State of Louisiana
Office of the Governor
Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement
and Administration of Criminal Justice
Crime Victims Reparations Board

JEFF LANDRY
GOVERNOR

JIM CRAFT
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, July 9, 2024

Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement

Member Attendees

Carla Shorty, Rene Hebert, Angela Henderson, Joseph "Joey" Merrill, Monica Taylor, Gary " Stitch" Guillory, Patricia "Patti" Lapeyre, Robert Carlisle, Linda Gautier proxy for Jim Craft.

Member Absentees

Tameka White

Staff Attendees

Danielle Lax, Jason Eastin, Kristi Ambacher

Guest Attendees

Dr. Erich Duchmann, Rikee Ruffin, Jane Wood, Sheila Murray, Andrea Howard, Taja Kenney

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Shorty called the meeting of the Crime Victims Reparations Board to order at 9:22 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Program Manager Danielle Lax called the roll and confirmed a quorum of members.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Ms. Gautier made a motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Ms. Henderson seconded the motion and the motion was approved unanimously.

APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY AWARDS

Ms. Henderson made a motion to confirm the emergency awards processed since the previous meeting and to waive repayment of the awards because of undue hardship. Mr. Guillory seconded the motion and the motion was approved unanimously.

EMERGENCY

Parish	CVR #	Claim #	Resolution
BOSSIER	BOSS24-002	242702	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $124.32 APPROVED for CRIME EVIDENCE to Claimant
CADDO	CADD24-0022	242749	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Tennant Funeral Home, Inc.
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0010	242597	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0013	242372	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant Payment of $150.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0014	242646	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0017	242794	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Martin & Castille Funeral Home
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0077	242542	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to A. Hamilton Platinum Funeral Services
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0078	242543	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0081	242562	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Mercy Funeral Home LLC
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0082	242570	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Community Memorial Chapel
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0083	242571	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $585.82 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0084	242583	<NO DECISION> EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Hobson Brown Funeral Home
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0085	242595	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Church Funeral Services LLC
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0086	242606	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Home FX, L.L.C.
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0087	242644	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0088	242645	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Hall Davis & Sons Funeral Service, LLC

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EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0089	242662	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to S.L. Booker Family Funeral Services, LLC
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0090	242697	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Charles Mackey Funeral Home
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0091	242703	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to MJR Friendly Service Funeral Home, Inc.
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0092	242721	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Church Funeral Services LLC
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0093	242723	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Winnfield Funeral Home
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0094	242743	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Hall Davis & Sons Funeral Service, LLC
IBERIA	IBER24-013	242747	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Fields Funeral Home
JEFFERSON DAVI	JEFD24-001	242675	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
LAFAYETTE	LAFA24-0017	242660	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE24-099	242596	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE24-117	242663	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Professional Funeral Services
ORLEANS	ORLE24-118	242676	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Charbonnet-Labat-Glapion Funeral Homes, Inc.
ORLEANS	ORLE24-120	242748	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Dickey Brothers Memorial Funeral Home
ST. LANDRY	LAND24-003	242351	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant

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ASCENSION	ASCE23-011	240513	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $2,046.40 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant Payment of $675.73 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Claimant

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ASSUMPTION	ASSU24-001	241644	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $6,500.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
BOSSIER	BOSS23-006	232148	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
BOSSIER	BOSS23-008	232285	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD18-003	180177	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD18-038	181924	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD19-004	200379	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD19-006	200380	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD19-009	190450	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD19-014	190493	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD19-048	200449	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD19-057	200807	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CADDO	CADD21-045	212577	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $7,772.80 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
CADDO	CADD24-0016	242216	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $15,000.00 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
CALCASIEU	CALC18-013	180350	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0006	242101	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $1,383.66 APPROVED for MEDICAL to West Calcasieu Cameron Hospital
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0013	242372	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. EMERGENCY Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant Payment of $150.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant
CALCASIEU	CALC24-0015	242688	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.

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CATAHOULA	CATA24-001	241776	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $244.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Fields Funeral Home Payment of $5,469.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0062	242123	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $5,500.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0080	242567	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $6,500.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
GRANT	GRAN22-001	221917	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $0.00 APPROVED for CATASTROPHIC PROPERTY to Claimant
IBERIA	IBER23-014	241598	Claim Eligibility DENIED - Involved in Illegal Activity. Payment of $0.00 DENIED for FUNERAL to Claimant
IBERIA	IBER24-008	242698	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $6,200.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
IBERIA	IBER24-010	242809	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $5,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
JEFFERSON	JEFF18-005	181961	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
JEFFERSON	JEFF24-004	241513	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $3,834.88 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
JEFFERSON	JEFF24-022	242680	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $600.00 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
JEFFERSON	JEFF24-023	242705	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $600.00 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
JEFFERSON	JEFF24-024	242808	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $600.00 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
JEFFERSON	JEFF24-3057	242815	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $809.99 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
LAFOURCHE	LAFO23-001	231324	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
LIVINGSTON	LIVI24-005	242420	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $3,250.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
MADISON	MADI23-001	240578	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $511.50 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
NATCHITOCHES	NATC23-010	240973	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $4,332.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant

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ORLEANS	ORLE23-034	231143	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $168.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE23-1375	242548	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $4,271.71 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE23-1379	242687	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $7,179.60 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE23-138	231923	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $2,749.35 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE23-138	242482	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $3,250.65 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE24-023	241480	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $380.00 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
ORLEANS	ORLE24-091	242357	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $1,499.50 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant Payment of $4,000.50 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Littlejohn Funeral Home
ORLEANS	ORLE24-103	242551	Claim UNABLE TO PROCESS - Closed/Unable to Process. Payment of $0.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE24-108	242552	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $4,909.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ORLEANS	ORLE24-116	242590	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $854.18 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
ORLEANS	ORLE24-3076	242814	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $240.00 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
ORLEANS	ORLE24-3108	242813	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $479.18 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
OUACHITA	OUAC24-011	242514	Claim Eligibility DENIED - Involved in Illegal Activity. Payment of $0.00 DENIED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ST. JAMES	JAME16-601	202120	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
ST. MARTIN	MART23-017	240584	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $4,362.40 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
ST. MARY	MARY22-004	230062	Claim Eligibility APPROVED.
ST. TAMMANY	TAMM23-002	241412	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $522.38 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Claimant

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ST. TAMMANY	TAMM24-004	242515	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $1,300.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ST. TAMMANY	TAMM24-004	242516	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $5,200.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ST. TAMMANY	TAMM24-005	241730	Claim Eligibility DENIED - Crime not substantiated; No Crime. Payment of $0.00 DENIED for FUNERAL to Claimant
ST. TAMMANY	TAMM24-1002	242801	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $1,190.00 APPROVED for MEDICAL to Hope Community Health Center
TANGIPAHOA	TANG23-025	240758	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $3,962.64 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
TANGIPAHOA	TANG23-027	232364	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $13,538.69 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
TANGIPAHOA	TANG23-3025	242556	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $0.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
VERMILION	VERM23-004	232982	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $6,461.64 APPROVED for WAGE to Claimant
VERNON	VERN23-0002	240974	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $3,189.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant

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EAST BATON ROU	EBAT22-0174	231374	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $4,500.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0056	241927	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for FUNERAL to Claimant
EAST BATON ROU	EBAT24-0066	242207	Claim Eligibility APPROVED. Payment of $1,000.00 APPROVED for Relocation to Claimant

ADJOURNMENT / OTHER BUSINESS

Ms. Shorty invited public comments to be addressed to the board.

Ms. Hebert made a motion to defer consideration for a resolution on mental health services until the next meeting. Mr. Merrill seconded the motion and the motion was approved unanimously by the board.

The Board agreed to schedule the next meeting for August 13, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Ms. Gautier made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Hebert seconded the motion. Ms. Shorty adjourned the meeting at 11:25 a.m.

CVR ACTION: The board approved 43 payments.
EXPLANATION: As approved at the 7/9/2024 meeting, the CVR Board requests the LCLE Fiscal Department to prepare 43 claims for checks totaling $151,188.38 as specified in the summary below.

SUMMARY:
FME FUNDS: 3 CLAIMS; $1,529.17
STATE FUNDS: 1 CLAIM; $522.38
FEDERAL FUNDS: 39 CLAIMS; $149,136.83
JRI FUNDS: 0 CLAIMS; $0.00
TOTALS: 43 CLAIMS; $151,188.38

TOTAL FUNDS AWARDED FROM JULY 1, 2024 TO JULY 12, 2024:
FME FUNDS: $164,915.17
FEDERAL FUNDS: $149,136.83
JRI FUNDS: $0.00
STATE FUNDS: $11,522.38
TOTALS: $325,574.38