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## **AGENDA FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

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**November 14, 2024**  
**MAIN CONFERENCE ROOM, 300 NORTH CAMPBELL – 2ND FLOOR**  
**6:00 PM**

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Civil Service Commission of the City of El Paso will be conducted on the above date and time.

Members of the public may view the meeting via the following means:

Via the City's website. <http://www.elpasotexas.gov/videos>

Via television on City15,

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/user/cityofelpasotx/videos>

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1-915-213-4096 or Toll Free Number: 1-833-664-9267

**At the prompt please enter the corresponding Conference ID: 302 377 947#**

If you wish to sign up to speak please contact Symone Menchaca at [MenchacaS@elpasotexas.gov](mailto:MenchacaS@elpasotexas.gov) or (915) 212-1242, no later than by the start of the meeting.

**The following member(s) of the Civil Service Commission will be present via video conference:**

**[ Victor Vasquez ]**

**A quorum of five Commissioners must be present and participate in the meeting.**

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda below will be considered by the Commission to be routine and will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless members of the Commission or persons in the audience request specific items be removed from the Consent Agenda to the Regular Agenda for discussion prior to the time the Commission votes on the motion to adopt the Consent Agenda.

## **CONSENT AGENDA**

1. Approval of Minutes: [BC-228](#)  
September 12, 2024, Civil Service Commission Meeting
2. Welcome New Commissioner [BC-229](#)  
Elsa Borrego, appointed by Mayor Oscar Leeser, Mayor's Office
3. Notation: [BC-230](#)  
Assignment of Hearing Officer to Disciplinary Appeals  
A. Hiram Samaniego- Parks & Recreation- Suspension
4. Notation: Order Dismissing Appeal [BC-231](#)  
Antonio Venegas- Environmental Services- Termination- Patricia Palafox

## **REGULAR AGENDA**

5. Discussion and Action on the Order Dismissing Appeal [BC-232](#)  
Fabricio Ibarra- Fire Department- Termination- Patricia Palafox
6. Discussion and Action on the renewal of the Service Agreement for Hearing Officer Patricia Palafox (September 15, 2024, to September 14, 2025) (Mary Wiggins, Chief Human Resources Officer) [BC-233](#)
7. Discussion and Action on Disqualification Appeal: [BC-234](#)  
Ethan Gomez- Airport (Rule 5, Section 1 (A)  
Application and Appeals Policy)
8. Discussion and Action on the Hearing Officer's Report and Recommendation: [BC-235](#)  
Kirk Douglas- Suspension- Parks and Recreation - Patricia Palafox
9. Discussion and Action on the Hearing Officer's Report and Recommendation: [BC-236](#)  
Daniel Cordero- Termination- Fire Department - Patricia Palafox

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Civil Service Commission may retire into Executive Session pursuant to Civil Service Commission Rule 1, Section 11(a) and the Texas Government Code, Section 551, Subchapter D to discuss any of the following: (The items listed below are matters of the sort routinely discussed in Executive Session, but the Commission may move to Executive Session any of the items on this agenda, consistent with the terms of the Open Meetings Act.). The Commission will return to open session to take any final action.

Section 551.071 CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY

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**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**

Sign language interpreters will be provided for this meeting upon request. Requests must be made to Symone Menchaca at [MenchacaS@elpasotexas.gov](mailto:MenchacaS@elpasotexas.gov) a minimum of 48 hours prior to the date and time of this hearing.

If you need Spanish Translation Services, please email [MenchacaS@elpasotexas.gov](mailto:MenchacaS@elpasotexas.gov) at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

Posted this 8th day of November 2024 by Symone Menchaca.