



**PIMA COUNTY
MERIT SYSTEM COMMISSION
LAW ENFORCEMENT MERIT SYSTEM COUNCIL
MINUTES OF OCTOBER 19, 2020**

The Pima County Merit System Commission/Law Enforcement Merit System Council met at the Human Resources Conference Room at 150 W. Congress Street, Tucson, Arizona, on October 19, 2020, at 9:00 a.m.

Commission Members Present: David Freund, Vice Chair; Ms. Horvath and Mr. Rubin.

All persons in attendance were asked to state their names for the record:

Barry Corey	Counsel for the Commission/Council
Daniel Jurkowitz	Deputy County Attorney for the Respondent
Lenora Anderson	Paralegal, Pima County Attorney's Office
Trina Bergen	Recording Secretary

The Open Meeting of the Pima County Merit System Commission/Law Enforcement Council was called to order by David Freund, at 9:01 a.m. Roll call taken, the selected Commissioners were present.

All persons in attendance were asked to state their names for the record. (See attendees list above.)

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Freund, Vice Chair.

Item C. Approval of Minutes

Open meeting minutes of September 21, 2020 were postponed.

Item D. Appeal Hearing

Discussion and Action:

1. Nikki Ellringer v. Pima County Treasury Department
(Appeal Hearing on **October 19, 20, and 21, 2020**)

Ms. Michele Garsha, representative for the appellant, filed an Appeal Withdrawal late Friday afternoon. A settlement had been reached.

Mr. Jurkowitz referenced Merit System Rule 14.2(A)(4) provides that the Appellant can withdraw her appeal at any time prior to the Commission rendering a decision. Ms. Ellringer listed Ms. Garsha as her representative. Ms. Garsha is a representative she has authority to submit the Appeal Withdrawal.

ACTION: Ms. Horvath made a Motion to accept the Appeal Withdrawal. It was seconded by Mr. Rubin. Motion passed unanimously.

2. James Faas v. Pima County Facilities Management
(Motion to Dismiss on **October 20, 2020**)

Mr. Faas was not available on Monday, October 19, 2020. He will attend on Tuesday, October 20, 2020

ACTION: Mr. Rubin made a motion to adjourn, second by Ms. Horvath. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 9:14 a.m.

Minutes approved by /s/ David Freund on October 19, 2020