Oroville Civil Service

Monday, January 27, 2020

Meeting called to order at 4:35 pm by Chairman Richard Werner.

Present: Commissioners Richard Werner and Joe King.

Absent: Commissioner Mike Sibley.

Others present: JoAnn Denney, Emily Finsen and Mayor Jon Neal.

Approval of the minutes from the October 28, 2019 regular meeting. Motion by Joe to approve the minutes as written, second by Richard; motion carried.

No scheduled appearances.

Denney introduced Emily Finsen, new Secretary, Chief-Examiner for the Civil Service.

Patrolman exam scheduled for January 18th; no applications were received. Discussed need to reschedule. Denney suggested that the Entry-Level Applicants continue to go through the Public Safety process, however, Lateral Applicants should be allowed to fill out the Oroville Lateral Application and not go through the Public Safety process; Civil Service agreed with the suggestion.

Mayor Neal stated that he will be meeting with a potential lateral applicant; discussed that the Chief position is the only position exempt from Civil Service. Discussed hiring process for potential lateral applicant.

Mayor Neal stated that a meeting will be held on Friday, January 31st with the Okanogan County Sheriff to discuss the need for coverage due to the staffing issues in Oroville.

Resignation received from Chief Hill effective February 4, 2020.

Civil Service to set the patrolman exam date during their next meeting to allow the Mayor and Council time to review possible changes needed to the wages, etc. for the Police Department.

Next Civil Service meeting to be held Monday, March 2, 2020; Denney to publish the meeting change.

As there being no further business, motion by Joe to adjourn the meeting at 4:50 pm, second by Richard; motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Richard Werner, Chairman

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Mike Sibley, Vice-Chairman

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Joe King, Commissioner

Submitted by:

JoAnn Denney