

VILLAGE OF MCFARLAND
Wednesday, December 4, 2024, 6:00 PM

POLICE & FIRE COMMISSION
McFarland Public Safety Center
6001 Broadhead St, McFarland
Small Conference Room

Meeting Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL.

- a. Meeting called to order at 6:01 p.m. by President Mullen. PFC Commissioners present: Jerry Mullen, Jim McKay, Angela Wilcox and Vince Wagner. Staff Members present: Interim Police Chief Brian Redman.

2. PUBLIC APPEARANCES.

- a. This is an opportunity for members of the public to address the Police and Fire Commission. Members of the public who wish to address the Commission should fill out a public comment form and turn into the meeting chairperson. Members of the public may speak during public appearances or during their selected agenda item as they designate on the public comment form. Please adhere to the 3-minute time limit. Additionally, you may send your public comments to pfc@mcfarland.wi.us to be included as part of the meeting.

No public present.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

- a. Motion to approve the minutes of October 29, 2024 meeting. Discussion and action regarding the minutes of the meeting. Call for changes or corrections. Hearing none, President Mullen called for a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Motion by Commissioner Wilcox and seconded by Commissioner McKay. Motion passed on a unanimous vote.

4. BUSINESS.

- a. Discussion and action on the consideration of the reappointment of former Police Officer Jacob Towns. After discussion, a motion was made by Commissioner Wagner and seconded by Commissioner McKay to reappoint Jacob Towns as Police Officer for the McFarland Police Department effective December 5, 2024. Motion passed on a unanimous vote.
- b. Discussion and action on the request to terminate the current Police Officer eligibility list. After discussion, a motion was made by Commissioner Wilcox and seconded by

Commissioner Mullen to terminate the Police Officer eligibility list effective December 4, 2024. Motion passed on a unanimous vote.

- c. Discussion and update on the status of the hiring process of new police officers and enrollment in the Police Training Academy. Interim Police Chief Redman provided information that two recent hires for the Police Officer position will be sworn in on December 5th and 16th and will attend the upcoming Police Training Academy at Madison College beginning in January 2025. No action was taken at the conclusion of this discussion.

7. SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING DATE.

- a. The next meeting of the Police & Fire Commission will be Wednesday, December 18, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

8. ADJOURNMENT.

- a. Motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Wilcox and seconded by Commissioner Wagner. Motion passed on a unanimous vote. The meeting adjourned at 6:42 p.m.