



**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 August 3, 2022  
Regular Meeting  
Held in person and via ZOOM  
No executive session was held.**

1. **Call to Order** 4:31 p.m.
2. **Roll Call:** Present: Chavarria, Sanchez, Perez, Rodriguez and Sloss (All in person)  
**Also Present:** Chief Rivera
3. **Approval of the Agenda:** *A motion to approve the agenda was made by Commissioner Chavarria. Second by Commissioner Sanchez.*  
**Roll Call:** Ayes: Chavarria; Sanchez; Perez; Rodriguez and Sloss *Motion carries.*
4. **Approval of the Minutes:** *A motion to approve the minutes of July 6, 2022 was made by Commissioner Sanchez. Second by Perez.*  
**Roll Call:** Ayes: Chavarria; Sanchez; Perez; Rodriguez and Sloss *Motion carries.*
5. **Correspondence:** None
6. **Communications:**
  - a. **From ECPD:** Chief requested the application process be closed by August 5, 2022  
*A motion to close the application process on August 5, 2022 by 4PM was made by Commissioner Sloss. Second by Commissioner Sanchez.*  
**Roll Call:** Ayes: Chavarria; Sanchez; Perez; Rodriguez and Sloss *Motion carries.*  
  
*A motion was made to hold the physical agility on August 13, 2022 and the written exam be held August 20, 2022 @ 8AM was made by Commissioner Sloss. Second by Commissioner Perez*  
**Roll Call:** Ayes: Chavarria; Sanchez; Perez; Rodriguez and Sloss *Motion carries.*
  - b. **From Commissioners/Attorney:** None.
  - c. **Other Communications:** None.
7. **Old Business:** None
8. **New Business:** Chief reported to the Commission that an Officer was disciplined for in fighting in the department with another Officer. The officer accepted his punishment of 5 days. The other officer involved has since left the department.
9. **Other Business:** None
10. **Public Comment:** None
11. **Adjournment:** *Commissioner Sloss moved to adjourn. Second by Commissioner Chavarria*  
**Roll Call:** Ayes: Chavarria; Sanchez; Perez; Rodriguez and Sloss *Motion carries.*

Meeting adjourned at 446 p.m.

**Minutes approved this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2022.**