

AGENDA
FIRE MERIT COMMISSION
Monday, September 26, 2022
3:30 P.M.
Council Chambers

Municipal Building, 229 S. Second Street, Elkhart, IN 46516

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MEETING NUMBER (Access Code): 2306 927 1207

MEETING PASSWORD: Fire22

JOIN BY PHONE: 1-415-655-0001

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Approve Agenda**
- 4. Approve Minutes- Regular Meeting September 12, 2022**
- 5. Fire Department**
 - Promotions- FF Matthew Bryant, FF T.J. Tanguma, FF Holly Reed**
- 6. IAFF Local 338**
- 7. Public Participation**
- 8. Adjournment**

FIRE MERIT COMMISSION
Monday, September 12, 2022

President Mandy Leazenby called a regular meeting of the Fire Merit Commission (FMC) to order at 3:30 p.m., Monday, September 12, 2022. Clerk Nancy Wilson called the role. Commissioners Mandy Leazenby, Jim Rodino, Doug Bowlby and Cary Miller were present. McNeal Stewart was absent.

1. AGENDA

On motion by Doug Bowlby, seconded by Cary Miller and carried 4-0, the agenda was amended to add opening Medic Lieutenant testing.

2. APPROVE MINUTES- Regular Meeting August 22, 2022

On motion by Cary Miller, seconded by Jim Rodino and carried 4-0, the Minutes from August 22, 2022 were approved.

3. FIRE DEPARTMENT

Chief Edgerton asked the Commissioners to open Medic Lieutenant testing. On motion by Doug Bowlby, seconded by Jim Rodino and carried 4-0, the FMC opened Medic Lieutenant testing.

Chief Edgerton presented a Disciplinary Notice for Firefighter Phillip Shank. Due to the violation of I.C. 36-8-3-4(b)(2)(H) he was issued a Written Warning. Mandy accepted the communication as presented.

Chief Edgerton presented a Disciplinary Notice for Firefighter Kandy Rogers. Due to the violation of 201.01 Obedience to orders of a Superior Officer, 203.04 Reporting to Duty, 301.01 Gross Neglect of Duty, Rules of Conduct (B) Neglect of Duty, (M) Violating SOP's (1) Absent from Duty Without Permission(AWOL)(4), Tardiness to Duty, and 202.01 Duty to Attend Alarms, she was issued a five (5) day suspension without pay. Mandy accepted the communication as presented.

4. ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Cary Miller, seconded by Doug Bowlby and carried 4-0, the City of Elkhart, Indiana Fire Merit Commission was adjourned 3:32 p.m.

_____ Mandy Leazenby, President

Attest: _____ Cary Miller, Secretary



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09/21/2022

Commissioners,

As Chief of the Department, I bring forward the promotion of Firefighter
Matthew Bryant to Medic Driver. Firefighter Bryant will assume these duties as
of 09-27-2022.

Thank You,

Shaun Edgerton, Fire Chief



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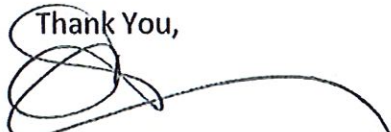
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09/21/2022

Commissioners,

As Chief of the Department, I bring forward the promotion of Firefighter T.J. Tanguma to Medic Driver. Firefighter Tanguma will assume these duties as of 09-27-2022.

Thank You,



Shaun Edgerton, Fire Chief



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Commissioners,

As Chief of the Department, I bring forward the promotion of Firefighter Holly Reed to Medic Driver. Firefighter Reed will assume these duties as of 09-27-2022.

Thank You,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shaun Edgerton", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Shaun Edgerton, Fire Chief