



**CITY OF AUSTIN  
FIRE FIGHTERS', POLICE OFFICERS AND  
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL'S CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES  
(Friday, April 4, 2014)**

The City of Austin Firefighters', Police Officers and Emergency Medical Services Personnel's Civil Service Commission convened in a regular meeting on Friday, April 4, 2014 at City Hall, 301 West Second Street in Austin, Texas.

**Commission Chair Gary Cobb called the Commission Meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.**

**Commission Members in Attendance:**

Gary Cobb  
Stephen Edmonds  
Herbert Martinez

**Staff in Attendance:**

Beverly West, Assistant City Attorney  
Barry Cook, Civil Service Administrator  
Guillermo Mireles, Civil Service Coordinator  
Michael Cronig, Assistant City Attorney  
Steven Rodriguez, Police Sergeant

**Others in Attendance:**

**1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. The minutes from the meeting of February 3, 2014 were approved. Commission member Martinez moved to approve and Commission Chair Edmonds seconded the motion, the vote passed 3-0.

**2. NEW BUSINESS**

- a. Hear and decide any appeals from the Police Lieutenant Written Exam administered on March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014 pursuant to the Texas Local Government Code Chapter 143.034, Article 13 of the Agreement between the City of Austin and the Austin Police Association and Rule 7 of the City of Austin Fire Fighters' and Police Officers' Civil Service Commission Rules and Regulations. The commission heard two appeals from the APD Lieutenant written exam which was administered March 20, 2014. Question 65 was denied on Commission Chair Edmonds' motion and

Commission Member Martinez's second. The vote passed 3-0-0. Question 90 was denied on Commission member Martinez's motion and Commission Chair Edmonds second. The vote passed 3-0-0.

- b. Pursuant to the Texas Local Government Code Section 143.081(d) and Rule 15.04 of the City of Austin Fire Fighters', Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Personnel Civil Service Commission Rules and Regulations, consider the appointment of a three-member board to examine a Police Officer. Commission Vice Chair Edmonds moved to approve and Commission member Martinez seconded the motion, the vote passed 3-0.

**3. STAFF BRIEFINGS**

- a. Barry Cook, Civil Service Administrator, provided a staff report on the status of hearings, and exams.

**4. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

None

**5. ADJOURN**

Commission Chair Cobb adjourned the meeting at 9:13 am without objection.