

I. SPECIAL MEETINGSeptember 17, 2021

The Board of Public Safety met in a Special Meeting at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, September 17, 2021, with Board Members Luther Taylor, Melissa Colpitts, and Darryl Heller present. Also present was Attorney Danielle Weiss and Board Clerk Anne Fuchs. Board Member Dan Jones was not present. The meeting was held at the Luther Taylor Sr. Fire Training Center, 710 E. Sample St. South Bend, Indiana and streamed virtually to the public via Microsoft Teams at the following link: <https://bit.ly/3Ec2rYA>

Board President Luther Taylor welcomed the public, called roll, and confirmed the presence of Board Members.

A. FIRE DEPARTMENT

1. APPROVE HIRING OF PROBATIONARY FIREFIGHTERS

CHRISTIAN STEVENS
 HANEEF BONDS
 HENRY NUNEZ
 MATTHEW APPLGATE
 ZACHARY KANCZUZEWSKI
 KEVIN WEINBURG
 DEVON FARRER
 ANDREA TUTTLE

Assistant Chief Brandon Roark requested the Board to approve the hiring of the above eight (8) firefighters on a probationary basis. Assistant Chief Roark noted each firefighter has completed the recruit academy successfully and has acquired the State certification required of them including Firefighter 1 and 2, and EMT. Assistant Chief Roark stated these eight recruits are the top 1% of the applicants. Therefore, upon a motion by Melissa Colpitts, seconded by Darryl Heller and carried by a roll call, the Board of Safety approved the hiring of the above listed probationary Firefighters.

2. SWEARING IN OF PROBATIONARY FIREFIGHTERS

City Clerk Dawn Jones administered the oath, and Chief Carl Buchanon followed with the Badge pinning.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, upon a motion by Melissa Colpitts and a second by Darryl Heller, carried by roll call, the meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY



 Luther Taylor, President



 Dan Jones, Member



 Darryl Heller, Member

ATTEST:



 Anne Fuchs, Clerk