# POOLED INSURANCE PROGRAM OF NEW JERSEY MINUTES BOARD OF TRUSTEES

### JUNE 11, 2015

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The June 11, 2015 Board of Trustees meeting of the POOLED INSURANCE PROGRAM OF NEW JERSEY, was called to order by James Tevis, Chairman, 11:30 AM at Lunello. Open Public Meeting Act read into Minutes by Chairman.

<b>ROLL CALL OF TRUSTEES:</b>				
CHAIRPERSON	MONTVILLE BOE	PRESENT		
JAMES TEVIS				
VICE CHAIR/SECRETARY				
BARBARA FRANCISCO	WEST MILFORD BOE	PRESENT		
BARBARA DECKER	PEQUANNOCK TWP	PRESENT		
KAREN PERKINS	CLIFTON BOARD	PRESENT		
NANCY CIAVAGLIA	POMPTON LAKES BOE	PRESENT		
KATHRYN DAVENPORT	LAKELAND REG.	PRESENT		
DONNA FELEZZOLA	BERKELEY HEIGHTS BOE	PRESENT		
MEMBERSHIP ATTENDANCE				
Ronald Smith	Parsippany-Troy Hills	Absent		
George Hagl	Bloomingdale Board	Absent		
Geraldine Callinan	Randolph Board	Absent		
Manal Fouad	Jefferson Twps. Board	Present		
Kerry Keane	Kinnelon Board	Absent		
Mark Kramer	Passaic Valley Reg.	Present		
Sue Anne Marcello	Union County Vo Tech	Absent		
Steve DiGeronimo	Millburn Board	Absent		
Renee Taveniere	Cedar Grove BOE	Present		
Estrella Molinet	Riverdale	Absent		
William Moffitt	Hoboken BOE	Absent		
Damaris Gurowsky	Denville BOE	Absent		

# FUND PROFESSIONALS PRESENT

FUND ADMINISTRATOR	BURTON AGENCY INC. Debra Ginetto
INSERVCO	Terry Sheerin/Nancy Fowkles Charles Baker, Safety
BROKER	POLARIS GALAXY Linda D'Alessio John Serapiglia
TREASURER	Bill Van Tassel
BROKER	WILLIS Insurance Services John Moore John Redmond
RISK MANAGERS	Dennis Tarantino Linda D'Alessio Lee Nestel Lindsay Klein Tom Sweeney
AUDITOR	Bud Jones, CPA Nisivoccia & Co.
FIRST MCO	Kelly Royce
WC ATTORNEY	Ian Zolty
<u>OTHERS PRESENT</u> None	

# MOTION WAS MADE TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF MARCH 26, 2015MOVED:Donna FelezzolaSECONDED:Barbara DeckerVOTE:7 Yeas0 Nays0 Abstentions

MOTION TO APPROVE THE March, April and May TREASURER'S REPORT AND BILLS LIST

<b>MOVED:</b>	Donna Felezzola		
SECOND:	Barbara Francisco		
VOTE:	7 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Abstentions

Treasurer distributed checks to those members that had a return on their payroll audit with the balance to be mailed.

Treasurer informed the members that Bank of America is closing out their Public Entity Accounts immediately so he will place what is left with them in several other banks.

## MOTION TO APPROVE THE DECEMBER 31, 2014 INTERIM AUDIT PREPARED BY NISIVOCCIA & CO. and FILE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE

<b>MOVED:</b>	Donna Fel	ezzola		
SECONDED:	Karen Per	Karen Perkins		
<b>VOTE:</b>	7 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Abstentions	

Bud Jones commented that at the Fund is in great financial condition and will be in a good position to take advantage of the new interest rates when available.

#### **RE-ORGANIZATION MEETING**

Election of 2 Trustee (1) renew a 3 year term for James Tevis, and (2) to replace Barbara Decker for a (1) year term

**Recommendations for Nominations:** 

James Tevis for a Term of 3 Years, June 30, 2018 Renee Taveniere for a Term of 1 Year, June 30, 2016

# MOTION WAS MADE TO ELECT James Tevis for a 3 Year Term to expire June 30, 2018 and Renee Taveniere for a 1 Year Term, to expire June 30, 2016

MOVED: SECOND: VOTE:

Kathryn Davenport
Donna Felezzola
Unanimous

#### MOTION WAS MADE TO RE-ELECT JAMES TEVIS AS CHAIRPERSON AND RE-ELECT BARBARA FRANCISCO AS VICE CHAIRPERSON/SECRETARY for July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016

<b>MOVED:</b>	Karen Perkins
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Donna Felezzola
<b>VOTE:</b>	Unanimous

Karen Perkins moved that the reelection of the incumbent Fund Trustees, and the new Trustee(s), for the terms listed below:

James Tevis, Chairperson	<b>3 Years Ending 6/30/2018</b>
Barbara Francisco, Vice Chairperson/Secretary	2 Years Ending 6/30/2017
Renee Taveniere	1 Year Ending 6/30/2016
Kathryn Davenport	1 Year Ending 6/30/2016
Donna Felezzola	1 Year Ending 6/30/2016
Karen Perkins	2 Years Ending 6/30/2017
Nancy Ciavaglia	2 Years Ending 6/30/2017

The motion was seconded by Donna Felezzola and unanimously approved.

MOTION WAS MADE TO RENEW ALL PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS, ASSESSMENTS AND MANAGEMENT PLANS for July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016: B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, and K, listed in the Agenda

<b>MOVED:</b>	Kathryn Dav	enport	
SECOND:	Barbara Francisco		
VOTE:	7 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Abstentions

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

The Executive Director summarized the Self-Insured and the Insured Program for 2015-2016.

- <u>Self-Insured/Workers' Compensation</u> There was an overall increase for the Fund of 3.5%. The upfront discount is 50% for 2015. The overall mod for the Fund is excellent, .589
- <u>Fully Insured/Property & Liability</u> Package Policy through Zurich: In the 2nd year of the 3 Year Rate Program, no more than 2% rate increase in each of the years. Overall Fund increase for all lines, including School Board Legal was 4%. Five BOE had increased exposures. School Board Legal – Retention Changes: Everyone will have a minimum retention on the Employment Practices Liability of \$15,000.

The Executive Director reported on the Paid and Reserve Claim Report in the Agenda. The Fund is doing very well so far this year with paid and reserves well below the Loss Fund.

Return of Surplus will be distributed in September.

#### WILLIS Insurance Services

Binders were distributed with ID cards for vehicles. Schedule of Insurance was noted. Cyber Liability limits were increased to \$2 Million/\$4 Million

#### FIRST MCO

Kelly Royce reviewed last quarter report and distributed loss time reports to all members present for discussion.

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

6 Claims were discussed and approved for settlement in Closed Session

#### **OLD BUSINESS** NONE

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

North Brunswick BOE was submitted and is under underwriting review. MOTION TO APPROVE North Brunswick BOE AS A POTENTIAL NEW MEMBER OF PIP-NJ FOR INSURED and WC PROGRAM EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015 CONTINGENT UPON MEETING ALL UNDERWRITING CRITERIA AND THEIR BOARD APPROVAL

<b>MOVED:</b>	Donna Felezz	ola	
SECOND:	Barbara Fran	ncisco	
VOTE:	7 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Abstentions

MOTION TO ADJOURN MEETING MOVED: SECOND: VOTE:

**Karen Perkins Renee Taveniere UNANIMOUS** 

#### **MEETING ADJOURNED: 1:00 PM**

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James Tevis, Chairman

Date