

CITY OF NEWPORT, KY
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

April 3, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

A Special Meeting was called to order by Mayor Thomas L. Guidugli Jr. at 5:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose room of the Newport Municipal Building at 998 Monmouth Street. The meeting was opened with a silent invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

In Attendance:

Commissioner Radwanski, Commissioner Smith-Morrow, Commissioner Rechten, Vice Mayor Fennell, Mayor Guidugli Jr., City Manager Thomas Fromme, City Attorney Dan Braun, Police Chief Christopher Fangman, Fire Chief Frank Peluso, and City Clerk Tiffany Myers.

Personnel Orders:

COMMISSIONERS ORDER NO. R-2023-034

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT, KENTUCKY, APPOINTING MEGAN WEAR TO THE POSITION OF POLICE RECRUIT IN THE NEWPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT EFFECTIVE APRIL 17, 2023.

Motion by Commissioner Smith-Morrow, seconded by Vice Mayor Fennell, to approve Order R-2023-034 as read.

Roll Call:

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| Commissioner Radwanski | Yes |
| Commissioner Smith-Morrow | Yes |
| Commissioner Rechten | Yes |
| Vice Mayor Fennell | Yes |
| Mayor Guidugli Jr. | Yes |

Motion carried 5-0.

Comments:

Chief Fangman gave the recruits their badges. He thanked the Commissioners, the Mayor, and the City Manager for supporting the police department.

COMMISSIONERS ORDER NO. R-2023-035

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT, KENTUCKY, APPOINTING SERGIO RAMIREZ-MORALES TO THE POSITION OF POLICE RECRUIT IN THE NEWPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT EFFECTIVE APRIL 17, 2023.

Motion by Commissioner Rehtin, seconded by Vice Mayor Fennell, to approve Order R -2023-035 as read.

Roll Call:

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| Commissioner Radwanski | Yes |
| Commissioner Smith-Morrow | Yes |
| Commissioner Rehtin | Yes |
| Vice Mayor Fennell | Yes |
| Mayor Guidugli Jr. | Yes |

Motion carried 5-0.

COMMISSIONERS ORDER NO. R-2023-036

AN ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT, KENTUCKY, APPOINTING ROBERT MCKNIGHT TO THE POSITION OF POLICE RECRUIT IN THE NEWPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT EFFECTIVE APRIL 17, 2023.

Motion by Vice Mayor Fennell, seconded by Commissioner Rehtin, to approve Order R-2023-036 as read.

Roll Call:

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| Commissioner Radwanski | Yes |
| Commissioner Smith-Morrow | Yes |
| Commissioner Rehtin | Yes |
| Vice Mayor Fennell | Yes |
| Mayor Guidugli Jr. | Yes |

Motion carried 5-0.

Comments:

Mayor Guidugli Jr. read the Oath of Office to the recruits and welcomed them to the City of Newport.

Chief Fangman said they would attend the police academy in September, but in the meantime, they would receive in-house training.

Adjournment:

There being no further business to discuss, a motion by Vice Mayor Fennell, seconded by Commissioner Rehtin, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried- so ordered. Accordingly, the meeting was adjourned at 5:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

City Clerk Tiffany Myers

Date Approved:

Mayor Thomas L. Guidugli Jr.

Attest:

City Clerk Tiffany Myers