

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE  
OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION  
COMMISSION**

**APPEALS**

Tuesday, June 2, 2026  
2:00 p.m.  
Commission en Banc Courtroom  
1915 N. Stiles Ave.  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
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**AGENDA**

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- CALL TO ORDER.....Commission’s Chair, Chairman Russell**
- ROLL CALL.....Presiding Appellate Officer, Commissioner Tilly**
- BUSINESS.....Presiding Appellate Officer, Commissioner Tilly**

**\*STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE BY CHAIRMAN\***

**THE FOLLOWING MATTERS ARE PRESENTED FOR CONSIDERATION AND ACTION, IF ANY, DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE COMMISSION**

**A. MINUTES:**

- The drafted Minutes of the Regular Appeals Meeting of May 15, 2026, will be considered for approval.

**B. Commission Consideration of Adoption of Final Orders in the Following Cases:**

**1. Brock Clark v. City of Tulsa, File #CM3-2024-01855R**

Respondent filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Lawyer. April Spurgeon appeared for the Claimant and Travis Colt appeared for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on February 6, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to take this case under advisement.

**Possible Action:**

Possible action may include, but is not limited to: taking no action; continuing the matter; affirming the order and decision of the Administrative Law Judge and issuing an order to that effect; or taking preliminary action in the matter to reverse, modify, or remand. If the Commissioners do not fully affirm the order of the Administrative Law Judge, the

Commission may instruct Appellate Counsel or staff to draft a proposed order to be considered in further deliberations and at a future Commission meeting.

2. **Phillip Mendell v. City of Bartlesville, File #CM3-2021-04713A**

Claimant filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Inhofe. Kathryn Black is the attorney of record for the Claimant and Travis Colt is the attorney of record for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on March 27, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to take this case under advisement.

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3. **Laurel Reynolds v. Galt Foundation Inc. and COMPSOURCE Mutual Insurance Company, File #CM3-2024-02404F**

Claimant filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Curtin. D. Elliot Yaffe is the attorney of record for the Claimant and R. Dean Lott is the attorney of record for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on March 27, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to take this case under advisement.

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4. **Tracy Miles v. Family Dollar Stores Inc. and AIU Insurance Co. (NATIONAL UNION FIRE OF PITTS PA), File #CM3-2024-05583T**

Respondent filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Inhofe. James Holmes appeared for the Claimant and Grace Whitten appeared for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on May 15, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to take this case under advisement.

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**5. Erica Winchester v. Flex N Gate Oklahoma LLC and Sentinel Insurance Co. LTD, File #CM3-2019-04413R**

Respondent filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge McMillin. Aaron Corbett appeared for the Claimant and Steven E. Hanna appeared for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on May 15, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to take preliminary action to affirm the Administrative Law Judge's order and authorized the Commission's Presiding Appellate Officer to sign and file an order on behalf of the Commission.

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**6. William Swager v. Scurlock Holdings Inc. and Travelers Indemnity Co. of America, File #CM3-2024-06136T**

Claimant filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Egan. Micah Felton appeared for the Claimant and Matthew R. Defehr appeared for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on May 15, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to take this case under advisement.

**Possible Action:**

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7. **William Lanier v. Tops LLC and Benchmark Insurance Company, File #CM3-2023-03473K**

Respondent filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Blodgett. Nicole Lynn Belle is the attorney of record for the Claimant and Nicole S. Bryant appeared for the Respondent.

This case came on for Oral Argument on May 15, 2026. After reviewing the record, hearing oral arguments, and deliberating, Commissioner Biggs moved to continue this case to a future appeals docket.

**Possible Action:**

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**ADJOURNMENT.....Presiding Appellate Officer, Commissioner Tilly**