



# City of Seattle

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## CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONS

### Public Safety Civil Service Commission

Commission Chair Joel A. Nark

Commissioner Stacy Connoles

### Staff

Andrea Scheele, Executive Director

Teresa Jacobs, Administrative Staff Assistant

## Public Safety Civil Service Commission

May 18, 2020 Special Meeting

Approved: June 18, 2020

**Call to Order:** Commission Chair Joel Nark called the Public Safety Civil Service Commission special meeting to order at 1:05 pm. The meeting was held via Skype per the Washington Governor's Proclamation No. 20-28.

### In Attendance via Skype

Commission Chair Joel Nark

Commissioner Stacy Connoles

Andrea Scheele, Executive Director

Teresa Chen, Assistant City Attorney

Teresa R. Jacobs, Administrative Staff Assistant

### 1. VOTE TO POSTPONE SPD & SFD PROMOTIONAL EXAMS IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC:

EXAM	MOVED	SECONDED	APPROVED
<b>SFD Battalion Chief Promotional Exam:</b>	Commissioner Nark	Commissioner Connoles	By Acclamation
<b>SFD Captain Promotional Exam:</b>	Commissioner Nark	Commissioner Connoles	By Acclamation
<b>SPD Sergeant Exam:</b>	Commissioner Nark	Commissioner Connoles	By Acclamation

### 2. VOTE TO CANCEL JULY ENTRY LEVEL SPD EXAM IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC

EXAM	MOVED	SECONDED	APPROVED
<b>SPD Entry Level</b>	Commissioner Nark	Commissioner Connoles	By Acclamation

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Commission Chair Nark stated the tests will be streamlined and held more often with smaller groups. The tests will be tentatively rescheduled and posted to the PSCSC's website and communicated directly to candidates, HR, and Unions. The rescheduled dates will remain tentative until confirmed by exam staff, due to the unpredictable and ever-changing nature of the pandemic, and attendant public health recommendations and guidelines. Commissioner Connole stated that the commission did not enter lightly or quickly into the decisions. Extensive research and consideration were put into the impacts to the candidates who have put extensive time into preparing for the exams. Commissioner Nark affirmed Commissioner Connole's statement.

**Adjourn:** All other business before the Commission having been considered, Commission Chair Nark adjourned the meeting at 1:14 am.

Respectfully Submitted by:

/s/ Teresa R. Jacobs 6/18/2020

/s/ Joel A. Nark 6/18/2020

*Teresa R. Jacobs*

Date: 6-18-2020

J. A. Nark

Date: 02/22/2021

Teresa R. Jacobs

Joel A. Nark

Administrative Staff Assistant

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Signature:   
J. A. Nark (Feb 22, 2021 16:46 PST)

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