# Personnel Committee June 6, 2019

Members Present Chairman Lanzotti Megan Bryant Jim Olive Members Absent Kathy Driskall Also Present
Mayor Barry
Alderman Dorchinecz
Alderman Budd
Alderman Burtle
Alderman Skultety
Cindy Brown
Jacque Nation
Brian Hile
Vince Childers
Rocci Romano
Attached List

Chairman Lanzotti called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

## Request to Hire Police Officer

Chairman Lanzotti discussed with the committee the request for a replacement police officer. Chief Brian Hile informed the committee that due to a recent death in the police force, there is a need to hire a replacement officer. Chief Hile discussed with the committee, the candidate list will expire soon and the next police academy is in September.

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to direct the Mayor to send a letter to the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners to hire a replacement Police Officer from the Final Eligibility List. Motion carried 3-0.

### School Resource Officer Reimbursement

After much discussion the committee has tabled this request at this time.

Bid and/or Advertise One Laborer position for the Street/Sewer Department Chairman Lanzotti asked the Mayor to present his information regarding this request. The Mayor informed the committee the need to hire more help in the Street Department due to a few employees who are no longer in this department. The Street Department has several projects in which they are working and filling this position will start to help in this area.

Motion by Alderman Olive and seconded by Alderman Bryant to recommend to the City Council to Bid and/or advertise one Laborer for the Street Department.

Motion carried 3-0.

Motion to go into Closed Session pursuant to 5ILCS 120/2 (c) (1) and (c) (3) to Discuss the Selection of a Person to Fill the Position of the Office of Chief of Police, and the Appointment, Employment, and Compensation for Such Person; and to Further Discuss Any and All Subject Matters Relating Thereto, and to Include, if Present, the Following Persons

To Be Present During All or Part of Such Closed Session, Namely; The Mayor, Aldermen, City Clerk, City Attorney, City Treasurer, Human Resource Manager, and Such Other Person or Persons as the Personnel Committee Chairman May Decide During This Personnel Committee Meeting and/or During Such Closed Session.

Prior to going into Closed Session, Chairman Lanzotti opened the floor for those in the audience who would like to speak on behalf of the Mayor's requested Appointment for the office of Police Chief. After much discussion and positive feedback from those in the audience and those Aldermen attending, the committee was satisfied to not go into Closed Session.

Motion by Alderman Olive and Seconded by Alderman Bryant to recommend to the City Council to approve the Mayor's Requested Appointment of Dwayne Wheeler to the position of Police Chief for the City of Taylorville, to include a minimum salary of \$62,576.80 per the Non Bargaining Ordinance.

#### Any Other Matters

None

#### Adjournment

Motion by Alderman Olive and seconded by Alderman Bryant to adjourn. Motion carried 3-0. The meeting adjourned at 7:15 P.M.

Lee Lanzotti

Personnel Committee Chairman