

IOWA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY COUNCIL MEETING
January 5, 2021 at 10:00am
Virtual Meeting

Members Present: Tim Carmody, Vice Chair and Chief, Council Bluffs Police Department
Tiffany Creekmur, Lieutenant, Mason City Police Department
Ricardo Martinez II, Public Safety Director, Chief, Nevada Police Department
Kevin Pals, Sheriff, Cerro Gordo County Sheriff's Office
Jana Abens, Captain, Polk County Sheriff's Office
Megan Weiss, Citizen Member, Des Moines, Iowa
Melissa Henderson, Officer, Cedar Rapids Police Department
Diane Venenga, Chief, North Liberty Police Department
Nathan Fulk, Colonel, Iowa State Patrol
Sadie Weekley, Lieutenant, Marshalltown Police Department

Members Absent: Brian Gardner, Chair and Sheriff, Linn County Sheriff's Office
Dave Lorenzen, Chief, Iowa Department of Transportation, Motor Vehicle Enforcement
Gene Beinke, Citizen Member, Clinton, Iowa

Legal Counsel Present: Jesse Ramirez, Assistant Iowa Attorney General

Staff Present: Judy Bradshaw, Director, ILEA
Rachael Krier, Assistant Director, ILEA
Jerry Ingrisano, Assistant Director, ILEA
Phil Cross, Jail School Instructor, ILEA
Russ Rigdon, Legal Instructor, ILEA
Peter Paeth, IT Specialist, ILEA
Nicole Stevens, Records Clerk Specialist/Reserve Officer Liaison, ILEA

Guests Present : None

Tim Carmody called the meeting to order.

The assembled individuals recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Tim Carmody stated the proceedings are being recorded and reminded Council members that they are to abstain from participating in and/or voting on any action items involving a potential conflict of interest. (There were no conflicts of interest)

Tim Carmody began with the welcome and introductions of the Academy Council and ILEA staff listed above.

The first item (#1*) on the agenda was the approval of the Black Hawk County 40-hour Jail School. Council reviewed the Black Hawk County Jail School agenda and instructor applications that they were given. Tim Carmody entertained a motion to approve the Black Hawk County 40-hour Jail

School. Kevin Pals made a motion to approve the Black Hawk County 40-hour Jail School. Diane Venenga seconded the motion. There was no further discussion. An individual voice vote was taken. **Tim Carmody-Aye, Kevin Pals-Aye, Diane Venenga-Aye, Tiffany Creekmur-Aye, Melissa Henderson-Aye, Ric Martinez-Aye, Megan Weiss-Aye, Nathan Fulk-Aye, Sadie Weekley-Aye, Jana Abens-Aye. Motion carried 10 Aye.**

The second item (#2*) on the agenda was the discussion/approval to amend the Administrative Rule Revision: Amend subparagraph 6.2(2) "c" (3) as follows:

- (3) Testifies falsely in any court of law or administrative hearing about a material issue with the intent to deceive.

Tim Carmody entertained a motion to approve the amended rule revision as stated above. Ric Martinez made a motion to approve the rule revision. Jana Abens seconded the motion. An individual voice vote was taken. **Tim Carmody-Aye, Kevin Pals-Aye, Diane Venenga-Aye, Tiffany Creekmur-Aye, Melissa Henderson-Aye, Ric Martinez-Aye, Megan Weiss-Aye, Nathan Fulk-Aye, Sadie Weekley-Aye, Jana Abens-Aye. Motion carried 10 Aye.**

The Council adjourned at 10:22am.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tim Carmody', is written over a horizontal line. To the right of the signature, the date '1/8/2021' is written in blue ink.

Tim Carmody, Council Vice Chair
Iowa Law Enforcement Academy

Date