CITY OF BELLEVUE LEOFF 1 DISABILITY BOARD Meeting Minutes

November 1, 2011, 5:30 p.m. – Administration 6:00 p.m. – Business Meeting	Conference Room 1E-119 Bellevue City Hall
MEMBERS PRESENT:	Chairperson Susan Neiman Boardmember Wayne Bergeron Councilmember John Chelminiak Boardmember Bryan Reil
MEMBERS ABSENT:	Councilmember Claudia Balducci
OTHERS PRESENT:	Paula Dillon, Human Resources Warren Merritt, Fire Department Siona Windsor, City Attorney's Office
MINUTES TAKER:	Michelle Cash

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. by Chair Neiman.

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Boardmember Bergeron and second by Boardmember Reil to approve the September 13, 2011 Disability Board Regular Meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried unanimously (4-0).

Motion by Councilmember Chelminiak and second by Boardmember Reil to approve the October 11, 2011 Disability Board Regular Meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried unanimously (4-0).

IV. CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS FOR DISABILITY ALLOWANCES

A. <u>Applications for Disability Allowances</u>

None.

B. Applications for Disability Allowances Greater than 1 month

None.

V. CONSIDERATION OF MEDICAL CLAIMS

A. <u>Routine Claims</u>

Motion by Boardmember Bergeron and second by Councilmember Chelminiak to approve the Routine Claims as presented. Motion carried unanimously (4-0).

B. <u>Special Claims</u>

Motion by Councilmember Chelminiak and second by Boardmember Bergeron to approve the Special Claims.

Chair Neiman clarified that she had requested a progress report from Member #31's physician, since the claim for this member is ongoing. Ms. Dillon explained that Member #31 is taking POLY-MVA, an experimental drug, for cancer treatment. Because the medication is experimental, it is not covered by Premera or Medco. The Board approved this medication for this member at the September 2008 meeting.

At the question, motion carried unanimously (4-0).

VI. PRE-APPROVED RECURRING LONG TERM CARE CLAIMS

Pre-Approved recurring long-term care claims were included in the Board packet.

VII. STAFF REPORTS

Ms. Dillon called attention to the LEOFF 1 Disability Board Fifth Annual Newsletter, which was included in the Board packet.

VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

IX. NEW BUSINESS

None.

X. ANNOUNCE DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next Disability Board meeting will be held on December 6, 2011.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

By general consensus, the meeting was adjourned at 6:09 p.m.