



1. Call to Order / Roll Call

The City of Carbondale Board of Fire and Police Commissioners held a meeting on Thursday, April 21, 2022, remotely utilizing Zoom. Chairman Kerry Braswell called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

Roll Call

Commissioners Present: Kerry Braswell, Tom Busch, Linda Flowers, and Ted Lomax

Commissioners Absent: Randy Burnside

Acknowledgement of Guests

Also present were Deputy City Clerk Clinette Hayes, Director of Human Resources Tara Brown, Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Coordinator Sharonda Cawthon, Assistant Fire Chief Rob Miller, Police Chief Stan Reno, and Lieutenant Tony Williams.

2. Citizen's Comments

None

3. Approval of Meeting Minutes from March 17, 2022

MOTION: T. Busch moved, T. Lomax seconded, that the Board approve the meeting minutes from March 17, 2022. VOTE: Ayes – Braswell, Busch, Flowers, Lomax. Nays – None. Motion declared carried.

4. Closed Meeting to Conduct Oral Interviews for Entry Level Firefighter and Lateral Entry Police Officer

MOTION: L. Flowers moved, T. Lomax seconded, that the Board hold a closed meeting for the purpose of discussing the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1), specifically to conduct oral interviews for Entry Level Firefighter and Lateral Entry Police Officer.

VOTE: Ayes – Braswell, Busch, Flowers, Lomax. Nays – None. Motion declared carried. Open session recessed at 9:07 a.m.

5. Return to Open Session

There was no formal action taken as a result of the closed meeting. There being no further business to come before the Board, T. Lomax moved, L. Flowers seconded, that the Board return to open session.

VOTE: Ayes – Braswell, Busch, Flowers, Lomax. Nays – None. Motion declared carried. Open session resumed at 11:41 a.m.

6. City Staff Updates / Comments

Police Chief Stan Reno reported that three officers will be graduating from the Academy very soon and that two officers will be heading to the Academy in a couple of weeks.

7. Board Comments

None

8. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Clinette C. Hayes, Deputy City Clerk

Approved by the Board on