



**CITY OF EAST CHICAGO  
POLICE MERIT COMMISSION**  
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Commission Members

Ricardo Chavarria

Diane Perez

Henry Rodriguez

Rodolfo Sanchez

Tammy Sloss

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Enedina Rodriguez, Recording Secretary

Shana Levinson, Commission Attorney

*Anthony Copeland, Mayor*

**Minutes of June 1, 2022  
Regular Meeting  
Held in person and via ZOOM  
No executive session was held.**

- 1. Call to Order** 4:30 p.m.
- 2. Roll Call:** Present: Chavarria, Sanchez, Perez, Rodriguez,  
Via Zoom: Sloss  
Absent: None

**Also Present:** Attorney Levinson, Commander Justin Orange

- 3. Approval of the Agenda:** *A motion to approve the agenda was made by Commissioner Chavarria. Second by Commissioner Sanchez.*

**Roll Call:**

Chavarria - Y

Sanchez - Y

Perez - Y

Sloss - Y

Rodriguez - Y

*Motion carries.*

- 4. Approval of the Minutes:** *A motion to approve the minutes of May 4, 2022 was made by Commissioner Perez. Second by Commissioner Chavarria.*

**Roll Call:**

Chavarria - Y

Sanchez - Y

Perez - Y

Sloss - Y

Rodriguez - Y

*Motion carries.*

\*Notation – No meeting occurred on May 18, 2022.

- 5. Correspondence:** None
- 6. Communications:**
  - a. FROM ECPD:**

- i. Commander Orange spoke about the last hiring process. All 6 applicants were hired so they're requested the Commission open the hiring process for both certified and new applicants. Pending PERF and Psychological Exam.
- j. Commander Orange raised the question about whether applications can be accepted after the deadline; not to be included in that group but so that it could be reserved for the next group.
- k. Commander Orange also asked about accepting applications online.

**b. From Commissioners/Attorney:** None.

**c. Other Communications:** None.

**7. Old Business:** None

**8. New Business:**

Commissioner Sanchez moved to open the hiring process from June 13, 2022 through July 11, 2022 for new hires and emergency hires. Second by Commissioner Perez.

**Roll Call:**

Chavarria - Y

Sanchez - Y

Perez - Y

Sloss - Y

Rodriguez - Y

*Motion Carries.*

Commission requests that Secretary Rodriguez post notice that we're accepting applications from June 13<sup>th</sup> to close July 11, 2022.

**9. Other Business:** None

**10. Public Comment:** None

**Next Regular Meeting, in person and via Zoom:** June 15, 2022 in person and via Zoom at 4:30 p.m.

**11. Adjournment:** *Commissioner Perez moved to adjourn. Second by Commissioner Chavarria.*

**Roll Call:**

Chavarria - Y

Sanchez - Y

Perez - Y

Sloss - Y

Rodriguez - Y

*Motion Carries.*

Meeting adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Minutes approved this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022.

Police Merit Commission