



Village of Rantoul

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BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

RANTOUL FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION
Minutes of Quarterly Meeting
Thursday, January 18, 2018, 1:00 p.m.
Rantoul Municipal Building Conference Room
333 S. Tanner Street, Rantoul, Illinois

Present: Dave Sherrick – Commission Chairman
Ken Calhoun – Commission Member
Brian Schurter – Commission Member
Kathy Kohl – Recording Secretary
Chief Tony Brown – Rantoul Police Department
Lieutenant Jeff Wooten – Rantoul Police Department
Sergeant Justin Bouse – Rantoul Police Department

1. Chairman Sherrick called the meeting to order at 1:03 p.m.
2. Approve Minutes
 - a. Commissioner Schurter made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held Wednesday, October 18, 2017. Commissioner Calhoun seconded the motion. Minutes were approved as written.
3. Public Comments
 - a. No public comments.
4. Old Business
 - a. There was discussion regarding the police testing minimum passing score and the number of police applicants granted an oral interview. After discussion the Board agreed to announce the minimum passing score and the number of applicants granted an oral interview prior to conducting the examination. The Board of Commissioners voted unanimously to change the Fire and Police Commission Rules and Regulations to reflect these police testing changes. The Board will review oral interview questions for possible changes.
 - b. Chief Brown submitted a proposed schedule for police officer testing. The Board of Commissioners agreed applications would be made available January 29, 2018 and close on March 2, 2018. The police applicant test date is scheduled for March 10, 2018 at 8:00 a.m. at the Rantoul Township High School Cafetorium. There was conflict with Chief Brown's proposed dates for the oral interviews. The Board of Commissioners agreed to schedule oral interviews March 26 and 27, 2018 to be held in the conference room at the Village of Rantoul. Upon completion of oral interviews the initial eligibility list will be posted. Applicants will be notified of their standing and given opportunity to make a claim for veteran preference points before the final eligibility list is posted.

5. New Business

- a. Chief Brown advised the current police eligibility list for hire has been depleted and requested the eligibility list be terminated. Commissioner Schurter made a motion to terminate the current eligibility list. Commissioner Calhoun seconded the motion. The Board of Commissioners voted unanimously to terminate the eligibility list. Chief Brown said the next basic law enforcement class at Police Training Institute is scheduled for May 21, 2018

6. Other Business

- a. The next quarterly meeting of the Rantoul Board of Fire and Police Commissioners will be held on Wednesday, April 18, 2018, at 1:00 p.m. in the conference room of the Rantoul Municipal Building.
- b. Chief Brown announced the retirement of Lieutenant Jeff Wooten along with the upcoming promotions of Sergeant Bouse to Lieutenant and the promotion of Officer Will Stuckemeyer to Sergeant.

7. Adjournment

- a. A motion was made by Chairman Sherrick to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Schurter seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.