

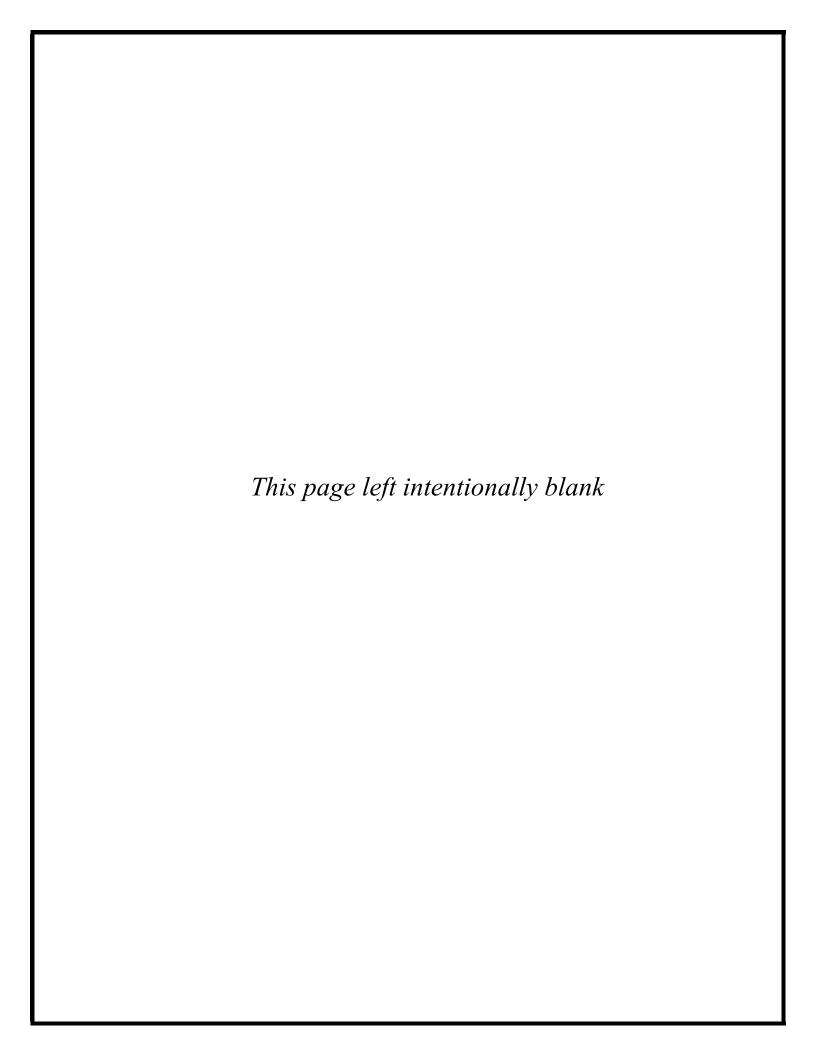
In The Matter Of:

November 2022 Special Meeting Notification

Board of Police Commissioners Special Meeting

November 21, 2022

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CITY OF NEW HAVEN

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE SERVICE

BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

SPECIAL MEETING
NOVEMBER 21, 2022
6:01 p.m.
Held Via:
Zoom Videoconferencing Platform

RE: PERSONNEL MATTERS: Discussion and action on the recommendation from Chief Karl Jacobson to hire the candidates from the eligibility list #22-17

Present: Commissioner Evelise Ribeiro, Chair Commissioners Darrell Brooks, Donald Walker, Isaias Miranda and Michael Lawlor

Chief Karl Jacobson Chief Administrative Officer Regina Rush-Kittle Michelle Duprey, Esq., Corporation Counsel Patricia King, Esq., Corporation Counsel

Reporter: Theresa Bergstrand, CSR #406

1 (The meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m.) 2 3 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: It is now 6:01 p.m., and I will 4 call to order, the Police Commissioners Special Meeting 5 to order. And we will take attendance, myself, Evelise 6 Ribeiro. We have Commissioner Michael Lawlor, 7 Commissioner Donald Walker, Commissioner Darrell Brooks 8 and Commissioner Isaias Miranda. Commissioner Lawlor, I 9 am sorry, Commissioner -- oh my goodness -- Meares, 10 Commissioner Meares has been excused --11 CONFERENCE ROOM: Can you hear us, Commissioner 12 Ribeiro? 13 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: We can hear you, now. 14 CONFERENCE ROOM: All right. We are good to go. 15 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: And as I stated earlier, 16 everyone, we were not invited to the party, but that is 17 okay. You know, Rush-Kittle, they didn't invite us. I 18 hear they even have a Thanksgiving turkey dinner in the 19 back, but they didn't want us to come. 20 Welcome everyone to this meeting. So we will start 21 with the Item Number 1, Personnel Matters, which is a 22 discussion and action on the recommendation from Chief 23 Karl Jacobson to hire candidates from the eligibility 24 list 22-17. Chief? 25 CHIEF JACOBSON: Can you hear me?

1 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Yes, we can. 2 CHIEF JACOBSON: All right. I would recommend that 3 we hire the following people from 22-17; Number 41, 4 Patrick Foley; Number 89, Joshua Rivera; Number 96, 5 Nicholas Sevetz; Number 104 Robert Barolli and 106, 6 Fritzgerald Doreus. 7 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Okay. Commissioners, what is 8 your pleasure? 9 COMMISSIONER LAWLOR: I am happy to move that we 10 hire all of the individuals just named by the Chief. 11 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: And I'll second that. 12 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Okay. Any discussion? 13 COMMISSIONER LAWLOR: Just, I'd like to add that I 14 participated in interviewing a number of these 15 individuals. I am very impressed, especially with their 16 motivation, their reasons they want to be members of the 17 New Haven Police Department. I think we have got 18 another great group of people, and, you know, I think in 19 many ways Sergeant Finch is our most valuable player 20 this way, this year. So thank you, Sergeant, for all 21 the stuff you have done in recruiting these fine 22 individuals. 23 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Thank you, sir. Any other 24 comments, Commissioners? 25 Chief, I have a question. So this will bring how

1 many candidates, and when is the class expected to 2 start? 3 CHIEF JACOBSON: The total candidates for the class 4 will be 19, and it will start on November 28th. It will 5 start at 8:00 a.m. on November 28th with the Mayor 6 swearing them in, and then the Training Academy will 7 start. So you are all welcome, if you do approve the 8 five, to come and see them get sworn in. 9 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Okay. Sounds great. So if we 10 do approve, if you could just perhaps send us a reminder 11 so if we are able to make it. 12 CHIEF JACOBSON: Absolutely. CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: All right. Any other comments 13 14 or discussion? Okay. 15 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: Madam Chair, when is the 16 swearing in? 17 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: He said the 28th. 18 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: 28th. 19 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Yes, Monday. 20 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: The Monday after 21 Thanksgiving? 22 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: So you have had enough time to 23 digest and be, you know, ready to go on Monday. 24 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: Okay. Chief, do you know 25 what time, or you don't have that?

1 CHIEF JACOBSON: 8:00 o'clock, sir. 2 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: 8:00 o'clock. 3 CHIEF JACOBSON: Yes, but I'll send that out as a 4 reminder to all of you. 5 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: Thank you. 6 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Okay. We are good? 7 All right. All those in favor signify by saying 8 aye. 9 ALL COMMISSIONERS: Aye. 10 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Opposed? Abstentions? 11 The, motion carried. Congratulations to the new 12 soon-to-be recruits, and congratulations team on a job 13 well done. A lot of hard work. We pushed a lot of, lot 14 of candidates through. You know, of course, did a 15 thorough background, but it was fast paced. I thank the 16 Department, I thank the Commissioners for taking time 17 off interviews, particularly the background 18 investigators for all that you have done for this 19 process. And best of luck to everyone. 20 So is there a need to go into Executive Session, 21 Commissioners, for anything? 22 COMMISSIONER BROOKS: I don't think so. 23 CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Okay. Seeing none, then this 24 might be the quickest meeting, if not the second, that 25 is on record. I will entertain a motion for

1	adjournment.
2	COMMISSIONER BROOKS: So moved.
3	COMMISSION LAWLOR: Second.
4	CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: All those in favor signify by
5	saying aye.
6	ALL COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
7	CHAIRMAN RIBEIRO: Opposed? Abstentions? Motion
8	carries, we are adjourned at 6:06 p.m. Everyone have a
9	wonderful, wonderful holiday.
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11	(Whereupon the meeting concluded at 6:06 p.m.)
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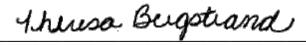
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WITNESS my hand and seal the 29th day of November, 2022.



Theresa Bergstrand, CSR.
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