

STATE OF ILLINOIS
ILLINOIS LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
STATE PANEL

**Minutes of the State Panel Meeting
Held on February 6, 2020**

I. OPENING OF MEETING 11:00 A.M.— via video conference: 160 N. LaSalle Street, Room S-401, Chicago, IL and 801 S. 7th Street, Suite 1200A, Springfield, IL

II. PRESENT

William Lowry, Chairman of the Board; John Cronin, Member of the Board; Thomas Willis, Member of the Board; Helen Kim, General Counsel; Anna Hamburg-Gal, Associate General Counsel; and staff members participated via video conference from the Chicago location. Kendra Cunningham, Member of the Board; Kimberly Stevens, Executive Director; and staff members participated via video conference from the Springfield location. Member Jose Gudino was absent.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD January 9, 2020

Chairman Lowry called for approval of the minutes of the January 9, 2020 meeting. Member Willis moved to approve the minutes. Member Cronin seconded. The Board passed the motion unanimously, by a voice vote.

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

Chairman Lowry asked Executive Director Stevens to present the Executive Director's reports. She presented the reports and summarized the highlights.

V. REVIEW OF PROPOSED WRITTEN DECISIONS AND ORDERS

**A. Case Nos. S-CA-19-066 and S-CA-19-046
Policemen's Benevolent and Protective Assoc., Unit #5 and Springfield Firefighters, Int'l Assoc. of Fire Fighters, Local 37 and City of Springfield**

General Counsel Kim called the case. Member Willis made a motion to approve the proposed written decision. Member Cronin seconded the motion, and the Board passed it unanimously, by a voice vote.

**B. Case No. S-CA-19-121
American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Council 31 and County of DuPage (DuPage Care Center)**

General Counsel Kim called the case. Member Willis made a motion to approve the proposed written decision. Member Cunningham seconded the motion, and the Board passed it unanimously, by a voice vote.

VI. BOARD ACTIONS

**1. Case No. S-CB-18-001
Lloyd Miller and Mount Prospect Fire Union Local 4119, IAFF, AFL-CIO**

General Counsel Kim called the case, noted that Administrative Law Judge Sharon Purcell issued a Recommended Decision and Order with no exceptions filed and asked whether the Board wished to review the decision on its own motion. The Board declined to do so.

2. **Case No. S-CA-19-039**
**American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Council 31 and
Metropolitan Airport Authority of Rock Island**

General Counsel Kim called the case, noted that Administrative Law Judge Anna Hamburg-Gal issued a Recommended Decision and Order with no exceptions filed and asked whether the Board wished to review the decision on its own motion. The Board declined to do so.

3. **Case No. S-CA-18-138**
Mattoon Firefighters Association, Local 691 and City of Mattoon (Fire Department)

General Counsel Kim called and presented the issues of the case to the Board and stated that the parties requested oral arguments. After discussion, Member Cunningham moved to grant oral arguments for the March meeting. Member Willis seconded the motion, and the Board passed it unanimously, by a voice vote.

VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

After a short discussion regarding whether there was a need for executive session, the Board concluded it was unnecessary.

VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT

No members of the public sought to make comments.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Lowry called for a motion to adjourn. Member Willis moved to adjourn the meeting, and the Board passed it unanimously, by a voice vote.

Adopted and approved by the Chairman and Members of the State Panel of the Illinois Labor Relations Board, in Chicago, Illinois, this 12th day of March 2020.