

**Minutes of SPECIAL Meeting of the  
General Employees' Retirement Systems,  
held Wednesday, July 3, 2013, at 2:00 P.M.,  
in the City Manager's Board Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
11 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Jacksonville Beach, Florida.**



**Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 2:05pm, by the Chairman, Mr. Brandon Maresma.

**Roll Call** as follows:

**General Employees' Pension Board:**

Nick Currie  
Randy Greene *Absent*  
Steve Hartkemeyer  
Christine Hoffman  
Brandon Maresma

Also present was City Clerk Judy Bullock, Pension Attorney Ken Harrison (via teleconference), and Cathy M. Martinich, City Clerk's Office.

Ms. Bullock introduced the Board Members to Mr. Harrison, noting there were four of the five in attendance. She asked Mr. Jinkner if he wished to proceed with the Board Members in attendance, or if he wanted to wait until all five could be present. Mr. Jinkner stated he would like to proceed today.

Ms. Bullock stated there was a new Board Member present, Mr. Nick Currie, who must be sworn in prior to the hearing; whereupon she administered the Oath of Office to Mr. Currie.

**Application for Non-Duty Disability Retirement, Paul James "Jim" Jinkner**

Mr. Harrison stated that this meeting is to consider and decide upon Mr. Jinkner's request for non-duty disability pension benefits. He reviewed the request and the evidence provided by the City, Mr. Jinkner, and the physician's records and statements (distributed to all present for review prior to this meeting), including the Independent Medical Examination (IME) report from Dr. Oscar B. Depaz, M.D.

Mr. Harrison referred to the document titled 'Disability Questions' in the materials provided, and stated this is a guideline for the Board to use. He asked if Mr. Jinkner had given ten years of service to the City. Ms. Bullock verified Mr. Jinkner's date of hire was June 27, 1994. Mr. Harrison explained that because he had the appropriate years of service, he is eligible to receive non-duty disability. Mr. Harrison summarized that he meets all requirements, has made application and the City has received all medical reports necessary to make a decision. He emphasized that all five disability questions must be answered in the affirmative, in order to award a non-duty disability determination. Mr. Harrison then read the physician's answers to these questions from the IME report (on file).

Mr. Harrison reviewed the City's Ordinance for the Board and confirmed that Mr. Jinkner meets all qualifications for non-duty disability of Section 2.61.16, and is eligible to retire. Discussion ensued concerning the injury and the five disability questions. It was noted that the City has no other job for Mr. Jinkner to perform.

Mr. Jinkner described his job description requirements and explained the pain prevents him from performing all tasks.

**Motion**

It was moved by Mr. Hartkemeyer, seconded by Ms. Hoffman, to approve Mr. Jinkner's request for non-duty disability retirement benefits with the provision that the City of Jacksonville Beach may periodically require an audit of Mr. Jinkner's employment records, as well as a medical evaluation by a physician.

**Roll Call:**

Ayes – Currie, Hartkemeyer, Hoffman, and Brandon Maresma. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Harrison instructed Ms. Bullock to calculate Mr. Jinkner's benefits and begin payment.

**Adjournment**

There being no further business coming before the Board, Mr. Maresma adjourned the meeting at 2:25 P.M.

Submitted by: Cathy M. Martinich  
City Clerk's Office

Approval:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Brandon Maresma", written over a horizontal line.

Date: August 14, 2013