

(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 Thursday, February 18, 2020, 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: Councilmember Steven A. Stycos
Councilmember Kenneth J. Hopkins
Councilmember John P. Donegan
Councilmember Edward J. Brady
Councilmember Christopher G. Paplauskas, Vice-Chair
Councilmember Paul J. McAuley, Chair

Also Present: Daniel Parrillo, Director of Administration
John Psilopoulos, Deputy Director of Administration
John Verdecchia, Assistant City Solicitor
Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees
Gianna Vannini, Claims Clerk

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:

On motion by Councilmember Paplauskas, seconded by Councilmember Brady, 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:

PUBLIC HEARING:

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

<u>Claimant</u>	<u>Date of Incident</u>	<u>Nature of Claim</u>
Melissa Parkerson*	10/9/2019	Vehicle Damage
Clifford Verduchi	12/23/2019	Vehicle Damage
Maria Carnevale	1/7/2020	Vehicle Damage

Gina Bank	1/18/2020	Property Damage
Brittney Richards	1/18/2020	Property Damage
Police #6562/ Highway #303	1/18/2020	Vehicle Damage
Police Vehicle #6564	1/27/2020	Vehicle Damage

* Indicates a claim previously reviewed by the Claims Committee.

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

On motion by Council President Farina, seconded by Councilmember Hopkins, 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 6:06 P.M.

Present in Executive Session: Councilmembers Stycos, Hopkins, Donegan, Brady, Paplauskas, McAuley and Council President Farina; Daniel Parrillo, Director of Administration; John Psilopoulos, Deputy Director of Administration; John Verdecchia, Assistant City Solicitor; Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees; Gianna Vannini, Claims Clerk.

On motion by Councilmember Hopkins, seconded by Councilmember Donegan, it was voted to come out of Executive Session. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting came out of Executive Session at 6:20 P.M.

The following motions were taken in Executive Session:

Melissa Parkerson

On motion by Councilmember Brady, seconded by Councilmember Paplauskas, it was voted to refer this claim to the Solicitor's Office. Motion passed unanimously.

Clifford Verduchi

On motion by Councilmember Paplauskas, seconded by Councilmember Brady, it was voted to deny this claim. Motion passed unanimously.

Maria Carnevale

On motion by Councilmember Paplauskas, seconded by Councilmember Brady, it was voted to approve this claim for 50%. Motion passed unanimously.

Gina Bank

On motion by Councilmember Brady, seconded by Councilmember Paplauskas, it was voted to approve this claim for \$50. Motion passed unanimously.

Brittney Richards

On motion by Councilmember Hopkins, seconded by Councilmember Paplauskas, it was voted to approve this claim. Motion passed on a vote of 5-2. The following being recorded as voting “aye”: Councilmembers Hopkins, Brady, Paplauskas, McAuley and Council President Farina -5. The following being recorded as voting “nay”: Councilmembers Stycos and Donegan -2.

Police #6562/ Highway #303

On motion by Councilmember Paplauskas, seconded by Councilmember Hopkins, it was voted to approve this claim and funds to come out of the Police Claims line item. Motion passed unanimously.

Police Vehicle #6564

On motion by Councilmember Paplauskas, seconded by Councilmember Donegan, it was voted to refer this claim to the Solicitor’s Office. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 6:20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees