Brownsburg Fire Territory

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MERIT COMMISSION BOARD REGULAR MEETING

AGENDA
Friday, October 16, 2026
3:00 P.M.
Brownsburg Town Hall
61 N. Green Street
Brownsburg, IN 46112

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE; MOMENT OF SILENCE

III. ROLL CALL TO DETERMINE QUORUM BY PRESIDING OFFICER

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING(S):

- Regular Meeting Minutes: Friday, July 10, 2026, at 1:00 p.m.

V. MERIT COMMISSION ITEMS

Old Business

A. Lateral Process

New Business

A. Hiring Process
B. 2027 Budget

VI. BOARD COMMENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND OTHER BUISNESS

VII. ATTORNEY ITEMS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

BROWNSBURG FIRE TERRITORY MERIT COMMISSION

Tom Drake, Term: 2025-2026, Appointed by: Town of Brownsburg
Jay Puckett, Term: 2025-2027, Appointed by: Lincoln Township
Mike Rosemeyer, Term: 2025-2029, Appointed by: Firefighter
Terry Smith, Term: 2025-2027, Appointed by: Firefighter
David Tinkey, Term 2025-2027, Appointed by: Brown Township

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I. CALL TO ORDER

Merit Commission Board President Mike Rosemeyer called the Brownsburg Fire Territory ("BFT") Merit Commission meeting to order at 1:00 pm in the Brownsburg Town Hall, 61 N. Green St, Brownsburg, IN 46112.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE; MOMENT OF SILENCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was followed by a moment of silence.

III. ROLL CALL TO DETERMINE QUORUM BY PRESIDING OFFICER

Members of the Brownsburg Fire Territory Merit Commission present were President Mike Rosemeyer, David Tinkey, Tom Drake, and Terry Smith. Also, present were Fire Chief Larry C. Alcorn, Deputy Chief of Operations; Jerry Harder, and Attorney Alex Will.

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING(S):

Regular Meeting Minutes: Friday, June 12, 2026, at 1:00 pm were considered. Terry Smith makes a motion to approve the previous meeting minutes. David Tinkey seconds the motion. Passed 4-0.

V. MERIT COMMISSION ITEMS

Old Business

A. None.

New Business

A. Lateral Firefighter Hiring Process was presented by Fire Chief Larry C. Alcorn. Chief Alcorn explains due to only having two open positions he is requesting authorization to hold

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a lateral hiring process. Tom Drake makes a motion to approve the lateral hiring process. David Tinkey seconds the motion. Passed 4-0.

B. Lieutenant Promotion was presented by Fire Chief Larry C. Alcorn. Chief Alcorn explains that due to retirement there is a Lieutenant position vacancy. Chief Alcorn states the two candidates for the Lieutenant position are in the packet. Chief Alcorn clarifies that the position vacancy is due to a promotion not a retirement. David Tinkey makes a motion to approve the Lieutenant promotion. Tom Drake seconds the motion. Passed 4-0.

VI. BOARD COMMENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND OTHER BUISNESS

Terry Smith questions if there has been any further discussion on changing the Merit Commission meeting date for 2027. Chief Alcorn states since he was not at the last meeting he did not know of the requested meeting date change, but it is up to the Board. Mike Rosemeyer states the meeting dates can be discussed in the November or December meeting when 2027 meeting dates are proposed.

VII. ATTORNEY ITEMS

None.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

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Mike Rosemeyer, President	*Date*
Jay Puckett, Vice President	*Date*
Terry Smith, Secretary	*Date*
Dave Tinkey	*Date*
Tom Drake	*Date*

Attest: _____ _____

Maddie Barlog, Recording Secretary *Date*

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Merit Board Action Item

October 16, 2026

Agenda Item:	Lateral Hiring Process
Presenter:	Jeff Schlageter
Summary:	Requesting to dissolve the current lateral process hiring list.

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Agenda Item:	Hiring Process
Presenter:	Jeff Schlageter
Summary:	Seeking Merit Board authorization to fill two new hire positions using the previously approved hiring eligibility list.