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**CITY OF STEVENS POINT  
POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION MINUTES  
MEETING OF NOVEMBER 6, 2025, at 1:00 PM**

- 1. Roll Call:** Commissioners Behrendt, Kirschling, Mrozek, Pingel  
  
**Excused:** Commissioner Zenner  
  
**Also Present:** Police Chief Kussow, Fire Chief Moody, Ast. Chief Gemza, Ast. Chief Zvara, Ast. Chief Luchini, Ast. Chief Rottier, Ast. Chief Williams, Lieutenant Mueller, Officer Radsek, Alderperson Kneebone, RB Supervisor Tork, Brandi Makuski – Point/Plover Metro Wire
  
- 2. President's Report**
  
- 3. Approval of Minutes (October 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting and October 14<sup>th</sup> meeting)**  
  
Commissioner Mrozek moved, seconded by Commissioner Pingel.  
  
Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.
  
- 4. Confirmation of Bills**  
  
Commissioner Mrozek moved, seconded by Commissioner Behrendt.  
  
Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.
  
- 5. Recognition of Fire Chief Jb Moody receiving Chief Fire Officer (CFO) designation from The Commission on Professional Credentialing on October 3rd, 2025 (see attached article).**
  
- 6. Discussion, with possible action, to approve the promotion of Lieutenant Jeremy Mueller to Assistant Police Chief of Administration, effective December 1, 2025.**  
  
Commissioner Kirschling moved, seconded by Commissioner Mrozek.  
  
Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.
  
- 7. Discussion, with possible action, to approve Sergeant Alex Beach from probation status to permanent status with completion of the 12-month probationary period, effective November 6, 2025.**  
  
Commissioner Kirschling moved, seconded by Commissioner Pingel.

Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.

- 8. Discussion, with possible action, to approve Officer Garrik Kjentvet from probation status to permanent status with completion of the 18-month probationary period, effective November 28, 2025.**

Commissioner Mrozek moved, seconded by Commissioner Behrendt.

Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.

- 9. Police Chief Report**

Commissioner Kirschling moved, seconded by Commissioner Mrozek.

Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.

- 10. Discussion, with possible action, on moving forward with the employment of new Probationary Firefighter/Paramedic candidates Kosobucki, Nielsen, Vlach, and Zvara.**

Commissioner Kirschling moved, seconded by Commissioner Pingel.

Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.

- 11. Fire Chief Report/EMS Report/EM Report**

Commissioner Kirschling moved, seconded by Commissioner Behrendt.

Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.

- 12. Consideration of motion to adjourn into closed session pursuant to Section 19.85 (1) (c) and (e), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of considering employment of any public employee over which the Commission has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility and conducting specified business, whenever competitive reasons require a closed session:**

*- Discuss Law Enforcement panel results and Community Stakeholder panel results involving Police Chief candidates and proceed to the next step of the hiring process.*

**Roll Call into closed session:** Commissioners Behrendt, Kirschling, Mrozek, Pingel  
Ayes, all; nays, none. Motion carried.

Chapter IV – Open Meetings and Public Records from the Handbook for Wisconsin Police and Fire Commissioners (League of Wisconsin Municipalities):

*Commission meeting minutes need not recount what was discussed in a closed session, but any formal action taken by the commission while in closed session, including each motion made, the identity of members offering or seconding a motion, and how each member present voted on the motion, must be recorded in the minutes and may be subject to disclosure under the public records law. (Wisconsin Statutes § 19.88(3))*

**The Commission will not reconvene into open session after the closed session portion of the meeting.**