CITY OF EAST CHICAGO BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

BOARD MEMBERS

Milton Reed, President
Richard Trembczynski, Vice-President
Frank Smith, Member

Regular Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 9, 2026, at 5:00 p.m

Reported by Fissinger & Associates, Ltd.
By: Peggy S. LaLonde

Call to Order: 5:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Present: Milton Reed
Frank Smith
Richard Trembczynski

Staff Present: Olga Cosme, Secretary
Shana Levinson, Counsel for Board

MR. REED: Call to order the regular meeting of the Board of Public Safety, March 9th, 2026. We'll follow the agenda in front of us.

May we have a motion to approve the regular meeting minutes of February 23rd, 2026 as written?

MR. TREMBCZYNSKI: I'll make a motion.

MR. SMITH: Second.

MR. REED: Motion has been properly moved and second. Any questions? (None)

Hearing no questions, we'll take a vote. All in favor?

(All signify aye.)

MR. REED: Motion carries.

Is there a motion to accept the Fire

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Department reports; report from January 2026 Training Report, Equipment Reports from January and February 2026, Absentee Reports from January and February 2026, and the Fire Prevention Bureau Reports for January and February 2026.

MR. TREMBCZYNSKI: I'll make a motion.

MR. SMITH: Second.

MR. REED: Motion has been properly moved and second. Any questions? (None)

Hearing no questions, we'll take a vote. All in favor?

(All signify aye.)

MR. REED: Motion carries.

Audience participation: There is none.

Our next meeting is March 23rd, 2026, at 5:00 p.m.

Is there a motion to adjourn?

MR. TREMBCZYNSKI: I'll make a motion.

MR. SMITH: Second.

MR. REED: Motion has been properly moved and second. Any questions? (None)

Hearing no questions, we'll take a vote. All in favor?

(All signify aye.)

MR. REED: Motion carries.

Thank you everyone. Meeting adjourned.

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Approval of the Public Safety Minutes
of March 9th, 2026
Approved and Signed, Monday, March 9th, 2026.

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Milton Reed, President

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Richard Trembczynski, Vice President

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Frank Smith, Member

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Olga Cosme, Secretary

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C E R T I F I C A T E

I, Peggy S. LaLonde, a competent and duly qualified court reporter, do hereby certify that I did report in machine shorthand the foregoing proceedings and that my shorthand notes so taken at said time and place were thereafter reduced to typewriting under my personal direction.

I further certify that the foregoing typewritten transcript constitutes minutes of the said proceedings taken at said time and place, so ordered to be transcribed.

Dated at Munster, Indiana, this 10th day of March, 2026.



Peggy S. LaLonde

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