

## **Columbus Police and Fire Commission Minutes – August 8, 2016**

The regular Police and Fire Commission meeting was called to order by President Rod Musel at 5:32 PM on Monday August 8, 2016 in the Fire Department meeting room.

Compliance with open meeting law duly noted.

Roll Call: Present – Rod Musel, Joe Sampson, Larry Olson, Joe Roche, Tim Hoffman  
Absent - none

Motion by Olson to approve the current agenda and the minutes from the previous meeting. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Hoffman. All in favor.

Public Comments – None

Police Department – No police department representative was present. Musel reported Sgt. Seeley intends on retiring near the end of this month. The sergeant vacancy will be posted both externally and internally.

Fire Department - Chief Koehn reported they currently have two openings and we have three candidates to be interviewed at tonight's meeting.

Chief Koehn reported the call volume was up this year and they were about one month ahead on calls compared to last year.

The emergency lights and graphics are being put on the truck donated by Enbridge and they hope to have it in service soon.

The fire departments UAV was put into service in July. A couple very nice demos were given to the public at National Night Out.

New Business – Sampson will not participate in the interview or vote on candidate Daniel Sampson due to a personal conflict of interest.

Sampson made a motion to go into closed session to interview the three fire fighter candidates. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Olson. Closed session began at 5:45 PM.

Motion by Olson with a second by Roche to go into open session after the interviews were conducted. Back into open session at 5:27 PM.

Motion by Musel to place fire fighter candidates Daniel Sampson, Andrew Harmon and Thomas Powers on the eligibility list. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Olson. All members voted in favor.

Motion to adjourn by Musel. All in favor and the meeting was adjourned at 5:28 PM.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Monday November 14, 2016 at 5:30 PM.

PFC Secretary  
Joe Sampson