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Board of Fire and Police Commissioners

TO: Board of Fire and Police Commissioners
Chairman C. David Guenther, Commissioner Naomi Law,
Commissioner Robert Fulton

FROM: Amanda Jennings, Secretary II

DATE: August 17, 2017

SUBJECT: Board of Fire and Police Commissioners Special Meeting Minutes for August 10, 2017

The special meeting of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners was called to order by Chairman C. David Guenther on Thursday, August 10, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in the Administrative Conference Room, City Hall, 55 West Tompkins Street, Galesburg, Illinois.

Those present were: Chairman C. David Guenther, Commissioner Naomi Law, Commissioner Robert Fulton, Fire Chief Tom Simkins, Police Captain Rod Riggs, City Attorney Bradley Nolden, Jenni Moser and Amanda Jennings, Secretary.

The purpose of the special meeting was to discuss conducting a police patrol entry level testing for the purpose of establishing an eligibility list due to the low number of candidates on the current list which is set to expire July 2018. Amanda gave an update to the Board on the status of the current list. Captain Riggs advised another resignation is expected soon and there are currently 2 vacancies. It was agreed to contact Knox College for approval to use their facility during winter break possibly November 18th or December 2, 2017. The application process will not open until a date has been set.

Chairman Guenther advised a candidate that declined from the recent interviews has requested to be reinstated on the list. It was agreed if the list is exhausted before expiration and another testing cycle has not been set then the Commission will consider offering an interview.

The Commissioners agreed to cancel the meeting for August 21, 2017. The next regular scheduled meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 16, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in the Administrative Conference Room, City Hall, 55 West Tompkins Street, Galesburg, Illinois.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Commissioner Law and seconded by Commissioner Fulton. Chairman Guenther declared meeting adjourned at 9:32 a.m.