



# STAMFORD FIRE COMMISSION

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## Approved Minutes –Special Meeting of Fire Commission held January 18, 2023

**Call to order:** Commissioner Alswanger called the meeting to order at 10:01am

**Roll Call:** Commissioner Alswanger, Commissioner Baker, Commissioner Hubbard, Commissioner Munger via Zoom. Fire Chief Roach, Assistant Chief Morris, Assistant Chief Robles; Absent: n/a

Also attending: Vanesa Francis, Human Resources Generalist; Barbara Murphy, Fire Administrative Supervisor

### **Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence**

### **Interview – Entry Level Firefighter:**

Commissioner Alswanger explained that the interviews will be held in Executive Session exception are the candidates that chose in advance the option of having the interview in Open Session where the Open interview will be recorded and, at the conclusion of all interviews, placed on record with the City of Stamford for public access. Commissioner Alswanger stated that Mr. Trevor Buchas & Mr. Deerick Arzola-Torres have requested their interview be in Open Session and the Commission shall hold their interview in Open Session.

**Motion:** Commissioner Alswanger made motion to go into Executive Session at 10:04 for the purpose of conducting interviews, motion was seconded by Commissioner Baker. Motion passed. 3 favor, 0 against, 1 abstain due to disconnect. Commissioner Alswanger, Baker & Hubbard in favor, Commissioner Munger abstaining due to disconnect from Zoom.

Those attending Executive Session were Commissioners Alswanger, Baker, Hubbard and Commissioner Munger via zoom, Chief Roach, A/Chief Robles & A/Chief Morris, Vanesa Francis, Human Resources Generalist, Barbara Murphy, Fire Administrative Supervisor and Commissioner Munger will join in Executive Session upon reconnection.

All individuals who were interviewed during this Executive Session are below:

LAST	FIRST
SCOTT	MACK
MORRIS	COLIN
GONZALEZ	DANIEL
CAMILLO	MICHAEL
FIORI	JOHN
PONTICIELLO	ANDREW
DUMAS	VAUGHAN
SAMAROO	MICHAEL
HOPKINS	THOMAS

LAST	FIRST
EIRIN	BRIAN
LEACH	DOUGLAS
LOPES	JULIO
SOMMA	AIDEN
HINES	KYLE
JEAN-MARIE	CORY
BLANDING	DARNELL

LAST	FIRST
DUBOIS	KEVIN
IEMMA	DOMINIC
GREER	RYAN
CACCIOLA	NICHOLAS
KEENAN	FRANK
FERRIS	JEREMY
OTERO	ADAM
FITZGERALD	JOSEPH
MAGNOTTA	ALAN-MICHAEL
Via Zoom	

The Commission came out of Executive Session and on the record at 1:47pm for the interview of Mr. Trevor Buchas, by motion duly made by Upon conclusion of Mr. Buchas interview the Commission went back into Executive Session at 1:54 pm.

The Commission came out of Executive Session and on the record at 2:08pm for the interview of Mr. Deerick Arzola-Torres. Upon conclusion of Mr. Arzola-Torres interview the Commission went back into Executive Session at 2:13 pm.

The Commission came out of Exective Session and on the record at 3:50pm. No action was taken in Executive Session.

**Motion:** Commission Alswanger made motion to adjoun the meeting today, and to continue this meeting on January 19, 2023 at 10:00am. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Munger, and approved by all. Motion passed. 4 favor, 0 against. Adjourned at 3:51pm