

2021

# **Board of Fire & Police Commissioners**

## Meeting Agendas

## **Notice of Meeting**

**Thursday, May 13, 2021**

**6:00 PM**

### **Fire & Police Commission Conference Call**

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106 West Fifth Street • Metropolis, Illinois 62960

Fire and Police Commission  
May 13, 2021  
6:00 PM  
Conference Call

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Public Comment
5. Approve changes to our testing procedure.
  - a) Two lists
  - b) New category of Presentation
  - c) New or modified point system
6. Approve items for our new testing category of Presentation.
  - a) Being on time
  - b) Visual appearance
  - c) Oral interaction
  - d) Firm handshake
  - e) Eye contact
  - f) Courteous
  - g) Proper grammar
  - h) Sentence structure
  - i) Self confidence
7. Define scheduled for our next round of testing.
8. Change Want Ad wording to mention something about priority given to certified police officers and discuss alternate dates at the commission's discretion if we want to do that.

9. Old Business

10. New Business

11. Adjourn

Kenneth F. Kovacs, Chair

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Fire and Police Commission

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1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Public Comment
5. Discuss options and possible policy changes regarding recruiting and employing experienced, certified law enforcement officers.
6. Old Business
7. New Business
8. Adjourn

Kenneth F. Kovacs, Chair