

RIVER FOREST FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION

Dodd R. Millar, Chairperson
Robert F. Coleman
Mark J. Walsh
Carol A. Fisher, Secretary

February 7, 2002

Minutes of the February 7, 2002 Special Meeting

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson, Dodd Millar at 7:35 a. m. in the Second Floor Conference Room in the Municipal Complex. In attendance: Commissioners Dodd Millar, Mark Walsh and Commission Secretary, Carol Fisher. Mr. Millar stated that a quorum was present.

New Business

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Section 2(c)(1), Mr. Millar moved to close the meeting for the purpose of discussing personnel matters. Mr. Walsh seconded the motion. With no discussion of the question, the Commission polled: Mr. Millar; aye, Mr. Walsh; aye. Motion carried at 7:40 a.m.

The meeting returned to Open Session at 8:50 a. m.

Mr. Millar moved and Mr. Walsh seconded the motion to appoint Robert Nortier as Fire Captain and Robert Schoff as Fire Lieutenant to be effective February 2, 2002. Motion carried.

There will be one Firefighter/Paramedic vacancy in the Fire Department as a result of the above-mentioned promotions. Anthony Toman, #5 on the current Fireman/Paramedic Final Eligibility List has indicated his interest in the position. A phone call to Michael Lehman, #6 on the list informing him that because of his present age (35) he was no longer eligible for an Entry Level Firefighter/Paramedic position. Mr. Millar moved that in view of Mr. Lehman's present age that he be stricken from the current Entry Level Firefighter/Paramedic Final Register. Mr. Walsh seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Discussion was conducted and agreement reached to contact Firefighter/Paramedic candidates Nick Chromek and Mark DeVito to determine their interest in the position. Further, Mr. Millar moved and Mr. Walsh seconded the motion to continue with the testing of the next two Firefighter/Paramedic candidates who express an interest in the position. Motion carried.


Mr. Millar moved and Mr. Walsh seconded a motion to strike Police Officers candidates Jeff Knebel and Maximiliano Toledo from the current Final Eligibility Register since both candidates declined the Commission's offers for consideration for employment with the Village of River Forest Police Department. Motion carried.

Lisa Scandora has voluntarily resigned the Police Department creating a vacancy in the Police Department. Ms. Agnes Murillo has expressed an interest in the position and willingness to go through the initial screening process.

Additionally the next two applicants following Ms. Murillo on the Eligibility Register, Messrs Janusz and Nowak will be contacted to determine their initial interest in the position.

Adjournment

Mr. Walsh moved and Mr. Millar seconded the motion to adjourn. Motion carried at 8:25 a. m.



Carol A. Fisher, Secretary

cc: Frank Paris, Village President
Michael Holub, Police Chief
Russell Nummer, Fire Chief
Commission Members