



**VILLAGE OF FOX LAKE
BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS
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At the Board of Police and Fire Commission Meeting, held at the above address in Lake County Illinois on October 5th, 2021, the meeting was called to order at 5:00pm by Board Commissioner Kenney. The following official business was transacted:

I. Call to Order 5:00p.m.

II. Roll Call

Commission Members present:

Commissioner Trinski
Commissioner Kenney
Commissioner Sadowski

Guests Present:

Chief Jimmy Lee, Jr.
Suesette Trammell

III. Public Comments:

None

IV. Approval of previous Meeting Minutes:

Commissioner Trinski made a motion to approve the minutes for 9/7/2021, Commissioner Kenney seconded the motion, Sadowski abstained..

V. Unfinished Business:

- a. Chief Lee updated the Commission on a candidate that graduated from the Academy, and reports that he has just started his FTO Training.
- b. There is currently one candidate in the Macon County Academy that began on August 10th, 2021, and is scheduled to graduate on November 19th, 2021. So far there have been no further delays, and he is set to graduate on November 19th, 2021. The next Academy date will be with SLEA, starting January 3rd, 2022, with the POWER test being December 7th, 2021. Graduation will be April 8th, 2022. The following SLEA Police Academy begins March 28th, 2022 and runs through July 1st, 2022. There will be a POWER test on March 8th, 2022.
- c. Since the implementation of the applicant testing program, Chief Lee reported that we have had some submissions, but explained that more advertisement of the open position may need to be utilized. The Board agreed and requested that the Chief handle the matter. Commissioner Kenney mentioned some issues with the applicant testing as to the scoring and completion of the application process. The Board requested that the Police Department inquire.

- d. Chief Lee requested that in light of tenured Officers in heavier populated jurisdictions looking for Officer positions in smaller municipalities, the Commission should take advantage of Lateral Hires. Chief Lee presented the lateral hire application and procedure to the Commissioners, and mentioned that there were two officers from other jurisdictions that are interested in laterally transferring. The Commission determined that further review of the Commission statute is needed before voting on a hiring procedure for lateral transfers.

VI. New Business:

- a. The Board recognizes and welcomes Commissioner, Kalie Sadowski, who was just sworn in at the previous Village Board meeting on September 28th, 2021.
- b. Chief Lee updated the commission that Officer Hayes has been released from FTO and is doing very well on his own.

VII. Next Meeting Date:

November 2nd, 2021 at 5:00 pm

VIII. Adjournment:

Commissioner Kenney made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:17 p.m., seconded by Kenney.

Motion Approved by Roll Call:

Commissioner Trinksi – Aye

Commissioner Kenney – Aye

Commissioner Sadowski – Aye