



**CITY OF AUSTIN
FIRE FIGHTERS', POLICE OFFICERS AND
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL'S CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES
(Friday, August 29th, 2014)**

The City of Austin Firefighters', Police Officers and Emergency Medical Services Personnel's Civil Service Commission convened in a special called meeting on Friday, August 29th, 2014 at the Learning and Research Center, 2800 Spirit of Texas Drive, Austin, Texas.

Commission Chair Gary Cobb called the Commission Meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Commission Members in Attendance:

Gary Cobb
Stephen Edmonds
Herbert Martinez (came in at 9:14 am)

Staff in Attendance:

Beverly West, Assistant City Attorney
Barry Cook, Civil Service Administrator
Guillermo Mireles, Civil Service Coordinator
Patricia Bourenane, Civil Service Coordinator

Others in Attendance:

Nathan Childress, Fire Lieutenant
Tom Dodds, Fire Division Chief
Calvin Poole, Fire Captain
Peter Teliha, Fire Captain
Marc Saenz, Fire Captain
Matt Cox, Fire Captain

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- a. The minutes from the meeting of August 19, 2014 were approved. Commission Vice Chair Edmonds moved to approve and Commission Chair Cobb seconded the motion, the motion passed 2-0.

2. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Hear and decide any appeals from the Fire Battalion Chief Exam administered on August 18th pursuant to the Texas Local Government Code Chapter 143.034 and Rule 7 of the City of Austin Fire Fighters', Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Services Personnel Civil Service Commission Rules and Regulations.

- **Question 55:** Commission Vice Chair Edmonds made the motion to deny the appeal, Commission member Martinez seconded the motion, the motion passed 3-0.
- **Question 81:** Commission Vice Chair Edmonds made the motion to deny the appeal, Commission member Martinez seconded the motion, the motion passed 3-0.

3. STAFF BRIEFINGS

- a. Civil Service Coordinators, Guillermo Mireles and Patricia Bourenane provided a staff report on the status of hearings, and exams.

4. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

None.

5. ADJOURN

Chair Cobb adjourned the meeting at 9:37 am without objection.