



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY BOARD

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Minutes

A meeting of the Workers' Compensation Commission Advisory Board was held on November 1, 2021, in the Workers' Compensation Commission's CRB Hearing Room, 21 Oak Street, Hartford, Connecticut. The meeting convened at 10:04 a.m. with the following Board Members present: Chairman Michael Riley, presiding; Rocco Calo, Gregory Nokes, Ross Hollander, Angel Bruno and Karen Welch.

Present from the Workers' Compensation Commission was Chairman Stephen Morelli, Marie Gallo-Hall and Richard Eighme. Also present were Richard Colangelo, Kevin Lawlor and Linda Richardson.

1. Opening Remarks

Chairman Riley opened the meeting and thanked everyone for being in attendance. He read a brief remark from former member Michael Dimenstein and introduced his successor, Angel Bruno who is the Vice President of Total Rewards for Yale New Haven Health.

2. Agency Presentations

Chief State's Attorney, Richard Colangelo and Deputy Chief State's Attorney for Operations, Kevin Lawlor provided a presentation on the Office of the Chief State's Attorney, Division of Criminal Justice Workers' Compensation Fraud Control Unit.

Rehabilitation Coordinator, Linda Richardson provided a presentation on the Department of Aging and Disability Services' Workers' Rehabilitation Services Program.

3. Chairman's Update

Chairman Morelli announced that WCC employees were 100 percent compliant with the Governor's vaccination or testing mandates. He also provided updates on IT modernization, WCC Personnel matters and the Middletown District Office.

4. Other Business

Members discussed and agreed to the following meeting dates for 2022:

- February 7th
- June 6th
- September 12th
- October 3rd

- November 7th

5. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made, seconded and passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 11:19 a.m.