



**PUBLIC SAFETY RETIREMENT SYSTEM  
CITY OF SURPRISE LOCAL BOARD – FIRE**  
Minutes, Wednesday, October 11, 2023  
16000 N. Civic Center Plaza, Surprise, Arizona 85374

The following are the minutes from the Public Safety Retirement Commission – Fire Board Meeting held at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 11, 2023. The meeting was held in City Hall, Council Chambers.

**A. Call To Order**

Chair Hall called meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

**B. Roll Call:** Skip Hall, Chair – Present  
Kim Drayden, Citizen Board Member – Absent  
James Conner, Citizen Board Member – Present  
Ricardo “Rick” Valdez, Fire Member – Present  
Daniel “Dan” Anderson, Fire Member – Present

**In attendance:** Ariana Reyna, PSPRS Board Secretary

**C. Pledge of Allegiance** –Completed

**D. Current Events Reports** – None.

**E. Staff Reports** –Review of FY23 Legal Counsel and IME fees. Daniel Anderson is the new Fire Board Member. His term is effective September 14, 2023 – June 30, 2026.

**F. Call to the Public** - None

**Consent Agenda:**

- 1. Considerations and action pertaining to the review and approval of the August 16, 2023 Public Safety Retirement Commission - Fire meeting minutes – APPROVED**

**Motion to Approve:** Kim Drayden

**Second:** Rick Valdez

**Opposed:** None

**Regular Agenda:**



- 2. Consideration and possible action pertaining to the review of medical examinations and the acceptance of three (3) Firefighters: Logan J. Adcock, Thomas M. Ellingson, and Shane M. Gereg into the PSPRS system pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-859 - APPROVED.**

Ariana Reyna stated that Firefighters Adcock, Ellingson, and Gereg were hired on 8/7/2023 with the Surprise Fire Department. The employees were officially notified of the Board's review of their medical records today. The employees were approved as follows:

Tier 3 Logan J. Adcock with preexisting conditions

Tier 3 Thomas M. Ellingson with preexisting conditions

Tier 3 Shane M. Gereg with preexisting conditions

**Motion to Approve:** Rick Valdez

**Second:** Dan Anderson

**Opposed:** None

**G. Other Business and Future Agenda Items – None**

**H. Executive Session – None**

**I. Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn at 9:34 a.m. – APPROVED

**Motion:** Jim Conner

**Second:** Kim Drayden

**Opposed:** None

**Meeting Minutes Approval:**

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Skip Hall, Chair

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**CERTIFICATION:**

I, Ariana Reyna, Board Secretary and Human Resources Business Partner for the City of Surprise, Maricopa County, Arizona, do hereby verify that these are true and correct minutes of the Public Safety Retirement Commission – Fire Meeting of **Wednesday, October 11, 2023.**

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Ariana Reyna, Board Secretary  
Public Safety Retirement Commission – Fire