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MEETING MINUTES Tucson Fire PSPRS Board Thursday July 6, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.

Members of the Boards, staff, and the public were able to attend in person or remotely, through technological means, as permitted under Arizona law. For members of the public that wanted to attend remotely, a Microsoft Teams conference call bridge was established so the meeting could be accessed via telephone.

To access the meeting by telephone through the Microsoft Teams conference call bridge, members of the public could *dial (213) 293-2303 then enter access code 401 218 378#*

Mr. Fimbres called the Tucson Fire PSPRS Board meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

1. ROLL CALL

Fire Board Members:

Present: Paul Fimbres Member
Nathan Weber Member
Jason Adler Member

Also Present: Rob Brandt Police Board Member

Mark Ewings Police Board Member

Kevin Kristick Board Attorney
Michael Jesse Board Secretary
Susanna Horn Local Board Office
Tammy Weber Local Board Office

Genesis Cubillas Mayor's Office, City of Tucson

A Fire Board quorum was established with Mr. Fimbres and Mr. Weber attending in person. Mr. Adler attended remotely. Mayor Romero and Ms. Rosenberry were absent/excused.

2. POLICE CONSENT AGENDA: ITEMS A – D

A. MINUTES FOR APPROVAL –June 01, 2023

B. PENSION PAYROLL – Additions and deletions to benefits

Name	Transaction Type	LDW	Eff Date	Ben Amount
Sherwood, Henry	Retiree Death	06/02/2023	07/01/202	3 (\$4,589.61)
Vega, William	NSR out of DROP	06/20/2023	07/01/202	23 \$4,159.68

C. ELECTION TO PARTICIPATE IN DROP

<u>Name</u>	Yrs of Srv	Date	Eff. Date
McNamara, Christopher	22.842	06/30/2023	07/01/2023
Gutierrez, Leon	21.040	06/30/2023	07/01/2023

D. APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES

Company Name	Description	Date	Amount	Method
Bossé Rollman PC	July Retainer	07/06/2023	\$ 400.00	Workday

No action taken by the Fire Board on this Police Item.

3. FIRE CONSENT AGENDA: ITEMS A - D

A. MINUTES FOR APPROVAL June 01, 2023

B. PENSION PAYROLL – Additions and deletions to benefits

Name	Transaction Type	LDW	Eff Date	Ben Amount
No additions or del	etions at this time			

C. ELECTION TO PARTICIPATE IN DROP

Name	Yrs of Srv	Date	Eff. Date
Acosta, David	27.403	06/30/2023	07/01/2023

AUDIO RECORD ON FILE IN THE TUCSON POLICE AND FIRE PUBLIC SAFETY PERSONNEL RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARDS' OFFICE LOCATED AT THE TUCSON FIRE DEPARTMENT, FIRE CENTRAL, ROOM 131, 300 S. FIRE CENTRAL PLACE, TUCSON, ARIZONA – AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

D. APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES

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Motion by Mr. Adler, seconded by Mr. Weber, that Fire Items A-D are adopted as written. Motion **CARRIED** by a roll call vote of 3-0

4. ANNUAL DISABILITY PHYSICAL – REQUIREMENT

Police

Name	DOM:	DOR:	Last Exam	Type
Hayes, Kevin	06/10/2007	02/28/2013	07/25/2022	Accidental
Weygand, Jeffrey	05/08/2009	05/25/2018	07/27/2022	Accidental
Gutierrez, Chelsea	03/19/2006	06/21/2019	07/21/2022	Accidental
Hyde, Ian	08/14/2015	02/26/2021	03/17/2021	Accidental

No action taken by the Fire Board on this Police Item.

5. ANNUAL DISABILITY PHYSICAL - REQUIREMENT*

Police

Name	DOM:	DOR:	Last Exam	Type	End Date
Matthews, Christal	07/27/2003	09/16/2021	07/29/202	1 Accidental	

^{*}Member is no longer subject to audit effective 07/25/2023. Board action to discontinue evaluations.

No action taken by the Fire Board on this Police Item.

6. APPLICATION FOR DISABILITY PENSION (Retroactive - DROP RETIREE)

Police - Attachments

	DROP	60-month DROP		
Name	Ret Date:	Period End Date	Eff Date:	Application Type
Olivares, Albert	05/26/2022	05/31/2022	06/01/2022	Accidental

No action taken by the Fire Board on this Police Item.

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7. FUND/OFFICE INFORMATION

• Miscellaneous / Other

Mr. Jesse said that the last of the pension contribution files for FY 2023 had posted to the City of Tucson internal pension administration system earlier in the morning. He said he had finally been able to work through the Workday implementation challenges in getting the files generated accurately. Mr. Weber thanked Mr. Jesse and his staff for their hard work in making that happen.

Mr. Brandt asked about the possibility of making a motion to change the meeting schedule from the first Thursday of the month back to the first Tuesday of the month. Mr. Jesse said that would not be possible at the current meeting because the topic was not listed on the agenda. Mr. Brandt asked that it be placed on the August 3 meeting agenda for consideration. Mr. Weber, Mr. Adler, Mr. Ewings, and Mr. Fimbres indicated their support of the suggested agenda item. Mr. Fimbres asked about the effective date of any adopted change and the creation of a new meeting calendar. Mr. Jesse explained certain steps would first be required including filing documents with the City Clerk and getting the meeting location rescheduled. Mr. Brandt asked if it would be easier should any adopted change to the meeting schedule be made effective January 1, 2024. Mr. Jesse said he thought so. Mr. Fimbres asked Mr. Jesse his opinion about the best approach. Mr. Jesse said he takes direction from the Police and Fire Boards and could execute whatever decision was reached, but his opinion was that should a change be adopted it would be much cleaner if made effective January 1, 2024.

8. ADJOURNMENT

The next regular meeting of the Tucson Police and Fire Public Safety Personnel Retirement System Boards is scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 3, 2023 in Fire Central Room 262, Tucson Fire Department, 300 S. Fire Central Place, Tucson, AZ.

Mr. Fimbres adjourned the Fire Board meeting at 9:18 a.m.

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Tucson Fire PSPRS Board Michael J. Jesse, Board Secretary

Date

Regina Romero, Chair

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