

CHANNAHON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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## **BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS**

President Loomis called the special meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Channahon Fire Protection District to order on July 30, 2024, was held at fire station #1 was called to order at 9:25 a.m., pursuant to notice, at the Fire Station #1, 24929 S. Center St., Channahon, Illinois with the Pledge of Allegiance. President Loomis, Secretary Gray, Commissioner Uraski, and Chief Petrakis were in attendance.

# **APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES:**

• Approval of the Regular Meeting minutes for June 7, 2024. Commissioner Uraski made a motion to approve the meeting minutes for June 7, 2024, seconded by Commissioner Loomis. A roll call vote: Commissioner Loomis – Yes; Commissioner Gray; Commissioner Uraski - Yes. Motion carries.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS:**

• Chief Petrakis informed the board there are now two open vacancies.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Review and approve or reject tier 1 backgrounds for:
  - William Watkins

#### **Closed session:**

Commissioner Uraski requested that the Commissioners go into closed session to discuss the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the district (5 ILCS 120/2  $\bigcirc$  (1)). Motion made by Commissioner Uraski, seconded by Commissioner Gray. A roll call vote: Commissioner Loomis – Yes; Commissioner Gray – Yes; and Commissioner Uraski - Yes. Motion carried. The meeting was placed in closed session at 9:32 a.m.

At 10:35 a.m., the meeting resumed open session with a motion by Commissioner Uraski and seconded by Commissioner Gray. A roll call vote: Commissioner Loomis – Yes; Commissioner Gray – Yes; Commissioner Uraski - Yes. Motion carries to place the meeting in open session.

As a result of the closed session, Commissioner Uraski made a motion **NOT** to extend employment to William Watkins, seconded by Commissioner Loomis. A roll call vote: Commissioner Loomis – Yes; Commissioner Gray; Commissioner Uraski - Yes. Motion carries.

- Next Testing Process
  - o Applications until August 23
  - o Test on September 18
  - o Interviews September 30
- Lieutenant Applications/Testing in November

There being no further business, Commissioner Gray made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:51 a.m., seconded by Commissioner Loomis. A roll call was taken as follows: Commissioner Loomis - Yes; Commissioner Uraski – Yes. Motion carries.

Respectfully submitted, Donna Gray, Secretary