

NOVEMBER 15, 2006

To All Members:

Listed below are the names of individuals who have applied for a 75% Duty Disability benefit from the Pension Board. Their applications will be presented before this Board at the **November 15, 2006** meeting.

<u>Rank, Name, Assignment:</u>	<u>Date of Injury:</u>
FF Mark Gillen, Tower Ladder 54	(Engine 95) 5/20/05
FF Jacek Kozminski, Engine 98	8/23/05
Lt. Dominic Gibson, Engine 42	10/23/05
Capt. Arthur Lewis, Truck 11	11/1/05

Please contact the Pension Fund's Secretary in writing, using the attached form, if you have any information that could assist the Board in its investigation of whether or not it should grant a 75% disability benefit to any of the above individuals.

The Board can subpoena witnesses (Illinois Revised Statutes, Article 6-189) and compel them to attend and testify before it upon any matter concerning the Fund. Your cooperation will help maintain the integrity of the Pension Fund.

Anthony Martin, Secretary

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ COMPANY ASSIGNMENT _____

NAME OF APPLICANT _____

NAME/S OF WITNESS/ES _____

FORWARD TO: Secretary
 Firemen's Annuity & Benefit Fund
 20 South Clark, Suite 1400
 Chicago, IL 60603

NOVEMBER 2006

In addition to the benefits granted to members and spouses each month, we will also be presenting, for informational purposes only, issues that may impact upon our members future benefits and other issues of interest.

Questions concerning the impact to any member's specific situation pertaining to these topics should be addressed directly to the Fund Office.

ANNUAL WIDOWS AND ORPHANS DISTRIBUTION

The following comments were made by Trustee George M. Korda at his last meeting as Active Firefighter Trustee:

It is with great honor and in keeping with the longstanding tradition embodied by the Firemen's Annuity & Benefit Fund of Chicago, that I ask my fellow Trustees that we once again provide an assistance check to our neediest widows and orphans this holiday season from the Fund's Gift Fund Reserve.

The Fund has many retirees and widows trying to get by on \$1,200 or less per month. When you consider that each month's pension check is reduced by the cost of health insurance and taxes, these annuitants are forced to survive on amounts barely above the poverty level.

We have 772 widows receiving \$1,200 or less each month.

And we are taking care of 115 children whose parent died while serving as an active firefighter or paramedic for our great city.

These individuals represent 1 out of every 5 (20%) participants receiving a benefit from the pension fund.

With this in mind, I would like to make a motion that the Firemen's Annuity & Benefit Fund of Chicago Gift Fund Reserve, issue a "13th check" in the amount of \$500 to our widows currently receiving an annuity of \$1,200 or less. Included in this motion, I also ask that all orphans of deceased firefighters receive a 13th check of \$500. I ask that our Fund Secretary coordinate with staff to ensure that these checks are disbursed no later than November 30th.

On motion by Korda, seconded by Carlson, to provide a \$500 "13th check" from the Firemen's Annuity & Benefit Fund of Chicago Gift Fund Reserve, Firemen's Annuity & Benefit Fund of

Chicago Gift Fund Reserve to all widows and orphans currently receiving benefit payments of \$1,200 or less a month.

The vote was:

All in favor----AYES (UNANIMOUS)

All Opposed---NONE

PENSION PROTECTION ACT

The Board adopted a recommendation of the Legal Committee at the October 2006 meeting to provide notice to all retired Fund participants explaining the provisions of the Pension Protection Act of 2006. This Act allows our retired sworn firefighters and paramedics to direct the Fund to pay their health care premiums on their behalf with pre-tax dollars. The Fund continues to review the language of the Act. The Fund has subsequently received additional guidance concerning the implementation of this benefit from the National Conference of Public Employee Retirement Systems (NCPERS) and will utilize this information within the notice that will be sent to our retired members. This notice will be mailed to retired participants in early December.

The Fund will also allow future retirees to elect to take advantage of the provisions of this Act at the time they make application for retirement.

ACTIVE MEMBER PARTICIPANT DATA

The Board authorized a thorough audit of all active participant records in order to update the Fund's data system and to notify these participants of their current family status and beneficiary data on file.

This audit has been completed and on November 15, 2006 approximately 5000 active participants were mailed a printout of the family information the Fund currently has on file. Named beneficiaries listed on your death benefit directive were also provided. Members should review the information and notify the Fund of errors or changes in their family status and submit the required certificates. Members may also request a change of beneficiary for their death benefit.

Since this mailing, the Fund has received numerous phone calls concerning the details of these informational mailings. Please call us with any questions. We also ask that you be patient as Fund staff responds to the many inquiries and requests that we are receiving.

RESOLUTION HONORING OUTGOING CITY TREASURER JUDITH RICE

**THE FIREMEN'S ANNUITY AND BENEFIT FUND
OF CHICAGO
NOVEMBER 15, 2006**

RESOLUTION HONORING JUDITH C. RICE

WHEREAS; In November 2000 Judith C. Rice was appointed by Mayor Richard M. Daley of the City of Chicago to serve as the City Treasurer, having previously served as Commissioner of the City's Department of Transportation and Department of Water and as Deputy Director and then Director of the City's Department of Revenue; and

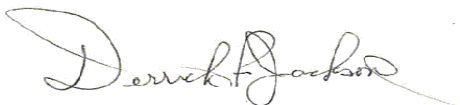
WHEREAS, Judith C. Rice was then elected in February 2003 by the citizens of the City of Chicago to serve as their City Treasurer, an office in which she has served the needs of the citizenry of Chicago with honesty, dignity and intelligence; and

WHEREAS, in her role as City Treasurer, Judith C. Rice is statutorily appointed to serve as an ex-officio trustee of the Retirement Board of the Firemen's Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago, and in such position, at all times and under all various types of circumstances, Ms. Rice has represented the best interests of all Fund participants, serving in numerous capacities, including as Chairman of the Board's Legal Committee; and

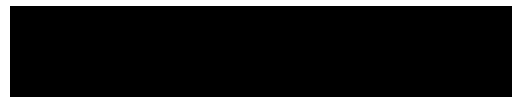
WHEREAS, in her capacity as City Treasurer and Ex-Officio Trustee of all City of Chicago Pension Funds, Judith C. Rice was invaluable in her ability to understand issues that had impact across several of the Funds. On many occasions, Ms. Rice utilized her legal background and diplomatic skill to expedite solutions to these issues that were acceptable to each of the Funds; and

WHEREAS, on this 15th day of November, 2006, the Trustees and staff and all Active and Annuitant members of the Firemen's Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago wish Judith C. Rice health and prosperity in her continuing career with the City of Chicago and all of her future endeavors. We will miss her knowledge and understanding of the issues brought before the Retirement Board and the deliberative manner in which she guided her fellow Trustees, as well as the warm, calm and endearing manner in which she treated all who became associated with her.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, in order that all may know of the esteem and honor in which this Fund, its Trustees, its staff and its participants hold Judith C. Rice, that this resolution be entered on the permanent record of this Fund and that a copy of this resolution be suitably engraved and presented to Judith C. Rice as a token of the respect and affection we have, and will continue to have, for her.



Derrick Jackson
Fund President



Anthony Martin
Fund Secretary

**RESOLUTION HONORING OUTGOING ACTIVE FIREFIGHTER TRUSTEE
GEORGE M. KORDA**

RESOLUTION HONORING GEORGE M. KORDA

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT *WHEREAS*, George M. Korda, currently serving as a member of the Chicago Fire Department in the rank of Battalion Chief, and having performed in various capacities for thirty one years; and

WHEREAS, George M. Korda, known by all as a man of character, compassion and commitment, dedicated and devoted to the best interests of all members of the Chicago Fire Department ; and

WHEREAS, George M. Korda, having served his brothers and sisters of the Chicago Fire Department as Editor of the Sounder, Legislative Aid and Director of Political Action for the Chicago Firefighters Union, Local Two, of the International Association of Firefighters Union, from 1982 through 1993; and

WHEREAS, George M. Korda was subsequently elected Active Firefighter Trustee of the Firemen's Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago in 2000 and re-elected in 2003, and having faithfully tended to the participants for six years as Fund Secretary, Legislative Committee Chairman and Investment Committee Chairman; and

WHEREAS, as Director of Political Action of Local Two and Legislative Chairman of the Fund, George M. Korda possessed a thorough understanding of the Illinois State Pension Code and the legislative process, permitting him to exercise shrewd judgment in all actions involving legislation, benefit and funding proposals; and

WHEREAS, as Investment Committee Chairman, George M. Korda, with wisdom, vision and insight, built upon the Fund's strong investment foundation by adding progressive, innovative investment opportunities which enriched the Fund while diminishing the overall risk of the Fund; and

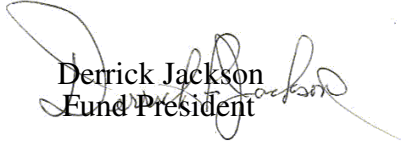
WHEREAS, George M. Korda worked to enhance the financial security in retirement for all eligible Fund participants by making Emergency Medical Technician, Ambulance Commander and duty availability pay pensionable and by ensuring adequate health care coverage for all retirees, spouses and members who became sick or injured in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, George M. Korda, performed his fiduciary responsibilities with the utmost diligence, honesty and integrity along with grace, goodwill, generosity and humor; and

WHEREAS, on this 15th day of November, 2006, the Trustees, staff, active and pensioned participants and all others associated with the Firemen's Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago express their deepest appreciation and gratitude to George M. Korda and wish him, his wife and family continued health, prosperity and good fortune in all future endeavors; and

NOW THEREFORE, in order that all may know of the esteem and honor in which this Fund, its Trustees, its staff and its participants hold Battalion Chief and Trustee George M. Korda, that this resolution be entered into the permanent record of this Fund; and

FURTHER, be it resolved that, as a token of respect, admiration and affection, a copy of this resolution be suitably prepared and presented to George M. Korda and shared with all those associated with the Firemen's Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago


Derrick Jackson
Fund President



2006 ACTIVE FIREFIGHTER ELECTION

The Election for Active Firefighter Trustee member of the Retirement Board was counted on October 30, 2006. The results were as follows:

Michael J. Shanahan	942	Winner
George M. Korda	846	
Sedalia Peoples	193	
Timothy McPhillips	153	

On behalf of all participants, the Board and staff of the Fund, we extend our congratulations to Mr. Shanahan.

Of note, during the course of this election, several members from zip code 60655 called to report that they had not received their ballots. The following information is being provided in response to that issue.

- It was absolutely determined that the correct number of ballots (5,529) were delivered to the main post office by the Fund's independent printing agent under the supervision of our auditor.
- All members that reported missing ballots (69) were mailed the proper control form to obtain a new ballot from our auditor.
- A special simulcast was broadcast advising all members of this situation. Special accommodations, under the supervision of the Fund's auditor, were made to allow these members who specifically requested ballots, to vote in time to be counted.
- Follow up was undertaken with each of the members reporting missing ballots. Every member contacted from 60655 had reported that they received their ballot and had voted within the appropriate time period.

Dear Participants:

At the Regular Meeting held on November 15, 2006, the following applications were granted, except where indicated:

MINIMUM FORMULA ANNUITIES:

10134 KENNETH ANIOLOWSKI, Captain, Truck 35, Occupational Disease Disability since June 20, 2003.

Born: 11/07/1943 \$6,329.52 a month beginning November 7, 2006
Ent. CFD: 02/16/1973 based on 75%
Retired: 11/07/2006 \$189.89 annuity increment, 3%, begins
December 1, 2007.

10668 DANIEL R. BARR, Battalion Chief, 7th Battalion.

Born: 11/28/1944 \$6,411.50 a month beginning October 20, 2006
Ent. CFD: 10/16/1978 based on 72.5%
Retired: 10/20/2006 \$192.35 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$453.46 FOR 1980 STRIKE, 2006 ERRORS IN DEDUCTIONS AND DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

9696 JOHN J. CUMMINGS, EMT Lieutenant, Engine 113.

Born: 10/21/1944 \$5,842.24 a month beginning October 10, 2006
Ent. CFD: 09/02/1969 based on 75%
Retired: 10/10/2006 \$175.27 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$22.20 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

12362 WILLIAM R. DILLON, JR., Paramedic In Charge, Ambulance 27.

Born: 06/15/1953 \$4,908.34 a month beginning October 16, 2006
Ent. CFD: 09/01/1976 based on 75%
Retired: 10/16/2006 \$147.25 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$10.65 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

MINIMUM FORMULA ANNUITIES:

9703 THOMAS DRYNAN, Captain, Air/Sea Rescue, Occupational Disease Disability since July 13, 1996.

Born: 01/11/1944 \$6,336.87 a month beginning November 2, 2006
Ent. CFD: 09/02/1969 based on 75%
Retired: 11/02/2006 \$190.11 annuity increment, 3%, begins
December 1, 2007.

9706 JAMES W. FISHER, Battalion Chief, 10TH Battalion.

Born: 06/17/1946 \$6,836.35 a month beginning October 17, 2006
Ent CFD: 09/02/1969 based on 75%
Retired: 10/17/2006 \$205.09 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 7, 2007.

COLLECT \$22.20 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

10392 CHARLIE C. HATTER, Engineer, Engine 121.

Born: 07/16/1949 \$4,975.63 a month beginning October 16, 2006
Ent. CFD: 02/16/1977 based on 75%
Retired: 10/16/2006 \$149.27 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$22.20 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

10476 VERNON INGRAM, Captain, Engine 70.

Born: 04/11/1951 \$6,118.88 a month beginning October 16, 2006
Ent. CFD: 03/01/1977 based on 75%
Retired: 10/16/2006 \$183.57 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$22.20 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

10699 ARNOLD B. JACKSON, EMT Firefighter, Engine 79, Occupational Disease Disability since October 19, 2003.

Born: 03/03/1952 \$4,450.74 a month beginning November 2, 2006
Ent. CFD: 10/16/1978 based on 70%
Retired: 11/02/2006 \$133.52 annuity increment, 3%, begins
December 1, 2007.

9804 ROBERT A. JANUS, Lieutenant, Engine 95, Duty Disability since April 4, 1989.

Born: 11/07/1943 \$5,687.31 a month beginning November 7, 2006
Ent. CFD: 04/16/1970 based on 75%
Retired: 11/07/2006 \$170.62 annuity increment, 3%, begins
December 1, 2007.

10403 JOHN T. KYLE, Engineer, Engine 44.

Born: 08/25/1950 \$4,975.63 a month beginning October 17, 2006
Ent. CFD: 02/16/1977 based on 75%
Retired: 10/17/2006 \$149.27 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$22.20 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

MINIMUM FORMULA ANNUITIES:

10605 OZZIE J. MORAN, Firefighter, Breathing Apparatus Services, Occupational Disease Disability since April 14, 2001.

Born: 07/01/1944 \$4,695.98 a month beginning November 30, 2006
Ent. CFD: 08/08/1977 based on 75%
Retired: 11/30/2006 \$140.88 annuity increment, 3%, begins
December 1, 2007.

10579 JIMMY E. SMITH, Engineer, Engine 60.

Born: 01/15/1945 \$4,975.63 a month beginning October 4, 2006
Ent. CFD: 07/16/1977 based on 75%
Retired: 10/04/2006 \$149.27 annuity increment, 3%, begins
November 1, 2007.

COLLECT \$22.20 FOR 4TH QUARTER DUTY AVAILABILITY PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS.

WIDOW'S AND CHILDREN'S ANNUITIES:

4567 MARJORIE CHAP, widow of Caesar J. Chap, retired since June 13, 1980.

Born: 09/11/1919 \$1,339.97 a month beginning October 5, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 02/17/1944
Deceased: 10/04/2006

7699 ROSEMARY H. HAUK, widow of Robert M. Hauk, retired since June 4, 1984.

Born: 05/17/1930 \$1,048.39 a month beginning October 3, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 02/17/1958
Deceased: 10/02/2006

7947 MARCIA A. HECHT, widow of Donald A. Hecht, retired since July 2, 1982.

Born: 02/24/1928 \$1,000.00 a month beginning October 6, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 05/01/1959
Deceased: 10/05/2006

8224 DOROTHY HERMAN, widow of John L. Herman, retired since August 12, 1990.

Born: 08/12/1927 \$1,941.70 a month beginning September 27, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 04/10/1961
Deceased: 09/26/2006

9532 ANNE M. HERMLE, widow of Donald F. Hermle, retired since November 30, 2000.

Born: 05/01/1934 \$2,236.97 a month beginning September 23, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 11/01/1968
Deceased: 09/22/2006

6253 ELEANOR LYONS, widow of John P. Lyons, retired since May 16, 1979.

Born: 03/22/1924 \$1,000.00 a month beginning September 22, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 02/05/1953
Deceased: 09/21/2006

REFUNDS:

17056 CORION BROWN, Paramedic, Academy.

Born: 12/03/1973 \$1,002.64 Refund of Contributions.
 Ent. CFD: 04/03/2006
 Discharged: 06/26/2006

9696 JOHN J. CUMMINGS, EMT Lieutenant, Engine 113.

Born: 10/21/1944 \$18.77 Refund of 2006 Errors in Deductions.
 Ent. CFD: 09/02/1969
 Retired: 10/10/2006

13657 KIRK DAVIS, Lieutenant, 6th District Relief.

Born: 11/01/1957 \$93,238.87 Refund of Contributions.
 Ent. CFD: 11/01/1988
 Discharged: 09/15/2005

9703 THOMAS DRYNAN, Captain, Air/Sea Rescue, Occupational Disease Disability since July 13, 1996.

Born: 01/11/1944 \$23,441.86 Refund of Spouse Contributions.
 Ent. CFD: 09/02/1969
 Retired: 11/02/2006

9706 JAMES W. FISHER, Battalion Chief, 10TH Battalion.

Born: 06/17/1946 \$26.99 Refund of 2006 Errors in Deductions.
 Ent CFD: 09/02/1969
 Retired: 10/17/2006

10476 VERNON INGRAM, Captain, Engine 70.

Born: 04/11/1951 \$179.09 Refund of 1994, 1995 and 2006
 Ent. CFD: 03/01/1977 Errors in Deductions.
 Retired: 10/16/2006

10699 ARNOLD B. JACKSON, EMT Firefighter, Engine 79, Occupational Disease Disability since October 19, 2003.

Born: 03/03/1952 \$22,086.58 Refund of Spouse Contributions.
 Ent. CFD: 10/16/1978 \$6.98 Refund of 1998 Errors in Deductions.
 Retired: 11/02/2006

9804 ROBERT A. JANUS, Lieutenant, Engine 95, Duty Disability since April 4, 1989.

Born: 11/07/1943 \$13,533.12 Refund of Spouse Contributions.
 Ent. CFD: 04/16/1970
 Retired: 11/07/2006

10403 JOHN T. KYLE, Engineer, Engine 44.

Born: 08/25/1950 \$10.85 Refund of 1992 Errors in Deductions.
 Ent. CFD: 02/16/1977
 Retired: 10/17/2006

17011 CALVIN T. PITTMAN, Firefighter, Academy.

Born: (unavailable) \$498.07 Refund of Contributions.
 Ent. CFD: 02/01/2006
 Resigned: 03/14/2006

REFUNDS:

10579 JIMMY E. SMITH, Engineer, Engine 60.

Born: 01/15/1945	\$15.13	Refund of 2006 Errors in Deductions.
Ent. CFD: 07/16/1977		
Retired: 10/04/2006		

DEATH BENEFITS:

4567 CAESAR J. CHAP, retired since June 13, 1980.

Born: 09/11/1919	\$6,000.00	to Marjorie J. Chap, widow.
Ent. CFD: 02/17/1944		
Deceased: 10/04/2006		

14345 JOHN D DEJESUS, Lieutenant, Fire Prevention Bureau – Central, Ordinary Disability since July 17, 2004.

Born: 08/27/1952	\$10,000.00	to Leah Blanchfield, daughter.
Ent. CFD: 10/01/1991		
Deceased: 10/05/2006		

12955 THOMAS J. FENTON, Firefighter, Truck 20.

Born: 04/12/1959	\$12,000.00	to Valerie Fenton, daughter.
Ent. CFD: 07/16/1986		
Deceased: 09/08/2006		

7699 ROBERT M. HAUK, retired since June 4, 1984.

Born: 05/17/1930	\$6,000.00	to Rosemary H. Hauk, widow.
Ent. CFD: 02/17/1958		
Deceased: 10/02/2006		

7947 DONALD A. HECHT, retired since July 2, 1982.

Born: 02/24/1928	\$6,000.00	to Marcia A. Hecht, widow.
Ent. CFD: 05/01/1959		
Deceased: 10/05/2006		

6253 JOHN P. LYONS, retired since May 16, 1979.

Born: 03/22/1924	\$6,000.00	to Eleanor Lyons, widow.
Ent. CFD: 02/05/1953		
Deceased: 09/21/2006		

5391 ALBERT WILSON, retired since June 6, 1985.

Born: 06/05/1922	\$6,000.00	to Sean Wilson, son.
Ent. CFD: 05/10/1948		
Deceased: 07/05/2006		

BENEFIT RECALCULATIONS:

RECOMPUTED ANNUITY AMOUNTS FOR THOSE AND INCREMENT AMOUNTS FOR INDIVIDUALS AFFECTED BY THE RETROACTIVE INCREASE WHOSE GRANT DATES WERE FROM JULY 1, 2004 THROUGH SEPTEMBER, 2004. THE RETROACTIVE AMOUNT IS FOR THE PERIOD FROM THEIR START DATE THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2006.

(Addendum I of Affected Individuals on File)

RECOMPUTED ANNUITY AMOUNTS FOR THOSE WIDOWS WHOSE HUSBANDS WERE EITHER ACTIVELY WORKING OR RETIRED AFTER JULY 1, 2003 AND DIED AND WHOSE GRANT DATES WERE FROM JULY, 2004 THROUGH SEPTEMBER, 2004 AND THEIR BENEFITS WERE BASED ON OLD SALARIES. THE RETROACTIVE AMOUNT IS FOR THE PERIOD FROM THEIR START DATE THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2006.

(Addendum II of Affected Individuals on File)

RECOMPUTED ANNUITY AMOUNTS FOR THOSE EXEMPT RANKS AFFECTED BY THE RETROACTIVE INCREASE WHOSE GRANT DATES WERE FROM MARCH, 2004 THROUGH SEPTEMBER, 2004 AND JANUARY, 2006 THROUGH AUGUST, 2006. THE RETROACTIVE AMOUNT IS FOR THE PERIOD FROM THEIR START DATE THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2006.

(Addendum III of Affected Individuals on File)

RECOMPUTED ANNUITY AMOUNTS FOR THE COMMISSIONERS AFFECTED BY THE RETROACTIVE INCREASE WHOSE GRANT DATES WERE FROM JUNE, 2004 THROUGH MAY, 2006. THE RETROACTIVE AMOUNT IS FOR THE PERIOD FROM THEIR START DATE THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2006.

(Addendum IV of Affected Individuals on File)

SENATE BILL 358:

10104 DAVID KROGSTAD, Occupational Disease Disability since November 28, 1996. Effective November 28, 2006 increase monthly disability benefit from \$3,070.82 to \$3,471.67 per month (50% of salary for 20 year Engineer, plus Duty Availability Pay).

REFUNDS OF ERROR IN DEDUCTION:

10438 DONALD REYES, Minimum Formula Annuity since September 19, 2006. Refund of 2006 Errors in Deduction in the amount of \$60.84.

8873 JOHN BYRNES, Minimum Formula Annuity since November 14, 2003. Refund of 2006 Errors in Deductions in the amount of \$35.56.

9097 JAMES SHERIDAN, Minimum Formula Annuity since October 18, 2003. Refund of 2006 Errors in Deductions in the amount of \$28.25.

GIFT FUND DONATIONS:GIFT FUND DONATIONS FOR OCTOBER, 2006:

\$25.00	Bruce & Mooney Kammier, in memory of Chief Jim Buckley & Jan
\$25.00	Robert & Kathleen Martin
\$25.00	Mary Irene Dreyer, in memory of her husband Edwin H. Dreyer
\$25.00	Mamie Hayes
\$30.00	Anthony & Bridgette Martin
\$100.00	Ed & Rose Grunauer Family, in memory of Thomas Fenton
\$500.00	Friends & Coworkers at Harmon, Inc, in memory of Thomas J. Fenton

MONTHLY GIFT FUND DONATIONS FOR OCTOBER, 2006:

\$5.00	Marianne K. Kelly
\$10.00	William F. Calkins
\$10.00	Sidney Dembowski
\$10.00	Margaret T. Hopewell
\$10.00	Sheri Murbach
\$10.00	Elizabeth A. Tinaglia
\$25.00	Thomas F. Moran
\$25.00	Daniel J. Bracken
\$25.00	Robert Devens
\$20.00	June A. Haus, in memory of husband, Richard J. Haus, Sr.
\$25.00	Marvin R. Hagele Jr.
\$25.00	Jack & Lee Smithers
\$25.00	Lee M. Rodak
\$25.00	Francis M. Craven
\$25.00	Raymond J. Bronke
\$25.00	Daniel E. Buckley
\$25.00	David R. Cachares
\$25.00	John A. Clancy
\$25.00	Michael A. Cohen
\$25.00	Peter Cunningham
\$25.00	Malachy R. Flisk
\$25.00	John J. Gallapo Jr.
\$25.00	John J. Halloran
\$25.00	John P. Healy
\$25.00	Jack P. Jaslowski
\$25.00	John J. Kelly
\$25.00	Donald M. Leigh Sr.
\$25.00	Timothy J. Loftus Jr.
\$25.00	Robert M. & Patricia McGee, in memory of Leo Panzarella
\$25.00	John L. Pemberton
\$25.00	Anonymous
\$25.00	John G. Wassinger
\$25.00	Frank J. Williams
\$25.00	Donald B. Salzman
\$25.00	Carla Douros
\$25.00	Robert L. Dehler
\$25.00	Anonymous
\$25.00	Helen McManus, in memory of her husband, William R. McManus
\$25.00	Rose A. Mohr, in memory of her husband, Frank A. Pils
\$25.00	Joan M. Marcellino, in memory of her husband, Joseph Marcellino
\$25.00	Dorothy Ormond, in memory of her husband, John T. Ormond
\$25.00	Helen C. Carroll, in memory of her husband, James J. Carroll
\$25.00	Jean Swierczynski, in memory of husband Lt. Aldo Simioni

GIFT FUND DONATIONS:MONTHLY GIFT FUND DONATIONS FOR OCTOBER, 2006:

\$25.00	Leo Cox
\$25.00	William Graves
\$25.00	Ruth I. McGraw
\$25.00	Anthony P. Thomas
\$25.00	Thomas Cunnane
\$25.00	William A. Hayes, Honorary member of Engine 65/Truck 52
\$25.00	James J. Loughney
\$25.00	Michael E. Hein
\$25.00	Patrick J. Moran
\$25.00	Lawrence T. Koscianski
\$25.00	Patricia K. Pemberton
\$25.00	Joseph C. Graber
\$25.00	Susan Schultz
\$25.00	Margaret A. Ryan, in memory of husband, James J. Ryan
\$25.00	James T. and Patricia McCormick, in memory of Ray Hughes and Kevin McCormick
\$25.00	Thomas Barry
\$25.00	Kevin Grand
\$25.00	Andrew O'Donnell
\$25.00	Joe & Leemon Boatner, in memory of Obley Boatner, Jr.
\$25.00	Michael J. Kammerer
\$25.00	Richard V. Paulus
\$25.00	"Ole Tymar" Retired Chicago Firefighters
\$25.00	North-Side Fire Brigade
\$30.00	Chicago Fellowship of Christian Firefighters
\$30.00	William G. Olson
\$35.00	Daniel Sheehan
\$38.00	Clarence Ellison
\$40.00	James T. Joyce
\$50.00	Marian Pospisil
\$50.00	Patrick R. McFarland
\$50.00	Richard O. Sterling
\$50.00	John F. Grant & Family
\$50.00	Mary O'Connell
\$50.00	Austin Kilcoyne
\$50.00	Eileen Coglianesse
\$88.00	Thomas P. Brown Jr
\$100.00	Judith Lux

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS OCCUPATIONAL DISEASE DISABILITY WERE GRANTED:13647 JAMES P. BYRNE, EMT Lieutenant, 5th District Relief.

Born: 02/07/1963 \$4,992.54 a month beginning September 11, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 11/01/1988

*The vote was:**Yeas: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin**Nays: None**Absent: Rice*

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS OCCUPATIONAL DISEASE DISABILITY WERE GRANTED:

10541 WILLIAM T. LEE, Lieutenant, Fire Prevention Bureau South.

Born: 12/23/1950	\$5,111.49	a month beginning September 12, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 07/16/1977	\$30.00	a month for minor child, William.

*The vote was:**Yeas: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin**Nays: None**Absent: Rice*THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS DUTY DISABILITY WERE GRANTED:

12778 PETER E. HANSEN, Firefighter, Engine 109.

Born: 02/17/1952	\$4,842.62	a month beginning October 10, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 02/20/1985	\$30.00	a month for minor child, Jocelyn.

*The vote was:**Yeas: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin**Nays: None**Absent: Rice*

11734 JOHN SPENCER, Lieutenant, Engine 116.

Born: 12/29/1958	\$5,897.87	a month beginning October 10, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 02/19/1980	\$30.00	a month each for minor children, Patrick and Lucas.

*The vote was:**Yeas: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin**Nays: None**Absent: Rice*

11761 ROY JOHN VENEGAS, Firefighter, Engine 32.

Born: 07/29/1952	\$5,029.00	a month beginning September 30, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 02/19/1980		

*The vote was:**Yeas: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin**Nays: None**Absent: Rice*THE FOLLOWING APPLICATION DUTY DISABILITY WAS WITHDRAWN:

15019 PAUL A. SCHACHERER, Firefighter, Engine 7.

Born: 11/12/1961	
Ent. CFD: 05/16/1996	

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATION FOR ORDINARY DISABILITY WAS GRANTED:

15019 PAUL A. SCHACHERER, Firefighter, Engine 7.

Born: 11/12/1961 \$2,466.49 a month beginning August 27, 2006.
Ent. CFD: 05/16/1996

The vote was:

Yeas: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin

Nays: None

Absent: Rice

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR DUTY DISABILITY WERE DENIED:

15190 KEVIN J. REDMOND, Paramedic In Charge, Ambulance 5.

Born: 08/01/1962
Ent. CFD: 11/01/1996

The vote was:

Yeas: None

Nays: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin

Absent: Rice

Benefits Denied

11541 MICHAEL FLAHIVE, Firefighter, Engine 11.

Born: 08/06/1957
Ent. CFD: 02/19/1980

The vote was:

Yeas: None

Nays: Carlson, Fabrizio, Korda, Jackson, Lux, Martin

Absent: Rice

Benefits Denied

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR DUTY DISABILITY WERE DEFERRED:

11260 MARK GILLEN, Firefighter, Tower Ladder 54.

16290 JACEK KOZMINSKI, Firefighter, Engine 98

THE FOLLOWING HEARINGS TO DETERMINE IF DISABILITY HAS CEASED WERE DEFERRED:

14124 JAMES SENCION, Duty Disability since March 22, 2004.

15167 KENNETH W. TAYLOR, Duty Disability since December 12, 2004.

13455 BARRY A. MITCHELL, Duty Disability since December 28, 2003.

THE FOLLOWING REQUEST FOR COMPENSATION WIDOW'S ANNUITY BENEFITS WAS DEFERRED:

12140 MICHELE REYNOLDS, widow of Larry Reynolds, Duty Disability since May 12, 2005.

The following annuitants have passed away since the last regular meeting of the Board:

Caesar J. Chap	Annuity	Died October 04, 2006
Donald A. Hecht	Annuity	Died October 05, 2006
William B. Kelly	Annuity	Died October 14, 2006
John L. King	Annuity	Died November 03, 2006
James B. McInerney	Annuity	Died October 22, 2006
Charles T. Murphy	Annuity	Died October 16, 2006
Leonard E. Rozycki	Annuity	Died October 14, 2006
Alice Becka	Widow's Annuity	Died October 11, 2006
Phyllis J. Goulding	Widow's Annuity	Died November 07, 2006
Rosemary Hagele	Widow's Annuity	Died October 30, 2006
Martha Kraft	Widow's Annuity	Died September 06, 2006
Dolores J. Lawlor	Widow's Annuity	Died October 09, 2006
Gerald Nietupski	Duty Disability	Died August 01, 2006
Sherwood J. Murray	Occupational Disease Disability	Died June 18, 2006

NOVEMBER MINIMUM FORMULA ANNUITIES GRANTED

<u>Resigned from:</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Active Duty	8	45
Duty Disability	1	13
Occupational Disease Disability	4	9
Ordinary Disability	0	3
Total Minimum Formula Annuities Granted	13	73

NOVEMBER DISABILITIES GRANTED

<u>Type:</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Duty Disability	3	14
Occupational Disease Disability	2	23
Ordinary Disability	1	2
Total Disabilities Granted	6	45
Disabilities Denied	2	3