

BOARD OF CITY SERVICE COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

REGULAR meeting of the Board of City Service Commissioners held TUESDAY, March 5, 2019 at 1:30 pm in Room 301-A of City Hall, 200 East Wells Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Commissioners Francis Bock, President
 Marilyn Miller, Vice President
 Steve Smith
 Janet Cleary
 Jeremy Levinson - Excused

Staff Maria Monteagudo, Commission Secretary
 Patrick McClain, Commission Attorney
 Karen Biernat, Administrative Services Coordinator

A quorum being present, President Bock called the meeting to order at 1:32 pm.

The REGULAR MEETING MINUTES held on February 19, 2019, were APPROVED.

(Commissioners Smith/Miller, unanimous)

The Commission APPROVED the following CLASSIFICATION REPORTS as submitted. (Sarah Trotter, Human Resources Representative, DER, was present to answer questions on these items.)

Department of Neighborhood Services

| Current | Recommendation |
|--------------|--|
| New Position | Permit Desk Supervisor PR 1AX (\$48,670 - \$63,426) One Position |

(Commissioners Cleary/Miller, unanimous)

The Commission APPROVED the CLASSIFICATION REPORT OF PROBATIONARY PERIOD(S) as submitted. (Sarah Trotter, Human Resources Representative, DER was present to answer questions on these item.) NO ACTION REQUIRED

GENERAL HEARING

The Commission APPROVED the communication from the Department of Public Works for an EXTENSION OF PROBATIONARY PERIOD (90 days) for Anthony Smith, Engineering Technician IV, DPW, beginning March 9, 2019, ending June 9, 2019. (Dan Thomas, Administrative Services Director, DPW, and Shannon Goodwin, Human Resources, DPW, were present to answer questions on this item).

Commissioners Cleary/Miller, unanimous)

The Commission APPROVED the communication from the Health Department requesting an EXTENSION OF TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT for Rebecca Rowland, Family and Community Health Director, for 120 days, March 23, 2019, ending July 20, 2019. (No Representative was present)

Commissioners Smith/Cleary, unanimous)

The Commission APPROVED the communication from the Health Department requesting an EXTENSION OF TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT for Michael Stevenson, Public Health Planning and Policy Director, for 120 days, March 23, 2019, ending July 20, 2019. (No Representative was present)

Commissioners Smith/Miller unanimous)

PUBLIC HEARING

The Commission heard the DISCHARGE APPEAL of Marvin Robinson, City Laborer, DPW. The issue before the Commission was whether or not there was cause for the action taken by the Department in accordance with s.63.43 Wis. Stats.

The Appellant requested a hearing before the Commission. Mr. Robinson was not represented.

The following witnesses were sworn in by the Court Reporter: Dan Thomas, Administrative Services Director, DPW; Marvin Robinson, City Laborer, DPW, and Lori Benson, President, CPCT & BAT at USA Mobile Drug Testing – Subject Matter Expert and Compliance Specialist (non-city).

All testimony was taken by a court reporter and all exhibits and stipulation presented were reflected as part of the record.

The Commission recessed from 3:19 pm to 3:30 pm.

The Commission moved into closed session at 4:05 pm., pursuant to S. 19.85(1)(a), Wis. Stats., which states that upon motion there may be a closed session for the purpose of deliberation individually on the appeal heard by the City Service Commission.

(Commissioners Smith/Miller, Roll Call)

The Commission reconvened into open session at 4:38 pm.

(Commissioners Smith/Cleary, Roll Call)

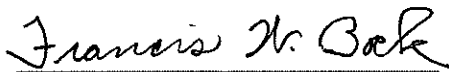
After hearing all of the testimony and based upon a preponderance of the evidence presented the Commission upheld the Charge, but MODIFIED the DISCHARGE to a SUSPENSION of time served with a return to work date of March 11, 2019, pending DOT protocol.

(Commissioners SMITH/Cleary, unanimous – Jeremy Levinson excused)

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

(Commissioners Cleary/Miller, unanimous)

ATTEST:



FRANCIS BOCK
PRESIDENT



MARIA MONTEAGUDO
DIRECTOR, EMPLOYEE RELATIONS