



PLAINFIELD FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Dale Hurley called the meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners (BOC) of the Plainfield Fire Protection District to order on, Wednesday, July 16, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the PFPD Headquarters (HQ), 23748 W. 135th St., Plainfield, IL, with the Pledge of Allegiance. Those in attendance were Commissioner Dale Hurley, Commissioner Arnold Hartley & Commissioner Steven Iovinelli. As well as Chief Vito Bonomo, Deputy Chief Charles Kraft, Trustee Robert Dehm Administrative Assistant Nicole Irwin, & HR Generalist Alicia Pavone.

A motion was made to accept May 28, 2025, meeting minutes by Commissioner Dale Hurley, seconded by Commissioner Steve Iovinelli; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.

A motion was made to approve payment to Illinois Fire & Police Commissioners Association for \$475 for a training class that Commissioner Hurley attended by Commissioner Arnold Hartley, seconded by Commissioner Steve Iovinelli; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.

No matters from the public.

Old Business: Discussion about interview questions and schedule. Commissioners decided to hold the interviews on October 7th and October 8th. Discussion held on having the cadets post the link for the applications, Chief will ask the police to post the link and commissioners brainstormed other options. **A motion was made to post online to theblueline.com not to exceed \$500, by Commissioner Arnold Hartley, seconded by Commissioner Dale Hurley; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.**

Reviewed the Battalion Chief applications turned in, due date is September 19, 2025.

No New Business.

A motion was made to go into Closed Session to discuss personnel issues at 8:45 am by Commissioner Steve Iovinelli, seconded by Commissioner Arnold Hartley; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.

A motion was made to go back to Open Session at 9:05 am by Commissioner Dale Hurley, seconded by Commissioner Arnold Hartley; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.

Discussion on personnel issues. Discussion on current employee background checks.

A motion was made to hold a Special Meeting on August 6, 2025, including the attorney discussing personnel issues by Commissioner Arnold Hartley, seconded by Commissioner Steve Iovinelli; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.

A motion was made to approve Chief Bonomo calling the remaining FF/PMs on the eligibility list if the need arises by Commissioner Steve Iovinelli, seconded by Commissioner Dale Hurley; motion approved by a 3-0 voice vote.

The next special meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 6, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at HQ. **There being no further business, a motion was made by Commissioner Dale Hurley to adjourn the meeting at 9:12 a.m., seconded by Commissioner Arnold Hartley; all in favor.**

Respectfully submitted,
Arnold Hartley, Secretary
Nicole Irwin, Administrative Assistant