

**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

Meeting Minutes

October 6, 2011

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Chair Brill, Vice Chair Fitch and Commission Members Akdeniz and Vaughn.

ABSENT: Commissioner Soule.

STAFF: Senior Deputy City Attorney Vera Todorov, City Clerk Dennis Hawkins, and Deputy City Clerk Ruth Krantz.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

By motion unanimously adopted, the Orders of the Day were approved.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

By motion unanimously adopted, the Consent Calendar was approved.

**END OF CONSENT CALENDAR**

3. The following hearings were scheduled:

- a. The appeal of dismissal of Yvonne Garcia, Office Specialist II (1130), Case #11-11, was scheduled for Monday, February 6, 2012 and Thursday, February 9, 2012.

Senior Deputy City Attorney Robert Fabela appearing on behalf of Associate Deputy City Attorney Paul Ahn representing the City of San José, and the Appellant, Yvonne Garcia, were present.

## 3. Scheduled hearings (Cont'd.):

- b. The appeal of suspension of Ervin Mathews, Fire Inspector (2326). Case 11-26. was scheduled for Wednesday, February 22, 2012.

Deputy City Attorney Richard North, appearing on behalf of the City and Chris Murphy, San José Fire Fighters L230, appearing on behalf of the Appellant, were present.

- c. The appeal of dismissal of Police Officer, Case 11-35, was continued to November 3, 2011.

Deputy City Attorney Daisy Nishigaya, appearing on behalf of the City and Larry Peterson, appearing on behalf of the Appellant, were present.

- d. The rescheduling of the appeal of the dismissal of Gary Lewis, Maintenance Worker (3113), DOT, Case #11-36, was scheduled for Monday, January 23, 2012.

Deputy City Attorney Richard North, appearing on behalf of the City and Bill Pope, Operating Engineers Local Union No. 3 representative, appearing on behalf of the Appellant, were present.

4. The appeal of withdrawal of conditional offer of employment for position of Regional Park Aide for Shavonne Merritt-Sharp was determined. Deputy City Attorney Elisa Tolentino on behalf of the City and the Appellant were present.

Action: Upon motion by Commissioner Akdeniz, seconded by Commissioner Vaughn and carried unanimously, the Commission denied Ms. Merritt-Sharp's appeal. (4-0)

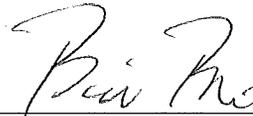
5. Upon motion by Commissioner Vaughn, seconded by Commissioner Akdeniz and carried unanimously, the Commission agreed to cancel the January 5, 2012 Regular Meeting due to the City Hall furlough closure and to hold a Special Meeting of the Civil Service Commission on January 12, 2012, if necessary. (4-0)

6. At 4:36 p.m. the Commissioners adjourned to a closed session to hear the appeal of withdrawal of conditional offer of employment for position of Firefighter Recruit, Case No. FF 11-01. (Human Resources/Recruit)

The Commission reconvened at 5:56 p.m. to its regular session of the Civil Service Commission.

The Case of Firefighter Recruit, Case No. FF 11-01 was continued to November 3, 2011.

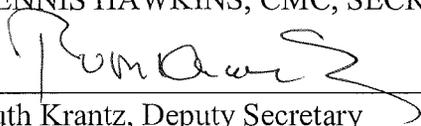
**ADJOURNED** at 5:58 p.m.



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BILL BRILL, CHAIR

ATTEST:  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
DENNIS HAWKINS, CMC, SECRETARY



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Ruth Krantz, Deputy Secretary