Meeting Minutes Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board Regular Meeting

December 7, 2022 | 8:30 a.m. City Hall, 2nd Floor, Training Room B 175 S. Arizona Ave., Chandler, AZ



Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Turner at 8:30 a.m.

Roll Call

Board Attendance

Chairman Steve Turner
Citizen Member Valerie Remington
Citizen Member Bill Crawford
Fire Member Elect Carlos Vargas
Fire Member Elect Scott Jensen

Staff Attendance

Chris Jarosik, Medical Leave Coordinator Nichole Bombard, Medical Leave Coordinator Roni Laxa, Asst. City Attorney

Others Present

Andrew Apodaca, Board Attorney

Absent

None

Scheduled and Unscheduled Public Appearances

Consent Agenda and Discussion

1. November 2, 2022 Minutes
Regular Meeting Minutes of Wednesday, November 2, 2022.

Consent Agenda Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Vargas moved to approve the Consent Agenda of the December 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board Meeting. Motion was seconded by Member Elect Jensen.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0).

Executive Session – Pursuant to A.R.S. Section 38-431.02 (A), the Chandler Local Fire Public Safety Personnel Retirement Board may vote to convene in executive session to discuss or consider confidential records exempt by law from public inspection and/or to consult with Board's attorney for legal advice and to consider the Board's position and to instruct the Board's attorney regarding its position on items.

Action Agenda Item No. 2 and Discussion

2. **Review Pre-Existing Medical Condition(s) for Firefighter Collin Anderson**Consideration, Discussion and Appropriate Action for Pre-existing Medical Condition(s) review for Firefighter Collin Anderson.

Executive Session – Chairperson Turner asked for a motion to end the Open Session and to move to Executive Session for legal advice and confidential medical review. Fire Member Elect Jensen made a motion to end the Open Session and to move into Executive Session for legal advice and confidential medical review in matter Action Agenda Item No. 2-7. Elect Member Vargas seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous to end the Open Session and move into Executive Session at 8:31 a.m.

Open Session – Chairperson Turner asked for a motion to end the Executive Session and move into Open Session. Fire Member Elect Jensen made the motion to end the Executive Session and move into Open Session; Fire Elect Member Vargas seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous to end the Executive Session and move into Open Session at 8:38 a.m.

Action Agenda Item No. 2 Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to declare four pre-existing conditions identified on the Phoenix Health Center Form for Collin Anderson; Agenda Item No. 2 of the November 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board; Fire Member Elect Vargas seconded the motion.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0)

Action Agenda Item No. 3 and Discussion

3. **Review Pre-Existing Medical Condition(s) for Firefighter Carter Block**Consideration, Discussion and Appropriate Action for Pre-existing Medical Condition(s) review for Firefighter Carter Block.

Action Agenda Item No. 3 Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to declare three pre-existing conditions identified on the Phoenix Health Center Form for Carter Block; Agenda Item No. 3 of the November 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board; Fire Member Elect Vargas seconded the motion.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0)

Action Agenda Item No. 4 and Discussion

4. **Review Pre-Existing Medical Condition(s) for Firefighter Samuel Bochsler**Consideration, Discussion and Appropriate Action for Pre-existing Medical Condition(s) review for Firefighter Samuel Bochsler.

Action Agenda Item No. 4 Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to declare three pre-existing conditions identified on the Phoenix Health Center Form for Samuel Bochler; Agenda Item No. 4 of the November 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board; Fire Member Elect Vargas seconded the motion.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0)

Action Agenda Item No. 5 and Discussion

5. **Review Pre-Existing Medical Condition(s) for Firefighter Joseph Carey**Consideration, Discussion and Appropriate Action for Pre-existing Medical Condition(s) review for Firefighter Joseph Carey.

Action Agenda Item No. 5 Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to declare one pre-existing condition identified on the Phoenix Health Center Form for Joseph Carey; Agenda Item No. 5 of the November 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board; Fire Member Elect Vargas seconded the motion.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0)

Action Agenda Item No. 6 and Discussion

6. **Review Pre-Existing Medical Condition(s) for Firefighter James Figueroa**Consideration, Discussion and Appropriate Action for Pre-existing Medical Condition(s) review for Firefighter James Figueroa.

Action Agenda Item No. 6 Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to declare one pre-existing condition identified on the Phoenix Health Center Form for James Figueroa; Agenda Item No. 6 of the November 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board; Fire Member Elect Vargas seconded the motion.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0)

Action Agenda Item No. 7 and Discussion

7. **Review Pre-Existing Medical Condition(s) for Firefighter John Garner**Consideration, Discussion and Appropriate Action for Pre-existing Medical Condition(s) review for Firefighter John Garner.

Action Agenda Item No. 7 Motion and Vote

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to declare two pre-existing conditions identified on the Phoenix Health Center Form for John Garner; Agenda Item No. 7 of the November 7, 2022, Regular Public Safety Fire Personnel Retirement Board; Fire Member Elect Vargas seconded the motion.

Motion carried unanimously (5-0)

Member Comments/Announcements

Calendar

8. The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 4, 2023, at 8:30 a.m., at City Hall, 2nd Floor, Training Room B, 175 S Arizona Ave., Chandler AZ

Informational Items

- 9. a. Fire Board DROP Report
 - b. Fire Board Billing Report
 - c. PSPRS Fire Board Action Reports
 - Normal Retirements

- DROP
- Disability Retirements

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- Military Leave
- Service Purchase

Adjourn

Fire Member Elect Jensen moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Fire Member Elect Vargas. Motion carried unanimously (5-0). The meeting was adjourned at 8:42 a.m.

Chris Jarosik, Secretary

Steve Turner