



**Village of Westmont
BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS**

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Commissioners: Thomas Mulhearn, Chairman - Stella Qualizza, Commissioner

**Special Meeting Minutes
Board of Fire and Police Commissioners
September 20, 2025
Police Department
500 North Cass Avenue
Westmont, Illinois 60559**

Call To Order: Chairman Mulhearn called the Special Meeting of the Westmont Board of Fire and Police Commissioners to order at 8:00 AM.

Roll Call: Commissioner Qualizza called the roll as follows: Chairman Mulhearn - Present, Commissioner Qualizza - Present. A quorum was present.

Public Comment: None (no one was from the public was present)

New Business:

On this day, the Board conducted oral interviews of entry level patrol ***Lateral Officer Candidates as well as Candidates from the Final Probationary Patrol Officer Eligibility List***. The candidates were individually escorted to the Chiefs Conference Room where the candidates completed a short written biography. The candidates were then escorted to the Training Room at the Westmont Police Department where the oral interviews were conducted.

Candidate # 5 Completed the oral interview process after which the candidate was dismissed from the proceedings. The Commissioners deliberated on the candidate's oral interview performance. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to advance the candidate to the polygraph phase of the hiring process. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-0, No-2 Motion Does Not Carry.

The candidate will be informed of the Board's decision.

Candidate # 6 Completed the oral interview process after which the candidate was dismissed from the proceedings. The Commissioners deliberated on the candidate's oral interview performance. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to advance the candidate to the polygraph phase of the hiring process. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-0, No-2 Motion Does Not Carry.

The candidate will be informed of the Board's decision.



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Candidate # 8 Completed the oral interview process after which the candidate was dismissed from the proceedings. The Commissioners deliberated on the candidate's oral interview performance. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to advance the candidate to the polygraph phase of the hiring process. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-0, No-2 Motion Does Not Carry.

The candidate will be informed of the Board's decision.

Candidate # 9 Completed the oral interview process after which the candidate was dismissed from the proceedings. The Commissioners deliberated on the candidate's oral interview performance. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to advance the candidate to the polygraph phase of the hiring process. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-2, No-0 Motion Carries .

The candidate will be informed of the Board's decision.

Candidate # 10 Completed the oral interview process after which the candidate was dismissed from the proceedings. The Commissioners deliberated on the candidate's oral interview performance. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to advance the candidate to the polygraph phase of the hiring process. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-2, No-0 Motion Carries.

The candidate will be informed of the Board's decision.

Candidate # 12 Completed the oral interview process after which the candidate was dismissed from the proceedings. The Commissioners deliberated on the candidate's oral interview performance. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to advance the candidate to the polygraph phase of the hiring process. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-2, No-0 Motion Carries.

The candidate will be informed of the Board's decision.

Moving Candidate to Background Phase

Candidate # 7 The Board reviewed the polygraph examination results of Candidate #7. Chairman Mulhearn made a motion to move Candidate #7 to the background screening phase. Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-2, No-0 Motion Does not Carry

Candidate #7 will be notified of the Board's decision to discontinue Candidate's status.



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Adjournment:

There being no additional business before the Commission at this time, Chairman Mulhearn made the motion to adjourn and Commissioner Qualizza seconded the motion.

Vote: Yes-2, No-0. Motion Carries

The Commission adjourned at 3:45 PM

Stella Qualizza

Stella Qualizza - Commissioner/Secretary

Date: October 21, 2025