



CITY OF CHICAGO



COMMITTEE ON ETHICS AND GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT  
CITY COUNCIL  
CITY HALL - ROOM 300  
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## **MONTHLY RULE 45 REPORT SEPTEMBER 2024**

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the City Council Rules of Order, the Committee on Ethics and Government Oversight submits the following report for the meeting held on September 9, 2024.

### **Attendance**

The following committee members were present at the September 9 meeting: Chair Martin (47), Lee (11), O'Shea (19), Tabares (23), Scott (24), Taliaferro (29), Waguespack (32), Sposato (38), Nugent (39), Vasquez (40), Reilly (42), and Lawson (44).

The following non-members were present: Burnett (27).

### **Meeting Opening**

Roll call was taken and a quorum established. The committee voted in favor of allowing Vice Chair Hadden and Alderman Taylor to attend remotely. The Chair opened the floor for public comments, and there were six public speakers.

### **Rule 45 Monthly Report for June 2024**

Alderman Reilly moved to approve the Rule 45 Monthly Report for July 2024, which reflected the last committee meeting held on July 16, 2024. The motion passed unanimously by an affirmative voice vote. Approved by Committee September 9, 2024.

**The Committee on Ethics and Government Oversight addressed the following items:**

1. **Subject Matter Hearing: Audit of Department of Finance's Civilian Workers Compensation Program Administration.**
  - Chair Martin introduced the following witnesses to provide testimony:
    - Inspector General Deborah Witzburg;
    - Chasse Rehwinkel, Comptroller, Department of Finance; and
    - Darrell D. Mathis, Director of Workers' Compensation, Department of Finance.

- Chair Martin opened the floor for Alderpersons to ask questions and provide comment. The following committee members asked questions or made comments: Waguespack, Lawson, Martin.

## **2. Subject Matter Hearing: Quarterly Report: Second Quarter 2024.**

- Chair Martin introduced the following witnesses to provide testimony:
  - Inspector General Deborah Witzburg.
- Chair Martin opened the floor for Alderpersons to ask questions and provide comment. The following committee members asked questions or made comments: Martin, Vasquez, Lawson, Taliaferro.

### **Meeting Closing**

The Committee having no further business, Alderman Vasquez moved to adjourn. Chair Martin adjourned the meeting.