

**CITY OF BELLEVUE
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
Meeting Minutes**

Tuesday
July 8, 2025

Hybrid

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dan Crowner, Chair
Jeff Jorgenson
Linda Parrish
Patricia Sheffels, Vice-Chair

MEMBER ABSENT: Anne Noris

OTHERS PRESENT: Chad Barnes, City Attorney's Office
Matt Burrows, Fire Department
Kathleen Kline, City Attorney's Office
Joseph Nault, Police Department
Rebecca Su, Human Resources
Rita Tes, Human Resources
Alex Tsimmerman, Public Comment

MINUTES TAKER: Michelle Cash

I. CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 4:04 p.m. by Chair Crowner.

II. ROLL CALL:

A quorum was present.

III. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES:

Motion by Commissioner Jorgenson and second by Commissioner Sheffels to approve the April 8, 2025 Civil Service Commission meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried unanimously (4-0).

IV. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:

Chair Crowner reviewed the guidelines for Oral Communications (Ordinance 6752).

Alex Tsimmerman, President of Stand Up America

Mr. Tsimmerman said that there is a critical situation because Mayor Robinson controls everyone. Mr. Tsimmerman was trespassed and everyone knows but no one stops the situation. Everyone is afraid of Mayor Robinson. He said that having meetings once per quarter does not allow the public enough opportunity to speak.

V. REPORTS:

None.

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

None.

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Fire: Request for Temporary Appointment Provisional Captain Medical Services Officer (MSO)

As a result of a non-duty injury, Chief Burrows said that the Fire Department needs to fill a position with a temporary appointment for one of the Medical Services Officer (MSO) assignments. The requirement is that this position is to be assigned as either a Lieutenant MSO or Captain MSO who has completed the MSO training book and who has been a King County trained paramedic or a staff member who has worked in the EMS Division as an administrative officer for a minimum of 2 years. Currently, no internal candidates or staff members on the Civil Service promotional lists meet these requirements.

Chief Burrows reviewed the appointments to fill the gap and meet the operational needs of the department. He also noted that Local 1604 has been consulted and is supportive of the decisions resulting in these assignments.

B. Police:

None.

VIII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING:

Chair Crowner announced that the next regularly scheduled Civil Service Commission meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 14, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.

IX. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

Fire—Status Change

- A. Personnel Reassignments – Connor Hoyle and Brock Jorgensen
- B. CPSE Accreditation – Department Earns 6th CPSE Accreditation
- C. Personnel Reassignment – Keith Allen
- D. Personnel Reassignments – Michael Markey and Connor Hoyle
- E. Resignation – Fire Prevention Officer LeMont Lucas
- F. New Hire – Ross Fryberg
- G. Wildland Program Lead and Wildland Team Recruiting
- H. Personnel Reassignments – S. Oliver, R. Smith, D. Castillo, M. Wurster
- I. USAR Position – Rescue Specialist Interview Results
- J. Paramedic Class 52
- K. Personnel Reassignments – Academy Instructors
- L. Steve Medina Retirement Notification
- M. Resignation – Connor Hoyle
- N. Recruit Academy - Class 18 Graduate Bios
- O. Personnel Reassignments – John Lapsansky and Michael Markey
- P. Wildland Lead Interview Results
- Q. MSO Provisional Assignments
- R. Personnel Reassignment – Training Division Tim Yaw

Police—Executive Orders

- A. Nicole Bells – Resignation
- B. Bryan Hershberger – Retirement
- C. Brian Orr – Retirement
- D. Michael Dolce – Resignation
- E. Dylan Van Vleet – Resignation
- F. Ion Cazac – Resignation
- G. Angel Francois – Promotion
- H. Gustavo Ferrari – Resignation
- I. Robert Way – Resignation
- J. Aleah Moe – Promotion
- K. Michael Bryson – Retirement
- L. Annual Department Awards
- M. Thank You Report – April-May 2025
- N. Thank You Report – June 2025
- O. Thank You Report – March 2025

These minutes are in DRAFT form until approved by the Civil Service Commission.

X. ADJOURNMENT:

Chair Crowner adjourned the meeting at 4:22 p.m.