



City of Pekin

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE REGULAR MEETING
OF THE FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PEKIN, ILLINOIS,
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF CITY HALL
111 S. CAPITOL ST
ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2024 AT 8:30 AM**

Call to Order

Approve Agenda

A motion was made by Commissioner Jaskiewicz to approve the meeting agenda. Commissioner Mulvey seconded the motion, all approved.

Approval of Minutes

3.1. Approval of January 25, 2024 meeting minutes

A motion was made by Commissioner Jaskiewicz to approve the January 25, 2024 meeting minutes. Commissioner Mulvey seconded the motion, all approved.

Public Input

Consent Agenda

New Business

6.1. FD - Departmental Reports

Three paramedic students have completed and passed their national exam. They are officially paramedics and are now off probation. All other probationary firefighters are doing well.

6.2. PD - Departmental Reports

Every officer in the FTO program is progressing well with no notable concerns.

6.3. Budget Request Letter

The commission discussed increasing the budget for the next fiscal year by \$2,000.00. This was suggested to help with increasing costs of testing for new hires and promotions. Both the Fire and Police Departments remarked that they will probably have openings in the next year as well as possibly testing for new hires. A motion was made by Commissioner Jaskiewicz to raise the

Fire and Police Commission's budget to \$25,000.00 for fiscal year 25. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Mulvey, all approved.

6.4. PD - Sergeant Testing Final Eligibility List

The final list from the Sergeant test was reviewed. The Police Department discussed how there will potentially be openings in the department with expected retirements this year.

6.5. PD - Original Appointment Testing

Original appointment testing for the Police Department will take place on Saturday, February 24, 2024. The location and schedule of the testing was discussed. A motion was made by Commissioner Mulvey to receive and file these reports. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Jaskiewicz, all approved.

Any Other Business To Come Before The Commission

The Fire Department noted that there is one firefighter who was previously injured on duty and may not be returning to work. They also mentioned there is another firefighter who broke his leg and may not be able to return to work. The Department sworn in one new firefighter and has two new firefighters starting at the Fire Academy next week.

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Adjourn