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**COMMITTEE ON POLICE AND FIRE
MONTHLY RULE 45 REPORT
May, 2024**

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the City Council Rules of Order, the Committee on Police and Fire submits the following monthly report.

On Tuesday, May 14th, 2024, at 12:11 p.m., The Committee on Police and Fire called the meeting to order, pursuant to applicable law, the Chairman determined that remote participation was allowed in case of emergency, per the aldermen that requested. Accordingly, attendance at this meeting was in City Council Chambers, with some members participating virtually.

The following members were present: Mitchell (7), Lee (11), Mosley (21), Tabares (23), Ervin (28), Cardona (31), Nugent (39), Napolitano (41), Knudsen (43), Gardiner (45), Vice-Chair Robinson (4), and Chairman Taliaferro (29).

The following members were absent: Hall (6), Sposato (38), Clay (46), and Silverstein (50).

The following members participated by remote means: Curtis (18) and Taylor (20).

The following non-members were present: Burnett (27).

Chairman Taliaferro called the meeting to order at 12:11 pm. The Chairman Taliaferro instructed protocol to be used in the forum. Roll Call was taken and a quorum was established. The following members requested remote participation; Curtis (18) and Taylor (20). The motion to let the members participate remotely was so moved by Alderman Ervin. The Chairman opened the floor for public comments. The following public speakers were each allowed 3 minutes to speak; George Blakemore, Jasmine Smith, Melissa Mahabir, Frania Mendoza Lua, Zoe Leigh, Tiwon Sims, Charles Spence, Aviance Cobb, and Theresa Hughes. Public speaking was concluded.

Rule 45 Monthly Report for April, 2024

Alderman Napolitano moved to approve the Rule 45 Monthly Report for April 2024, there were no objections, and the motion was ordered based on the affirmative vote of all members present for the roll call used to determine a quorum.



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Item 1 O2024-0007754 - Amendment of Municipal Code Titles 2 and 4 by adding new Section 2-36-520 and new Chapter 4-24 regarding lithium-ion battery safety standards for micromobility devices (Re-referral to Committee on License and Consumer Protection)

Chairman Christopher Taliaferro introduced the agenda item. The Chairman requested a motion to refer this item. A motion was made by Alderman Cardona. The Chairman asked for a second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item is referred to the Committee on License and Consumer Protection.

Item 2 Appointment of Anthony Driver, Jr. as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability

Chairman Taliaferro introduced Items 2-8 before the committee. He took the time to thank the appointees for all their work and introduce the Executive Director of the Chicago Community Commission, Adam Gross. The Chairman introduced the appointees, and each appointee gave their brief opening remarks. The following appointees introduced themselves before the committee; Anthony Driver, Jr., Aaron Gottlieb, Abierre Minor, Kelly Presley, Angel Rubi Navarajo, Remel Terry, and Sandra Wortham. Chairman Taliaferro opened the floor for questions and comments by committee members. The following members asked questions and comments; Alderwoman Tabares, Alderwoman Nugent, Alderwoman Lee, Alderwoman Taylor, Alderman Curtis, Alderman Napolitano, Alderman Mosley, Alderman Cardona, Alderman Ervin, and Chairman Taliaferro. The Chairman thanked the appointees and gave his final remarks. The Chairman indicated that Items 2-8 would be voted on individually. The Chairman requested a motion to pass the item. The motion was so moved by Alderman Mosley. The Chairman asked for second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item passes. The item will be reported out for the May 22nd, 2024, City Council meeting.

Item 3 Appointment of Aaron Gottlieb as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability

The Chairman requested a motion to pass the item. The motion was so moved by Alderman Mosley. The Chairman asked for second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item passes. The item will be reported out for the May 22nd, 2024, City Council meeting.

Item 4 Appointment of Abierre Minor as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability



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The Chairman requested a motion to pass the item. The motion was so moved by Alderman Mosley. The Chairman asked for second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item passes. The item will be reported out for the May 22nd, 2024, City Council meeting.

Item 5 Appointment of Kelly Presley as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability

The Chairman requested a motion to pass the item. The motion was so moved by Alderman Mosley. The Chairman asked for second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item passes. The item will be reported out for the May 22nd, 2024, City Council meeting.

Item 6 Appointment of Angel Rubi Navarijo as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability

As Chairman of the committee, Chairman Taliaferro, decided to hold the item in this committee.

Item 7 Appointment of Remel Terry as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability

The Chairman requested a motion to pass the item. The motion was so moved by Alderman Mosley. The Chairman asked for second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item passes. The item will be reported out for the May 22nd, 2024, City Council meeting.

Item 8 Appointment of Sandra Wortham as commissioner of Chicago Community Commission for Public Safety and Accountability

The Chairman requested a motion to pass the item. The motion was so moved by Alderman Mosley. The Chairman asked for second. All in favor indicated 'ay.' All against would indicate 'nay.' There were no 'nays.' The item passes. The item will be reported out for the May 22nd, 2024, City Council meeting. Chairman Taliaferro indicated no further business was before the committee and requested a motion to adjourn. Alderman Ervin motioned to adjourn the committee meeting. There were no objections. The motion was so moved. The meeting was adjourned at 1:55 pm.