

**REGULER MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2022  
FIRE & POLICE COMMISSION  
VILLAGE OF SCHILLER PARK**

**I. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL:**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Rawski at 7:30PM  
Upon call of the roll, the following were:

Present: Commissioner Irsuto, Commissioner Lucy  
and Chairman Rawski

Absent: None

Others Present: Secretary Botti, Director Fragakis and Chief  
Cesaretti

**II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: All present**

**III. REVIEW AND VOTE TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE  
LAST MEETING:**

Motion by Commissioner Lucy to adopt the minutes as amended of  
the last meeting and second by Commissioner Irsuto.

Upon call of the roll, the following voted:

Yes: Commissioner Irsuto, Commissioner Lucy and  
Chairman Rawski

Abstained: None

No: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried

**IV. REVIEW CORRESPONDENCE AND BILLS:**

- Invoices –
  - Xfinity and re: Secretary's internet bill 2/15/22
  - Apple re: Secretary's iCloud bill

- C.O.P.S & F.I.R.E. Testing Services re: Online applications fee and Blue Line Ad for Fire testing
- Correspondence – Personnel
  - Standard & Associates re: Psychological evaluation John O’Grady

**V. DISCUSS PROGRESS OF PROBATIONARY EMPLOYEES IN THE LAST TWO MONTHS OF THEIR PROBATIONARY PERIOD AND VOTE FOR PERMANENT APPOINTMENT OR DISMISSAL (Note: this discussion may be in executive session):**

Motion by Commissioner Irsuto and second by Commissioner Lucy to concur with the recommendation of Chief Cesaretti to conditionally appoint Blaine C. Schneider to the permanent rank of Lieutenant for the Fire department, as of March 18, 2022.

Upon a call of the roll, the following voted:

Yes: Commissioner Irsuto, Commissioner Lucy and  
Chairman Rawski

No: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

**VI. DISCUSS STATUS OF OPEN POSITIONS FOR BOTH FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS:**

- Police Department: Has four (4) openings, with three (3) approved, two (2) hired as of today and working on the third candidate
- Fire Department: Has three (3) openings, with two (2) approved, waiting on new eligibility list

**VII. REVIEWING THE DATES THAT ARE SET FOR NEW POLICE TESTING (Original Appointment), AND DISCUSS DATES FOR LATERAL TRANSFER APPLICATIONS:**

**Police Testing Schedule, (Original appointment)**

- Began advertising on January 4, 2022, thru February 3, 2022.
- Began issuing Applications on January 4, 2022
- Accepted Applications until Thursday, February 3, 2022, with a cutoff time of 4 P.M.
- Orientation & written examinations will be held on **Saturday, February 19, 2022**, at the Schiller Park Community Center: (all candidates must wear masks per the CDC rules)
  - Registration will begin at 8:30 AM by C.O.P.S.
  - Orientation will begin at 9:00 AM and doors will be locked
  - Written exam will begin at or around 10A.M.
- Agility test will be held on **Sunday, March 6, 2022**, at the East Leyden High School Field House; (all candidates must wear masks per the CDC rules)
  - Registration will begin at 8:30 AM by C.O.P.S.
  - Agility test will begin at 9 AM and doors will be locked
- Oral examinations will be held on Monday, March 21, 2022 and Tuesday, March 22, 2022, (Note: Chris will be the helper)
- Stats on applications:
  - 21 purchased, and 11 eligible to take the test
- Final Eligibility list to be tentatively completed and posted by March 30, 2022 or sooner

**Reviewing date for Police Lateral's testing:**

- Waiting on Director Fragakis to get us Salaries
- Discuss on April 18, 2022

**VIII. REVIEWING THE DATES THAT ARE SET FOR NEW FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC TESTING (Original Appointment):**

- Began advertising on January 4, 2022, thru February 2, 2022.
- Began issuing Applications on January 4, 2022
- Accepted Applications until Wednesday, February 2, 2022, with a cutoff time of 4 P.M.
- Orientation & written examinations will be held on **Saturday, February 19, 2022**, at the Schiller Park Community Center: (all candidates must wear masks per the CDC rules)
  - Registration will begin at 12:30 PM by F.I.R.E. testing service
  - Orientation will begin at 1:00 PM and doors will be locked
  - Written exam will begin at or around 1:30 P.M.
- Oral examinations will be held on Monday, February 28, 2022 (Note: Chris will be the helper)
- Stats on applications:
  - 9 purchased, and 5 eligible to take the test
- Final Eligibility list to be tentatively completed and posted by **March 8, 2022, or sooner**

**IX. DISCUSS CONTINUATION OF PASS/FAIL CUTOFF ON THE FINAL PROMOTIONAL ELIGIBILITY LIST'S**

- Hold until Chief Cesaretti talks to the Union

**X. OTHER BUSINESS:**

- None

**XI. PUBLIC COMMENT:**

- No Comment

**XII. NEXT REGULAR MEETING NOTICE:**

- March 15, 2022, meeting has been cancelled.
- The next regular scheduled meeting on Tuesday, April 19, 2022, at 7:30 P.M. is cancelled and moved to Monday, April 18, 2022.
- May's meeting will be moved to Tuesday, May 10, 2022

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT:**

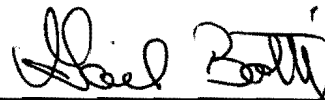
Motion made by Commissioner Irsuto, second by Commissioner Lucy to adjourn.

Upon a call of the roll, the following voted:

Yes: Commissioner Irsuto, Commissioner Lucy  
and Chairman Rawski

No: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried; meeting adjourned at 8:29 P.M.



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Gail Botti, Secretary



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Approved by

4/18/22

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Date