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**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS** 

October 28, 2020

#### NOTICE

You are hereby notified that there will be a regular meeting of the Civil Service Board on Wednesday, November 18, 2020 at 10:00 AM. This meeting will be held in the Board Room, 1st Floor, 100 East Erie Street, Chicago, Illinois.

A copy of the tentative agenda for the November meeting is attached.

Sincerely,

Ted J. Kosowski

Assistant Director of Human Resources

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Attachment

cc: Executive Director

**Board of Commissioners** 

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# METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO CIVIL SERVICE BOARD TENTATIVE AGENDA

#### **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2020 – 10:00 AM**

# Board Room –1st Floor – Main Office Building 100 East Erie Street Chicago, IL

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- 1. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of October 21, 2020
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. Preliminary Call of Scheduled Hearings:

Nicole Doria, Assistant Civil Engineer – Appeal – for status and tentatively set for hearing on December 16, 2020 at 10:15 a.m.

(Case 18-14: Appeal of 5-Day Suspension – 9/19/18) [Cook/Rogers]

Nicole Doria, Assistant Civil Engineer – Discharge – for status and tentatively set for hearing on December 16, 2020 at 10:15 a.m.

(Case 19-02: Discharge – Charges Filed – 3/13/19 – Waived 120 days) [Cook/Rogers]

Rhonda Thomas, Police Officer - Appeal - for status and tentatively set for hearing at 10:15 a.m.

(Case 18-16: Appeal of 5-Day Suspension – 10/12/18) [Cook/]

Farhan Qureshi, Treatment Plant Operator I – Discharge – set for hearing at 10:15 a.m.

(Case 19-01: Discharge – Charges Filed – 1/4/19 – Waived 120 days) [Rosenberg/Liston]

Jeffrey Mitchell, Machinist – Appeal – for status

(Case 19-03: Appeal of Performance Appraisal – 3/8/19) [Fragale/Hamada/Busse]

Kenneth Akins, Jr., Treatment Plant Operator I – Discharge – for status

(Case 19-04: Discharge – Charges Filed – 4/17/19; Discharge Motions – 9/17/19, 9/30/20) [Cook/Spearman]

Robert Quezada, Police Officer – Appeal – for status

(Case 19-08: Appeal of 10-Day Suspension – 5/3/19) [Cook/Avila]

Thomas Conway, Deputy Dir. Maintenance & Operations – Appeal – for status

(Case 20-05: Appeal re compensation -3/4/20) [Fragale/]

George Gertos, Pollution Control Technician I – Discharge – for status

(Case 20-07: Discharge – Charges Filed – 9/23/20) [Fragale/Sedaei]

Regina Flowers, Pollution Control Technician II – Discharge – for status

(Case 20-08: Discharge – Charges Filed – 9/30/20) [Fragale/Ehrlich]

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- 4. Ratification of Leaves of Absence
- 5. Report on Status of Eligible Lists
- 6. Report on Terminations during Probation
- 7. Executive Session for the purpose of discussing employment, discipline, or dismissal of specific employees pursuant to the Open Meetings Act 5 ILCS 120/2 (c)(1).

# ABEYANCE CASES

Name	Case No.	Stip Date	Type of Abeyance	Next Review Date	Attorneys	Comments
Akins, Jr. Kenneth	19-04	7/20	Discharge	11/20	Cook/Spearman	Returned to work 7/23/20. Review every 3 <sup>rd</sup> month until at least 7/21.
Werner, Erich	19-14	10/19	Discharge	1/21	Lencioni/	Returned to work 11/4/19. Review every 3 <sup>rd</sup> month until at least 10/20, extended to 1/21.
Beier, Lance	20-04	6/20	Discharge	1/21	Cook/	Returned to work 6/19/20. Review every 3 <sup>rd</sup> month until at least 6/21.
Worth, Todd	20-06	8/20	Discharge	12/20	Lencioni/	Returned to work 8/24/20. Review every 3 <sup>rd</sup> month until at least 8/21.