

MINUTES
Meeting of the Civil Service Commission
January 5, 2026 – 10:00 a.m.
Village Hall - Council Chambers
16250 S Oak Park Ave.
Tinley Park, IL 60477

Item #1 - At 10:02 a.m. the meeting of the Civil Service Commission was called to order. Present and responding to roll call were the following:

Members Present: T.J. Grady, Chairperson
 Ranetta Adamovitz, Commissioner
 Steve Vaccaro, Commissioner

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Anne Mitchell, Management Analyst
 Diane Melone, Administrative Assistant Clerk's Office

Others Present: None

Chairperson Grady asked for a motion to open the meeting. Motion was made by Commissioner Vaccaro and seconded by Commissioner Adamowicz to open the meeting. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Item #2 - APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MEETING HELD DECEMBER 1, 2025 – Chairperson Grady asked for a motion to approve the December 15, 2025, minutes. Motion was made by Commissioner Adamowicz and seconded by Commissioner Vaccaro to approve the minutes of the Civil Service Commission meeting held on December 15, 2025. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Item #3 – REVIEW CURRENT BILLS – Chairperson Grady asked if members of the Commission had any questions and approval to pay the bill. There were no questions. Motion was made by Commissioner Vaccaro and seconded by Commissioner Adamovitz to approve payment of the bill. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Item #4 – OLD BUSINESS – Chairperson Grady asked if there was any old business. There was none.

Item #5 – NEW BUSINESS – LATERAL POLICE OFFICER

A: Lateral Police Officers

Chairperson Grady asked the members of the Commission to appoint from the Register dated February 2025 candidates #16, Brian Brooks. Motion was made by Commissioner Vaccaro and seconded by Commissioner Adamovitz to appoint Candidate #16 from the February 2025 Register. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Chairperson Grady asked the members of the Commission to decertify candidate #22, Joseph Walker, #26, Brian Huerta, and #38, Keandre Townes from the February 2025 Registrar. Motion was made by Commissioner Adamowicz and seconded by Commissioner Vaccaro to decertify candidates #22, #26, and #38 from the February 2025 Register. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Chairperson Grady asked the Commission to certify candidates #44, Melissa Spuccess, and #45, Joshua Metoyer, from the February 2025 Registry to begin the pre-employment process. Motion was made by Commissioner Vaccaro and seconded by Commissioner Adamovitz, to certify candidates #44 and #45 from the February 2025 Registry. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

B. Entry Level Patrol Officers

Chairperson Grady asked the Commission to adopt a new Ongoing Eligibility Register 2026 for Entry Level Patrol Officers. Motion was made by Commissioner Adamowicz and seconded by Commissioner Vaccaro to adopt a new Ongoing Eligibility Registry for 2026 for Entry Level Patrol Officers. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Chairperson Grady asked the Commission to certify candidates #1, Davide Rudnicki; #2, Brandey Tarver; #3, James Hunt Kocher, and #4, Christopher Santoyo from the January 5, 2026, Entry Level Patrol Officer Registry to begin the pre-employment process. Motion was made by Commissioner Vaccaro and seconded by Commissioner Adamovitz, to certify candidates #1; #2; #3; and #4 from the January 5, 2026, Registry. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the motion carried.

Item #6 – PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

Item #7 - ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Grady requested to Adjourn the Commission meeting. Motion was made by Commissioner Vaccaro and seconded by Commissioner Adamovitz to adjourn the Commission meeting. Vote by roll call. Ayes: Grady, Adamovitz, Vaccaro. Nays: None. Absent: None. Chairperson Grady declared the meeting adjourned at 10:12 a.m.