

CITY OF AMARILLO

On this, the 23rd day of July, 2014, the Civil Service Commission of the City of Amarillo convened in a regular session in the City Council Chambers of City Hall, 509 S.E. 7th Street, Amarillo, Texas, with the following present:

	Present Today	Number of Meetings Held Since Appointment	Number of Meetings Attended Since Appointment
DeDe Reynolds, Chairman	Yes	119	110
David Hurt, Vice - Chairman	Yes	28	25
Lawrence Walker, Commissioner	No	19	18

Also in attendance were the following:

- Viola Frausto, Recruitment Coordinator, City of Amarillo
- Lori James, Director, Civil Service, City of Amarillo
- Alesia Grist, Assistant Director, Human Resources, City of Amarillo

DeDe Reynolds - Chairman, called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. and a quorum was established.

ITEM I: First on the agenda was review of the previous meeting minutes.

David Hurt, Vice-Chairman, moved to approve the minutes as written for the Civil Service Commission meeting held on June 25, 2014. DeDe Reynolds, Chairman, seconded the motion. The minutes were approved as presented.

ITEM II: The lists of new employees, step increases, transfers, promotions, demotions, bypasses, temporary assignments and disciplinary actions were reviewed.

ITEM III: Chairman Reynolds opened the floor for comments regarding appeals filed by Firefighter William Banks regarding question 74 and Firefighter Ross Shadbolt regarding questions 26, 39 and 74 on the Fire Driver examination given on June 24, 2014.

Firefighter Ross Shadbolt introduced himself and gave his address. He presented the Commissioners with a handout which is exhibit 1. After presenting his case, Firefighter Shadbolt concluded his argument.

Next, Firefighter William Banks introduced himself and gave his address. He presented the Commissioners with a handout which is exhibit 2. After presenting his case, Firefighter Banks concluded his argument.

Chairman Reynolds called for a recess of the meeting for a Closed session at 8:46 a.m.

Chairman Reynolds called the meeting back to order at 9:08 a.m.

Commissioner David Hurt moved that Question 26 had two correct answers, both A & B are acceptable answers. DeDe Reynolds, Chairman, seconded. Motion Passed.

Commissioner David Hurt moved that Questions 39 and 74 be removed from the test completely. DeDe Reynolds, Chairman, seconded. Motion Passed.

Chairman Reynolds thanked firefighters for their service.

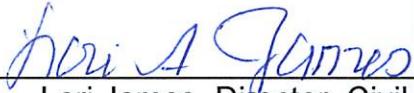
Chairman Reynolds called for a recess of the meeting for a new register to be created based on the changes to the test at 9:09 a.m.

Chairman Reynolds called the meeting back to order at 9:39 a.m.

David Hurt, Vice-Chairman, moved to approve the register of Fire Driver with a minor typographical correction. DeDe Reynolds, Chairman, seconded the motion. The register was approved as presented.

There being no further business, DeDe Reynolds, Chairman adjourned the meeting at 9:41 a.m.


DeDe Reynolds, Chairman


Lori James, Director, Civil Service