

Pleasant View Metropolitan District

Minutes for the Study Session Meeting of the Board of Directors

February 23, 2021

President Adrian Waller called the Study Session meeting to order on February 23, 2021 at 1:02 p.m.

Roll Call:

Present: Adrian Waller, Tiffany Smith and Jennie Heismann.

Absent: Devin Keen and Julie Shaw.

Jennie Heismann made a motion to approve the absence of Devin Keen and Julie Shaw and with a second from Tiffany Smith, the motion was unanimously approved.

Also Present: Chief Chris Malmgren, Dave Thomas and Karey Baker.

Pledge of Allegiance

New Business:

1. Discussion regarding FPPA and the Voluntary leave of Volunteer Firefighters going into the Military.

The Board had a discussing regarding the request made by volunteer firefighter Travis Cadotte. Mr. Cadotte proposed that the District offer a military leave benefit for the volunteer pension plan. His proposal states that an active member with the Pleasant View Fire Department who is off probation, may receive service credit while on military leave on a 1:1 ratio, not to exceed 25% for the members time with the Department. Military orders must be presented to the Fire Chief to account for service credit.

The Board discussed the following:

- There would need to be a designated length of time for the leave.
- They would need to uphold 36 hours of training.
- Must be Active Duty.
- Need a better definition of volunteer vs. employee from the attorney.
- The possibility of no leave benefit

The Board determined that they needed more information and would like to have another Study Session with Bart Miller, Collins, Cockrel & Cole so that he can answer some of the legal questions that the Board may have.

Old Business: None.

Executive Session: None.

Public Comments: None.

Adjournment:

Tiffany Smith made a motion to adjourn at 2:52 p.m., and with a seconded from Jennie Heismann the motion was unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted by:  
Karey Baker



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Adrian Waller, President



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Tiffany Smith, Vice President



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Devin Keen, Secretary/Treasurer



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Julie Shaw, Director



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Jennie Heismann, Director