## CALUMET CITY BOARD OF FIRE and POLICE COMMISSIONERS P.O. BOX 1519 CALUMET CITY, IL 60409

#### **MEMBERS**

Joseph S. Blake, Chairman Mary C. Cox William B. Galgan

# BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING January 4, 2018

6:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Blake at 6:05 P.M.

#### Roll Call:

Joseph Blake Mary Cox William Galgan

#### **Approval of Minutes:**

Commissioner Blake entertained a motion to accept the minutes of the December 4, 2017 regular meeting. Commissioner Galgan moved; seconded by Commissioner Cox to approve above mentioned minutes as presented.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

Commissioner Blake entertained a motion to accept the minutes of the December 18, 2017 special meeting. Commissioner Cox moved; seconded by Commissioner Galgan to approve the above mentioned minutes as presented.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

#### Correspondence:

The Fire and Police Commission was mentioned in a lawsuit filed against Officer Christopher Devlin. Chairman Blake will refer to the City Attorney Cary Horvath.

#### Bills:

P4 Solutions (REM Backgrounds) - Invoice# S174-C07 - \$1,800.00 C. Bunton, M. Florence, J. Jordan - Police Candidates P4 Solutions (REM Backgrounds) - Invoice# S174-C08 - \$1,800.00 K. McCarthy, R. Moro, J. Siatta - Police Candidates

#### Bills cont:

Ingalls - Invoice# 260826 - \$885.00 - Physicals - T. Harrison, A. Martinez C.O.P.S. - Invoice# 104504 - \$480.00 - Polygraphs - C. Bunton, J. Jordan, K. McCarthy

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to pay the above vendors.

Commissioner Cox moved; seconded by Commissioner Galgan to pay vendors.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

#### **Executive Session:**

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to enter executive session for personnel matters. Commissioner Cox moved; seconded by Commissioner Galgan to enter executive session.

MOTION CARRIED

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to exit executive session.

Commissioner Galgan moved; seconded by Commissioner Cox to exit executive session.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

## Old Business:

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to send police officer candidate Mitchell Florence his regret letter due to his failure to meet Commission requirements.

Commissioner Galgan moved; seconded by Commissioner Cox to send M. Florence his regret letter.

MOTION CARRIED

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to send police officer candidate Richard Moro his regret letter due to his failure to meet Commission requirements.

Commissioner Cox moved; seconded by Commissioner Galgan to send R. Moro his regret letter.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to hire Jonathon Siatta as authorized by the City Council on September 28, 2017. Mr. Siatta replaces Officer Christopher Devlin who resigned on 9/25/17. Mr. Siatta's hire date is effective January 19, 2018.

Commissioner Galgan moved; seconded by Commissioner Cox to hire Jonathon Siatta as a Police Officer.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

### New Business:

Chairman Blake to speak with Chief Bachert about upcoming firefighter promotional test for Lieutenant.

#### New Business cont.

Next 4 candidates on Firefighter Eligibility List to be sent for backgrounds in preparation for upcoming retirements within the department.

## Adjournment:

Chairman Blake entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commission Cox moved; seconded by Commissioner Galgan to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned 6:40 p.m.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

Minutes submitted by Carmela Ziobro, Secretary

February 2, 2018