Champaign Police Pension Fund
Special Meeting
Disability Pension Hearing
September 29th, 2016

Meeting called to order at 1025hrs at the Champaign Police Pension Office, 10 Henson Place, by President Neumann.

Members present
Bill Neumann
Patrick Kelly
Barbara Ramsey
Patrick Simons
Toney Ackerman

Others present
Heidi Van Antwerp - Applicant
Evan Haim – Attorney for Van Antwerp
Charles Atwell – Attorney for CPPF/Hearing Officer
Holly Wingstrum – Area Wide Reporting, Transcriptionist
Larry Krause - City of Champaign
Heidi Van Antwerp's parents
Mark Medlyn, CPD retiree

Note Meeting was transcribed by Holly Wingstrum , transcription will be entered into the minutes when completed for a complete record. The following is a summary of the Disability Hearing.

Meeting was called to Order @ 1025hrs by President Neumann on the issue of a Disability Pension Application presented by Officer Heidi Van Antwerp, requesting an In The Line of Duty Pension. In the alternative, the application was amended to include a Not In The Line of Duty Pension.

Motion was made by Kelly to admit Board Exhibits 1-25, contained in volumes 1-2 that had previously been distributed to the board. Motion seconded by Neumann, All in favor.

Applicant's Attorney tendered Applicant's exhibits 1-3 to the Board, Motion by Kelly to admit, Motion Seconded by Neumann, All in favor.

Officer Van Antwerp was sworn in, and opening remarks made by Applicant's attorney.

Background information on the incident, and testimony, examination, and cross examination of Officer Van Antwerp regarding the incidents involved with the disability and her medical records and conditions.

At the conclusion of testimony and acceptance of all exhibits into the record, a Closing Statement was made by Attorney Haim.

Motion was made by Kelly , Seconded by Simons, roll call vote, All in Favor, Board went into executive session at 11:55.

Motion was made by Kelly to come out of Executive Session and back on the record at 12:25, Seconded by Ramsay, roll call vote, All in Favor, back on the record.

Motion made by Kelly that Officer Heidi Van Antwerp was Disabled, and should be awarded an "In the line of duty" Disability. Motion was seconded by Simons, Roll Call taken, All in Favor.

Motion made by Kelly to immediately commence payment of the Disability Pension without waiting for the Written Decision, Motion seconded by Simons, Roll Call taken, All in Favor.

Motion made by Kelly for the meeting to adjourn, Seconded by Ramsay, roll call vote, All in Favor, meeting was adjourned.