AGENDA

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday, April 24, 2024, at 9:30 a.m.

522 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

Commissioner Braun will be teleconferencing from the below address:

355 Macgregor Ave. Estes Park, Colorado 80517

Instructions to join the Commission meeting via Cisco WebEx and telephone can be found on our website at civilservice.lacounty.gov

WebEx Meeting Number (access code): 924 723 405

Meeting password: Open

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<u>Executive Session - Consideration of the appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, discipline, or dismissal of public employees pursuant to Government Code Section 54957, for the positions listed below.</u>

Open Session agenda to start immediately upon conclusion of Executive Session.

Minutes of the meeting of Wednesday, April 10, 2024, for approval

Unfinished Business

1. Petition of **DELIA METOYER** for a hearing on her **discharge**, effective September 5, 2019, from the position of Deputy Public Defender III, Los Angeles County Public Defender, based on her claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 19-255**.

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Irene Ayala).

2. Petition of **CANESS NOLBERTO** for a hearing on her **discharge**, effective December 9, 2021, from the position of Custody Assistant, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 21-251**.

Department's objections to the Commission's new proposed decision to impose a thirty (30) day suspension. (On August 9, 2023, the Commission sustained the petitioner's objections, in part. The Commission rejected the recommendation of the Hearing Officer, Steven Presberg, to sustain the Department and announced as its new proposed decision to impose a thirty (30) day suspension).

Commissioner Duran moved to sustain the petitioner's objections. Commissioner Tevrizian: Second Commissioner Huntley: Aye Commissioner Segal: Aye President Donner: Aye The motion carried with a vote of 5-0.

3. Petition of **BAYLON HARPER** for a hearing on the fifteen (15) day **suspension**, effective January 15, 2023, from the position of Grounds Maintenance Worker I, Department of Parks and Recreation, **Case No. 23-11.**

Communication received withdrawing the petition. Request to cancel hearing pending.

4. Petition of **RYAN MURRELL** for a hearing on the **disqualification** in the examination for Power Equipment Operator, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 24-11.**

This was continued from the meeting of March 20, 2024, at the request of Ali Fathi, attorney for the Department, in order for him to respond to the appeal.

New Business

5. Petition of **BENITO SOTO** for a hearing on the thirty (30) day **suspension**, effective December 4, 2023, from the position of Stationary Engineer II, Internal Services Department, **Case No. 24-34.**

Consideration of timeliness.

- 6. Petition of **ANGELA BURRELL** for a hearing on the Director of Personnel's denial of the appeal of **the rating from records and Appraisal of Promotability scores** and the use of the simulation assessment score in the examination for Human Services Administrator III, based on the claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 24-31.**
- 7. Petition of **ALEN GERAGOOSIAN** for a hearing on the Director of Personnel's denial of the appeal in the **application rejection** in the examination for Information Systems Analyst I, **Case No. 24-32.**

Miscellaneous

8. Opportunity for members of the public to address the Commission on items of interest that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission.

CLOSED SESSION

Consideration of confidential peace officer appeals pursuant to Copley Press.

Unfinished Business

9. Petitioner's request for a hearing on his fifteen (15) day **suspension**, effective January 10, 2022, from the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Probation Department, **Case No. 21-254.**

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Ross Cerny).

10. Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **failure to promote** to the position of Lieutenant, based on a claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 24-14.**

Consideration of timeliness. This was continued from the meeting of March 20, 2024, at the request of Ali Fathi, attorney for the Department, in order for him to respond to the appeal.

New Business

11. Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **involuntary deployment** in the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Probation Department, based on the claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 24-28.**