



City of Manitowoc

900 Quay Street
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Meeting Minutes

Police and Fire Commission

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

4:00 PM

Public Safety Building Lower Level
Note: This meeting will also be held via Remote
Conferencing Software (Zoom)

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

Present: 5 - Vander Bloomen, Sauer, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

3. Public Comment

No Public Comment

4. Consent Agenda

These items will be approved by one motion unless any Committee Member wishes to remove an item for discussion.

REMOVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS: None.

Approval of the Consent Agenda

Moved by Vander Bloomen, seconded by Sauer, to accept the Consent Agenda Items and recommendations of the various committees The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Vander Bloomen, Sauer, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

[26-0308](#) March 2026 Police and Fire Commission Minutes

Attachments: [03-10-2026 PFC Minutes](#)

[26-0301](#) March 2026 Police Department Monthly Report

Attachments: [March 2026 Police Department Monthly Report](#)

[26-0302](#) March 2026 Fire Rescue Department Monthly Report

Attachments: [March 2026 MFRD Monthly Report](#)

[26-0303](#) March 2026 Building Inspection Monthly Report

Attachments: [03-2026 BI Summary Report](#)

5. Discussion and Action Items

[26-0309](#) Police Department Police Detective Sergeant Eligibility List

Attachments: [Eligibility Memo \(PFC\) Police Detective Sergeant 04-09-2026](#)

A motion was made to approve the Police Department Detective Sergeant eligibility list for one month.

Moved by Zigmunt, seconded by Sauer, that this Action Item be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Vander Bloomen, Sauer, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

[26-0310](#) Police Department Training Lieutenant Eligibility List

Attachments: [Eligibility Memo \(PFC\) Training Lieutenant 04-09-2026](#)

A motion was made to approve the Police Department Training Lieutenant eligibility for one month.

Moved by Schema, seconded by Zigmunt, that this Action Item be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Vander Bloomen, Sauer, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

[26-0311](#) Police Department Police Patrol Officer Eligibility List

A motion was made to approve the Police Department Patrol Officer eligibility list for a period of twelve months.

Moved by Vander Bloomen, seconded by Sauer, that this Action Item be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Vander Bloomen, Sauer, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

[26-0312](#) Fire Rescue Department Firefighter/Paramedic Eligibility List

A motion was made to approve the Fire Rescue department Firefighter/Paramedic eligibility list for a period of twelve months.

Moved by Schema, seconded by Zigmunt, that this Action Item be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Vander Bloomen, Sauer, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Roll Call

Present: 4 - Vander Bloomen, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Excused: 1 - Sauer

6. Convene in Closed Session

Moved by Schema, seconded by Zigmunt, that this meeting convene in closed session at 4:15 p.m. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Vander Bloomen, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Excused: 1 - Sauer

Notice is hereby given that the above governmental body may adjourn into a closed session during the meeting as authorized by Section 19.85(1)(c) of the Wisconsin Statutes, which authorizes the governmental body to convene in closed session for the purpose of considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility.

The specific subject matter that may be considered in closed session is:

[26-0313](#) Interview internal applicants for the position of Assistant Fire Chief

7. Reconvene in Open Session

A motion was made by Ed Vander Bloomen, seconded by Ted Zigmunt, that this meeting reconvene in open session at 5:39 p.m. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Vander Bloomen, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Excused: 1 - Sauer

[26-0313](#) Interview internal applicants for the position of Assistant Fire Chief

Moved by Zigmunt, seconded by Schema, that this Communication be placed on file. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Vander Bloomen, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Excused: 1 - Sauer

[26-0314](#) Establish Assistant Fire Chief eligibility list

A motion was made to establish an eligibility list for the position of Assistant Fire Chief, to include Brent MacDonald, Jason Sweney, and Jeremy Wagner, for a duration of one month.

Moved by Vander Bloomen, seconded by Zigmunt, that this Action Item be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Vander Bloomen, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Excused: 1 - Sauer

8. Adjournment

A motion was made by Allan Schema, seconded by Ted Zigmunt, that this meeting be adjourned at 5:40 p.m. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Vander Bloomen, Zigmunt, Schema and Wellner

Excused: 1 - Sauer