



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 TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2024 AT 8:30 AM
DENNIS SHORT, CHAIRMAN PRESIDING**

Call to Order

Approve Agenda

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

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Commissioner Jaskiewicz to approve the July 25, 2024, meeting minutes.

3.1. Minutes from the July 25, 2024, Meeting

Public Input

Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Commissioner Jaskiewicz to receive and file these reports. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Short, all approved.

5.1. PD - Pre-employment exam, \$990.00

Unfinished Business

New Business

7.1. FD - Probationary Reports

There is one firefighter currently at the academy and is doing well. There have been firefighters who've come off probation and are now in medic school. They've started their ride time shifts and are doing very well.

7.2. PD - Probationary Reports

Everyone on probation is doing well. The department is currently down two officers, but is hiring two in the next couple of weeks. These new hires will start at the police academy in September. The department is expecting two more vacancies in the coming months, and will probably be testing before the end of the year.

7.3. PD - Potential extension of probation period, KK

The department currently has one officer on deployment, who is expected to return by the end of this year. This officer was still in the FTO program when deployed. The department is asking for an 180 day extension of probation, once this officer returns to the police department for proper training and evaluation. A motion was made by Commissioner Jaskiewicz to extend this officer's probation period by 180 days, once they return to duty at the police department. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Short, all approved.

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Any Other Business to Come Before the Commission

Adjourn