

WEST LAFAYETTE POLICE MERIT COMMISSION MINUTES
April 11, 2011

The West Lafayette Police Merit Commission met in regular session in the Lower Level Conference Room of City Hall on April 11, 2011, at 7:00 p.m.

In the absence of President Leverenz, Police Merit Commission Vice President Corrigan called the meeting to order and presided.

PRESENT: Commissioners Corrigan, Kirkpatrick, No, and Troyer.
ABSENT: Commissioner Leverenz.

ALSO PRESENT: Commission Attorney Brooks and Police Captain Leroux.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Kirkpatrick moved to approve the minutes of the February 14, 2011, meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Troyer. The minutes were approved by unanimous voice vote.

NEW BUSINESS:

Chief's Report

In the absence of Chief Dombkowski, Police Captain Leroux distributed copies of the monthly report to the Council and reviewed items noted in the report.

Conditional Offer of Employment

Captain Leroux reported that he recommends that Jeffery M. Spicer offered conditional employment with the West Lafayette Police Department. Counsel Brooks explained that this is conditional, as the PERF Board must review and make final determination. If the PERF Board approves, then Mr. Spicer would become a probationary officer for one year.

Commissioner Troyer motioned to make a conditional offer of employment to Jeffery M. Spicer. Commissioner Kirkpatrick seconded the motion.

Commissioner No asked what would happen if Mr. Spicer does not pass the PERF Board. Counsel Brooks said that the next person on the Eligibility List would be submitted to the PERF Board.

The vote on the motion of the conditional offer of employment to Jeffery M. Spicer was unanimous.

Captain Leroux will notify Mr. Spicer and contact PERF.

Commissioner Corrigan asked if the Police Department is now at full force. Captain Leroux answered that there is still one vacancy. Counsel Brooks added that the position would not be filled until later in the fall.

Next Round of Testing for Applicants

Commissioner Corrigan asked when the next round of testing would be. Captain Leroux answered that it is usually done in the fall. There is some recruiting occurring now, via job fairs. Applications arrive, but there is no plan to process these until the fall.

NEXT MEETING

May 9, 2011, at 7:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Troyer moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Kirkpatrick. Commission Vice President Corrigan adjourned the meeting, the time being 7:12 p.m.


Larry Leyerenz
President


Bob Troyer
Secretary