



**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
MINUTES OF MAY 27, 2021**

The meeting of the Westlake Civil Service Commission was called to order by Chairman Kucler at 8:00 a.m.

Members Present: Dennis Kucler, and Claudia Dillinger

Absent: Timothy Sullivan

Also Present: Assistant Law Director, Robin Leasure Clerk of Commissions Nicolette Sackman

Motion: Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to amend the agenda to include the approval of minutes for April 22, 2021 and May 6, 2021.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Approval of minutes:

Motion: Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to approve the minutes of 4/22/21.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Motion: Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to approve the minutes of 5/6/21.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Police Officer Eligibility List Removal of Names:

Chairman Kucler explained numerous candidates requested to be removed from the eligibility list and submitted waivers.

Motion: Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to remove #22 Besjon Domnori, #23 Juistina Demarchi-Rollings, #25 Kori Korinek and #26 Viktoria Bodnar from the police office eligibility list.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Chairman Kucler advised Chief Bielozer requested the removal of Mr. Connor Watson (#24) from the eligibility list pertaining to *Rule VIII Eligibility Lists: Section 5. Disqualification of Eligibles for: other comparable reasons*, and *Rule VIII Eligibility Lists: Section 4. Names Not To Be Certified for: (a) Fails to report for an interview at the request of the Police or Fire Chief or the appointing authority, or if unable for good cause to attend such an interview, fails to arrange for an interview to take place within six days (Sundays and holidays excluded) from the date of the originally scheduled interview.* It was discussed that Mr. Connor has a disqualifier with the conviction of an OVI within 5 years. He also failed to respond to the police department for his scheduled interview or to reschedule it. Notification of this meeting was sent to Mr. Watson via mail and email.

Motion: Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to remove #24 Connor Watson based on *Rule VIII Eligibility Lists: Section 5. Disqualification of Eligibles* and *Rule VIII Eligibility Lists: Section 4.*

Names Not To Be Certified,

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Fire Fighter Eligibility List Removal of Names:

Chairman Kucler advised Chief Hughes requested the removal of Mr. Nathan T. Brazytis (#16) from the eligibility list pertaining to *Rule VIII Eligibility Lists: Section 5. Disqualification of Eligibles for: other comparable reasons,* and *Rule V Applications: Section 9. Rejection of an Application for: (c) That the applicant has made false statements in his application of any material fact, or practiced or attempted to practice any deception or fraud in his application or in the examination in establishing his eligibility or securing his appointment.* It was discussed that Mr. Brazytis has a disqualifier with a misrepresentation on his employment application and during the polygraph examination made a false statement when trying to secure an appointment. He failed his polygraph. Notification of this meeting was sent to Mr. Brazytis via mail and email.

Motion: Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to remove #16 Nathan T. Brazytis based on *Rule VIII Eligibility Lists: Section 5. Disqualification of Eligibles* and *Rule V Applications: Section 9. Rejection of an Application*

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Motion: at 8:11 am Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to adjourn into executive session to discuss potential litigation.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Motion: at 8:27 am Mr. Kucler moved, seconded by Ms. Dillinger to adjourn the executive session and return into open session.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kucler, Dillinger; Nays: None, motion passed

Adjournment

Meeting Adjourned at 8:27 a.m.

Chairman Dennis Kucler

Clerk of Commissions, Nicolette Sackman

Approved: _____