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SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION MEETING May 21, 2024

CALL TO ORDER:

The special meeting was called to order at 6:00pm and followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Members present were Commissioners McCarthy and Pedersen. Also present was Commission Attorney Jurusik, Village Manager Barry Krumstok, Assistant Manager John Schwarz and Interim Fire Chief Carl Reina. Commissioner O'Shea was absent.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner McCarthy explained the only item of new business was the commencement of hearing on an appeal filed by Fire Captain Michael Doocy regarding a one-day unpaid suspension. Attorney Jurusik then explained that per the Commission Rules, the Board has to make a determination of probable cause to move forward with a set of charges or a hearing on the appeal. Commissioner McCarthy then went on to read the order of determination of probable cause to move forward with a hearing on the appeal filed by Fire Captain Michael Doocy of a one-day unpaid suspension. After this order was read, Commissioner McCarthy made a motion to approve the overall order. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Pedersen and approved unanimously. The BFPC will meet on June 12, 2024 at 6pm to move forward with the hearing, as both parties involved and their attorneys were not present at the meeting.

ADJOURNMENT:

Commissioner McCarthy made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Pedersen to adjourn the special meeting at 6:13pm. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Pedersen and the meeting adjourned at 6:13pm.