**FIRE SUPPLEMENTAL PAY BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

May 7, 2024

A regular meeting of the Municipal Fire Fighters Supplemental Pay Board of Review, May 7, 2024 at Louisiana Department of Public Safety, Management and Finance Office.

Brien Ruiz called the meeting to order.

**ROLL CALL**

The following members and staff were present:

Boad Members

Brien Ruiz

Richard Parker

Dwayne Thevis

Charles Williams

Dustin Yates

Earl Borden

Staff

Candy Diez

Susanne Tessier

Kay Debenedetto

Gail Holland, Esq.

Visitors

Ronald Martin, FETA

Tomekia Edmond, NOFD

Elbert Thomas, NOFD

Carroll Campbell, Brownsfield FD

Michael Kimble, BRFD

Shane Spillman, BRFD

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Charles Williams made a motion to approve the minutes for the February 6, 2024 meeting.

Richard Parker seconded the motion and the motion passed.

**APPEALS**

None.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Bayou Blue Fire Protection District – James Morgan, Firefighter

Dwayne Thevis made a motion to approve the corrected effective date, 12/1/22.

Richard Parker seconded and the motion passed.

Bayou Blue Fire Protection District – Benjamin Nelton, Firefighter

Dwayne Thevis made a motion to approve the corrected effective date, 10/20/23.

Richard Parker seconded and the motion passed.

Brownsfield Fire Department – Carroll M. Campbell, Chief

Dwayne Thevis made a motion to approve supplemental pay with a starting date of 6/8/23.

Grandfather Clause.

The date 6/8/23 was chosen by the board because this is the date we received the application.

Charles Williams seconded and the motion passed.

Lafourche Parish Fire Department – Juancarlos Suarez, Firefighter/Operator

Dwayne Thevis made a motion to approve $10,080.00 ACT 110

Richard Parker seconded and the motion passed.

Plaquemines Port Harbor & Terminal District – Scott M Thiel, Ferry Maintenance Person

Charles Williams made a motion to deny until they correct the job title or add firefighter to job title.

Dwayne Thevis seconded and the motion passed.

**NEW DEPARTMENTS**

None.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Baton Rouge Fire Department – Amy D. Fowler, Medical Training Officer

Dwayne Thevis made a motion to approve.

There was no second, the motion failed.

Charles Williams made a motion to deny.

Dwayne Thevis seconded and the motion passed.

New Orleans Fire Department – Kevin Dunn, Firefighter

Charles Williams made a motion to approve new effective date 8/14/22 and ACT 110.

Dwayne Thevis seconded and the motion passed.

**FF1 RECIPROCITY-STEVEN BILLMAN, FETA**

Ronald Martin came in place of Steven Billman to answer questions.

**SUMPAY PORTAL UPDATE**

Kay Debenedetto gave an update.

**BOARD MEMBER CONFIRMATION LETTERS**

No one has received their letters.

**PRESENTATION OF MOST RECENT BUDGET PROJECTIONS**

A handout was presented.

**NEW APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL:** 235

Dwayne Thevis made a motion to approve.

Richard Parker seconded and the motion passed.

**NEW ACT 110 MONEY APPROVAL:** $47,570

Richard Parker made a motion to approve.

Dwayne Thevis seconded and the motion passed.

**SET DATE AND TIME OF NEXT BOARD MEETING**

**ADJOURN**

Charles Williams made a motion to adjourn.

Richard Parker seconded and he motion passed.