

## City of Broken Arrow

## **Request for Action**

File #: 20-1195, Version: 1

Broken Arrow City Council Meeting of: 10-06-2020

Title:

Ratification of Workers' Compensation Court Order for Gary Snyder, current Fire

Department employee

## **Background:**

The City received an Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Court Order for Gary Snyder, a current employee of the Fire Department. The Court Order is presented for Council's ratification.

Mr. Snyder was diagnosed with thyroid cancer in 2010. A trial was held on August 27, 2020, to determine the City's obligation to pay permanent partial disability benefits to Mr. Snyder. The Court found Mr. Snyder has a 21% permanent partial disability to the whole man as a result of his cancer.

The sum of \$37,695.00 (105 weeks at \$359.00 for permanent partial disability) was awarded to the claimant less claimant's attorney fees of \$7,539.00. The sum of \$140.00 was paid to the Workers' Compensation Commission as a final award fee. The sum of \$1,036.61 was paid for applicable taxes.

**Cost:** \$38,871.61

**Funding Source:** Workers' Compensation Fund

**Requested By:** Jannette McCormick, Human Resources Director

**Approved By:** City Manager's Office

**Attachments:** Order Awarding PPD, Snyder

**Recommendation:** 

Ratify the Workers' Compensation Court Order for Gary Snyder, a Fire Department employee.