, it was voted to approve this claim for \$153.94. Motion passed unanimously.

Lawrence Caron

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve this claim for \$1,714.77. Motion passed unanimously.

Senior Services Van

On motion by Council Vice-President Santamaria, seconded by Councilman Paplauskas, it was voted to approve this claim for \$3,108.75. Motion passed unanimously.

David Ferreira
Joseph & Karen Sylvia
Elena Kwetkowski
Melissa Rollings
Joseph Mee
William Rougas

On motion by Council Vice-President Santamaria, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve the above six claims as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve the above six claims for \$50 as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

Leonard Pezza

On motion by Council Vice-President Santamaria, seconded by Councilman Aceto, it was voted to approve this claim for \$159.01. Motion passed on a vote of 5-0. The following being recorded as voting "aye": Council Vice-President Santamaria, Council Majority Leader Archetto, Councilmen Aceto, Paplauskas and Council President Lanni -5. Council Minority Leader Favicchio recused.

Highway vehicle H-4

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Majority Leader Archetto, it was voted to approve this claim for \$6,529.42. Motion passed on a vote of 5-0. The following being recorded as voting "aye": Council Minority Leader Favicchio, Council Vice-President Santamaria, Council Majority Leader Archetto, Paplauskas and Council President Lanni -5. Council Majority Leader Aceto opposed.

Inspections vehicle 2328

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Paplauskas, it was voted to approve this claim for \$7,075.00. Motion passed on a vote of 5-1. The following being recorded as voting "aye": Council Minority Leader Favicchio, Council Vice-President Santamaria, Councilman Paplauskas, Council Majority Leader Archetto and Council President Lanni -5. The following being recorded as voting "nay": Councilman Aceto -1.

Police vehicle 488

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Majority Leader Archetto, it was voted to approve this claim for \$5,568.98. Motion passed unanimously.

Police vehicle 3880

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Majority Leader Archetto, it was voted to approve this claim for \$5,937.00. Motion passed unanimously.

Katherine Gardiner

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Majority Leader Archetto, it was voted to deny this claim. Motion passed unanimously.

Vincent D'Ambra

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to deny this claim. Motion passed on a vote of 5-0. The following being recorded as voting "aye": Council Minority Leader Favicchio, Council Vice-President Santamaria, Councilmen Aceto, Paplauskas and Council President Lanni - 5. Council Majority Leader Archetto recused.

Senior Services Transvan 1556

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Council Vice-President Santamaria, it was voted to approve this claim for \$3,944.18. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees