

Civil Service Commission
Minutes, June 2, 2009

The Civil Service Commission met in regular session on Tuesday, June 2, 2009, at City Hall in the 2nd Floor Conference Room. Present were ex-officio member Melissa Nine, Chair of the Human Rights Commission and Commissioners Lowrance and Stevens. Absent: Kloberdanz. Also present: Human Resource Director Nathan Stucky, City Attorney Roger Nowadzky, Asst Police Chief Brian Batterson, Fire Chief Larry Squiers, and Firefighter Wayne Sawtelle.

Commissioner Stevens called the meeting to order at 5:43 PM.

Lowrance moved to approve the minutes of April 7, 2009, second by Stevens. Motion approved 2-0.

Lowrance moved to certify the Fire Entrance New Hire List through June 2, 2012, second by Stevens. Squiers and Stucky were pleased with the number of candidates: 90 applied, 68 passed the agility, 65 performed the written test, 20 were interviewed. Squiers indicated 21 individuals' written test scores were close within 7 points. Squiers reviewed the testing process, which included a pass/fail agility test, written test and interview. Squiers and Sawtelle reviewed the scoring methodology and noted the interview score was weighted more than the written test. Notes were made within the department's testing file to continue the revised test score calculation. Veteran's preference points were added. Motion carried 2-0.

The revised Civil Service rules were briefly discussed, but due to the absence of Kloberdanz, the item will be discussed at the next meeting.

The next meeting on June 30, 2009, at 5:30 PM, will review the results of the testing process for the Communication Operator Civil Service test.

The meeting adjourned at 6:23 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Shari L. Coughenour, CMC, City Clerk
Civil Service Commission Secretary

Approved: _____
Steve Kloberdanz, Chair