



**Forest Preserve District of Cook County
Board of Commissioners**

Minutes of the Litigation Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2020

11:00 AM

**Cook County Building, Board Room
118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois**

ATTENDANCE

Present: Silvestri, Lowry, Britton, Degnen, Morrison and Suffredin (6)

Absent: Johnson (1)

PUBLIC TESTIMONY

Chairman Silvestri asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in accordance with Cook County Code, Sec. 2-107(dd)

1. George Blakemore

[20-0157](#)

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 1/14/2020

A motion was made by Vice Chair Lowry, seconded by Commissioner Degnen, to approve 20-0157. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Silvestri, Lowry, Britton, Degnen, S. Morrison and Suffredin (6)

Absent: Johnson (1)

[20-0153](#)

Presented by: ARNOLD RANDALL, General Superintendent

CASE SETTLEMENTS

1. *Linda Cobos v. Forest Preserve District of Cook County, et al* - 18 L 07478
2. *David Cho v. Forest Preserve District of Cook County, et al* - 18 L 08090
3. *Allstate Fire and Casualty Insurance Company as subrogee of David Sang Rae Cho v. Forest Preserve District of Cook County, et al* - 19 M1 13821
4. *State Farm Insurance a/s/o Scott Olofsson v. Forest Preserve District of Cook County*

A motion was made by Vice Chair Lowry, seconded by Commissioner Britton, to concur with the recommendation of the Forest Preserve District attorneys on the legal matter(s) listed above 20-0153. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Silvestri, Lowry, Britton, Degnen, S. Morrison and Suffredin (6)

Absent: Johnson (1)

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Presented by: ARNOLD RANDALL, General Superintendent

INVOICES RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL

1. Invoices submitted for legal services 01/01/2020 through 01/31/2020 by Brothers & Thompson, PC for various labor related matters.
2. Invoices submitted for legal services 01/01/2020 through 01/31/2020 by DeVore Radunsky, LLC for various litigation matters.
3. Invoices submitted for legal services 12/01/2019 through 01/31/2020 by Gildea, Coghlan & Regan, Ltd. for various matters.
4. Invoice submitted for legal services, 12/01/2019 through 1/31/2020 by Henderson Parks for the acquisition of a promissory note and litigation.
5. Invoices submitted for legal services, 12/01/2019 through 12/31/2019 by Jackson Lewis for labor related matters.

6. Invoices submitted for legal services 12/01/2019 through 12/31/2019 by Neal & Leroy for various real estate matters.

7. Invoices submitted for legal services 12/01/2019 through 12/31/2019 by Rosenthal, Murphey, Coblenz & Donahue for various police related matters.

8. Invoices submitted for legal services 12/01/2019 through 12/31/2019 by Tristan & Cervantes for various litigation matters.

A motion was made by Commissioner Suffredin, seconded by Commissioner Degnen, to concur with the recommendation of the Forest Preserve District attorneys on the legal matter(s) listed above 20-0154. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Silvestri, Lowry, Britton, Degnen, S. Morrison and Suffredin (6)

Absent: Johnson (1)

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner S. Morrison, seconded by Vice Chair Lowry, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:


Ayes: Silvestri, Lowry, Britton, Degnen, Morrison and Suffredin (6)

Absent: Johnson (1)

Respectfully submitted,



Chairman



Secretary

A complete record of this meeting is available at <https://fpdcc.legistar.com>.