

## STAMFORD FIRE COMMISSION

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Draft Minutes -Regular Meeting of the Stamford Fire Commission held August 13, 2019

**Call to order**: 6:10 pm **Attendees**: Commissioners Melzer, Alswanger, Holmes, & Lodato; Chief Roach, AC Robles, AC Morris; FM Seely; Director Jankowski **Absent**: Commissioner Hubbard

**Pledge of Allegiance, Moment of Silence:** Chairman Melzer asked that all stand for the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence in gratitude to all Uniformed personnel who have served and who serve our Nation and our Communities, and in rememberance for those who have lost their lives in said service.

**Motion:** By motion duly made by Commissioner Alswanger, seconded by Commissioner Holmes and approved by all the Commission moved to go directly to item #6 Personnel Issues, Interviews for the position of Deputy Fire Marshal.

**Personnel Issues**: Interviews for the position of Deputy Fire Marshal

At the onset of each interview the Commission asked each candidate if they wished the interview to be open or closed. If the candidate requested a closed interview, the Commission moved to go into Executive Session, at the end of each interview the Commission moved to come out of Executive Session. If the candidate elected an open interview, the interview was held in the open and not in Executive Session. The chart below reflects how each candidate wished their respective interview to be:

Deputy Fire Marshal interviews	
NAME	Interview: open or closed
Christopher Brennan	Open

**Motion:** By motion duly made the Commission went into Executive Session at 6:15pm to deliberate. The Commission came out of Executive Session at 6:25pm.

**Motion:** By motion duly made by Commissioner Holmes, seconded by Commissioner Alswanger and approved by all, the Commission moved to promote Christopher Brennan to the position of Deputy Fire Marshal.

**Motion:** By motion duly made by Commissioner Holmes, seconded by Commissioner Alswanger and approved by all, the Commission moved to go into Executive Session at 6:27 pm to discuss personnel issues. The Commission came out of Executive Session at 7:03 pm. No action was taken in Executive Session.

By motion duly made the Commission moved to adjourn at 7:04pm