

LINDENHURST FIRE & POLICE COMMISSION

May 1, 2017

Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Chief Tom Jones, Commissioners Tom Berger, Bill Douglas (via conference call) and Dan White

The LFPC meeting was called to order at 4:30pm.

I. Reading and Approval of Minutes of Prior Meeting-

The commissioners reviewed the meeting minutes of the March 20, 2017 meeting and were approved by Commissioner White and seconded by Commissioner Berger.

II. New Communications –

There are no new communications to review at this meeting.

III. Unfinished Business –

There is no unfinished business to be discussed at this meeting.

IV. New Business –

1. New Police Officer Hiring Process

Initial conversation was held regarding the coordination and scheduling of testing and Oral interviews for the recently approved hiring of a new Lindenhurst Police Officer.

Chief Jones shared that the department staff will be creating a flyer to advertise the opening and testing in the next couple of weeks to hand out at our local community colleges as well as advertising in our local newspapers.

The following dates were discussed and agreed upon for the written test and Oral Exams to be administered:

Written Exam – Saturday June 24, 2017 @ 9:00am – location to be determined

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Oral Exams – Week of July 24 ,2017 – dates and times to be determined by the commissioner’s dependent on the number of applicants that achieve a passing grade of 80% in all sections of the written exam.

Further discussion was held regarding the level set for the passing grade of the written exam at 80% as is listed in our Rules & Regulations. It was unanimously decided to leave this level set as is, (increased from the previous 70%), to determine the very best applicants that will ultimately be considered as police officers in our community.

Chief Jones advised the commissioners that it is now up to each individual applicant to have previously completed the Power Testing certification process previous to the written exam date.

V. Adjournment –

- A motion to adjourn was made by Comm. White and seconded by Comm. Douglas at 5:20pm.

Dan White – LFPC Commissioner

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