



**State of Louisiana**  
**Crime Victims Reparations Board**  
**MINUTES**

**MEETING DATE:** April 21, 2015

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Ms. Nancy Adcock, Mr. Carroll DiBenedetto, Sr., Mr. Tyler Downing,  
Ms. Ann Polak, Ms. Sharon Rodi, Ms. Lucille Williams,

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Mr. Lamarr Davis and Ms. Mary L. Fanara,

**STAFF PRESENT:** Robert Wertz, Carla Trahan, Margaret Watson

**GUESTS PRESENT:** Erich Duchmann, Daphne Buras, Kent Wolkart, Regina Bass, Jane  
Wood, Colleen Scherer, Brian O'Coll, Jeddie Smith

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Ms. Polak called to order the meeting of the Crime Victims Reparations Board for the date of April 21, 2015.

**II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Ms. Williams made a motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion was approved unanimously.

### III. APPEALS

#### A 1. Calcasieu 14-074

Ms. Adcock made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### A 2. Jefferson 14-011

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to deny under authority of R.S. 46:1809 B(1) (not a compensable expense). Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### A 3. St. Martin 14-008

Mr. Downing made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### IV. EMERGENCY CONFIRM/DENY

Ms. Adcock made a motion to confirm the emergency rulings for the previous month. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### V. ITEMS FOR FULL DISCUSSION

#### F 1. Bossier 14-012

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### F 2. Bossier 14-013

Ms. Adcock made a motion to award \$2,257.20 for WAGE, \$240.06 for MEDICAL. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The Board also requested that the victim's insurance information be provided with any future claims.

#### F 3. Caddo 14-005

Ms. Adcock made a motion to award \$9,700.00 for MEDICAL, \$300.00 for AMBULANCE TRANSPORT (MEDICAL). Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### F 4. Caddo 14-060

Ms. Adcock made a motion to award \$4,320.73 for FUNERAL. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### F 5. Caddo 14-061

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$4,500.00 for FUNERAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### F 6. Caddo 14-069

Ms. Adcock made a motion to award \$412.50 for MENTAL HEALTH. Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

#### F 7. Caddo 15-001

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board agreed to waive the one year deadline for applying for reparations.

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**F 8. Caddo 15-002**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 9. Caddo 15-004**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 10. Caddo 15-005**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The Board also requested that insurance information be checked to verify if it is burial or life insurance.

**F 11. Caddo 15-006**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. The claim amounts were reduced by 50 % for contribution. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 12. Caddo 15-007**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 13. Caddo 15-008**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 14. Caddo 15-009**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 15. Caddo 15-010**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 16. Caddo 15-011**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board agreed to waive the one year deadline for applying for reparations.

**F 17. Caddo 15-012**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 18. Caddo 15-013**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 19. Caddo 15-014**

Ms. Williams made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock



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seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 20. Caddo 15-015**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 21. Caddo 15-016**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 22. Caddo 15-017**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(iii) (victim contribution). Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed 5 to 0 with 1 abstention.

**F 23. Caddo 15-018**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board agreed to waive the one year deadline for applying for reparations.

**F 24. Caddo 15-019**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board agreed to waive the one year deadline for applying for reparations.

**F 25. Caddo 15-020**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 26. Caddo 15-021**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 27. Caddo 15-022**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 28. Calcasieu 11-032**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$392.89 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 29. Calcasieu 13-019**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$75.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board also agreed to request an Updated Mental Health Treatment Plan as of 08/18/14.

**F 30. Calcasieu 13-067**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$675.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board also agreed to request an Updated Mental Health Treatment Plan as of 12/16/14.

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**F 31. Calcasieu 14-069**

Ms. Williams made a motion to award \$475.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board also agreed to request an Updated Mental Health Treatment Plan as of 04/03/15 for both secondary victims.

**F 32. Calcasieu 14-076**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to award \$1,500.00 for FUNERAL. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The maximum allowable funeral expenses at the time of the victim's death was \$2,000.

**F 33. Calcasieu 14-079**

Ms. Williams made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(i) (illegal activity). Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 34. Calcasieu 15-001**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 35. Calcasieu 15-007**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 36. Calcasieu 15-008**

Ms. Williams made a motion to defer ruling awaiting an initial treatment plan. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 37. Calcasieu 15-009**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 38. Calcasieu 15-010**

Ms. Williams made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(i) (illegal activity) and under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 39. Calcasieu 15-011**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(i) (illegal activity), under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions) and under authority of R.S. 46:1809 B(3)(b) (failed or refused cooperation). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 40. Calcasieu 15-012**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a supplemental police report. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 41. Calcasieu 15-013**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

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**F 42. Calcasieu 15-015**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 43. Calcasieu 15-016**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 44. Calcasieu 15-017**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. The claim amounts were reduced by 50 % for contribution (no seatbelt). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 45. Calcasieu 15-018**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting an application with claimant signature. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 46. East Baton Rouge 12-082**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$2,757.25 for MEDICAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 47. East Baton Rouge 12-089**

Ms. Williams made a motion to award \$680.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 48. East Baton Rouge 14-021**

Mr. Downing made a motion to award \$198.63 for MEDICAL, \$4,631.22 for WAGE. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 49. East Baton Rouge 14-029**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 50. East Baton Rouge 14-066**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to enter Executive Session. Mr. Dibenedetto seconded the motion. The Board went into Executive Session. Ms. Rodi made a motion to return to General Session. Mr. Downing seconded the motion. The Board returned to General Session. Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$2,537.97 for MEDICAL, and \$1,095.48 for MEDICAL MILEAGE, but to defer reimbursement of \$125.00 for MENTAL HEALTH until an Initial Treatment Plan and Treatment Updates are received. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 51. East Baton Rouge 14-080**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to award \$2,528.00 for WAGE. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 52. East Baton Rouge 15-008**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.



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**F 53. East Baton Rouge 15-020**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 54. Iberia 14-005**

Ms. Williams made a motion to award \$3,983.53 for MEDICAL, \$46.92 for MEDICAL MILEAGE. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 55. Iberia 14-014**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$6,100.76 for WAGE divided into two payments -- \$3,100.76 now and \$3,000.00 at the next meeting.. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 56. Iberville 14-005**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer claims awaiting an itemized mental health invoice and a mental health Initial Treatment Plan from the mental health. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 57. Iberville 15-001**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 58. Jefferson 14-022**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$5,000.00 for FUNERAL. Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 59. Jefferson 14-041**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$3,744.00 for WAGE. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 60. Jefferson 15-001**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(i) (illegal activity -- drugs). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 61. Jefferson 15-005**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 62. Lafayette 14-016**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(iii) (victim contribution). Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 63. Lafayette 14-026**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$869.51 for MEDICAL, \$116.93 for CRIME EVIDENCE. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 64. Lafayette 14-028**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of R.S. 46:1809 B(3)(b) (failed or refused cooperation). Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed

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unanimously.

**F 65. Lafayette 15-001**

Mr. Dibenedetto made a motion to deny. Motion failed. Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The Board also requested that the entire packet be sent to them with any future claims.

**F 66. Lafourche 14-041**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$900.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The board also agreed to request an Updated Mental Health Treatment Plan as of 03/03/15.

**F 67. Lafourche 14-053**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$5,000.00 for FUNERAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 68. Lafourche 15-001**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 69. Lafourche 15-002**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 70. Lafourche 15-005**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 71. Lafourche 15-006**

Mr. Downing made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 72. Lafourche 15-007**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 73. Lafourche 15-008**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 74. Lafourche 15-009**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 75. Lafourche 15-010**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.



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**F 76. Lafourche 15-011**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 77. Lafourche 15-014**

Ms. Williams made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 78. Lafourche 15-015**

Ms. Williams made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 79. Livingston 14-007**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting Explanations of Benefits (EOBs) from Cigna Insurance. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 80. Madison 14-006**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(i) (illegal activity -- drugs). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 81. Madison 15-001**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 82. Natchitoches 14-007**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a supplemental police report and information on amount of funeral expenses were paid through donations. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 83. Orleans 13-069**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$5,000.00 for WAGE. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 84. Orleans 14-045**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$5,000.00 for WAGE. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 85. Orleans 14-047**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$4,500.00 for FUNERAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 86. Orleans 14-065**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$4,500.00 for FUNERAL. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 87. Orleans 14-067**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to deny under authority of R.S. 46:1809 B(1) (This person was not a direct victim of a crime and should be listed as a secondary victim on the primary victim's case). Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed

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unanimously.

**F 88. Orleans 14-107**

Ms. Williams made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(i) (illegal activity). Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 89. Orleans 14-117**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$400.96 for WAGE but to defer reimbursement of mental health expenses until proper documentation is received. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 90. Orleans 14-134**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$2,300.91 for MEDICAL. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 91. Orleans 14-135**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a police report and insurance payments. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 92. Orleans 14-138**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$985.60 for MEDICAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 93. Orleans 14-140**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a police report, Claim Form for Medical Expenses signed by the claimant. Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 94. Orleans 14-141**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 95. Orleans 14-142**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 96. Orleans 14-144**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 97. Orleans 14-145**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F 98. Orleans 14-146**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a police report. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

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**F 99. Orleans 15-003**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$5,000.00 for WAGE. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F100. Rapides 13-003**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to award \$1,062.50 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F101. Rapides 14-005**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve eligibility but to defer payment of the medical expenses until an itemized invoice is received. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F102. Sabine 14-002**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a police report. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F103. St. Bernard 15-001**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$9,500.00 for WAGE divided into two payments -- \$4,500.00 now and \$5,000.00 at the next meeting.. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F104. St. Charles 13-029**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$400.00 for MENTAL HEALTH but to deny the remaining \$275.00 for mental health because the maximum mental health expenses allowable has been reached. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F105. St. Charles 13-049**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$225.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F106. St. Charles 14-051**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F107. St. Charles 14-053**

Ms. Williams made a motion to award \$225.00 for MENTAL HEALTH. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F108. St. Charles 14-054**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F109. St. Charles 14-061**

Ms. Adcock made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.



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**F110. St. Charles 14-062**

Ms. Williams made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The Board also requested that insurance information be submitted with any future claims.

**F111. St. Charles 15-001**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F112. St. Charles 15-003**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F113. St. Charles 15-004**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F114. St. Charles 15-005**

Ms. Williams made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F115. St. Charles 15-006**

Mr. Downing made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F116. St. Charles 15-007**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F117. St. Martin 13-011**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$2,394.70 for MEDICAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F118. St. Martin 14-009**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to approve eligibility but to defer payment of the funeral claim until an itemized invoice from the funeral home is received. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F119. St. Martin 14-010**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F120. St. Martin 14-011**

Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

**F121. St. Martin 15-003**

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(iii) (victim contribution). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

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### F122. St. Martin 15-004

Ms. Williams made a motion to deny under authority of R.S. 46:1809 B(3)(b) (failed or refused cooperation). Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed 5 to 0 with 1 abstention.

### F123. St. Martin 15-005

Mr. Downing made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. DiBenedetto seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F124. St. Tammany 14-019

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$2,817.59 for MEDICAL. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F125. St. Tammany 15-001

Ms. Rodi made a motion to award \$815.00 for FUNERAL. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F126. Vermilion 14-008

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting a supplemental police report. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F127. Vermilion 14-009

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F128. Washington 14-011

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously. The Board requested that a police report and information regarding the suspect (arrested? charged?) accompany any future claims.

### F129. Webster 15-001

Ms. Rodi made a motion to deny under authority of LAC22:8.301(A)(1)(a)(ii) (felony convictions). Ms. Adcock seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F130. West Baton Rouge 15-001

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

### F131. West Baton Rouge 15-002

Ms. Rodi made a motion to approve the eligibility of this claimant. Ms. Williams seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

## VI. LATE ADDITIONS

### L 1. Plaquemines 14-020

Ms. Rodi made a motion to defer ruling awaiting more information from law enforcement. Mr. Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

## VII. OTHER BUSINESS

MADI06-005 - Please discuss attorney letter requesting waiver of repayment of expenses paid by CVR after receiving civil suit proceeds. Mr. DiBenedetto made a motion to deny the request. Ms. Rodi seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

The Board decided to re-evaluate the mental health policy regarding unlicensed therapists and to allow payment for unlicensed therapists as long as they are overseen by a licensed therapist.

Mr. Wertz discussed bills before the legislature regarding sexual assault cases.

The Board made a decision to skip the May meeting (due to lack of funding) and reschedule the June Meeting to June 16, 2016.

Ms. Rodi made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Adcock seconded the motion. Ms. Polak adjourned the meeting at 12:25 p.m.