The Public Safety Retirement Board of Pima County, Arizona met in session on the 1st floor board conference room at 130 W Congress, Tucson, AZ at 8:30 a.m. October 6th, 2021.

## **VOTING MEMEBERS PRESENT:**

Ms. Jennifer Cabrera - Telephonically Lt. Costaki Manoleas Sgt. Hans Goritz

## **VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Mr. Michael Hellon Mr. Leo Duffner

## OTHERS PRESENT:

Attorney: David McEvoy Secretary: Robin Jobst

Asst. Secretary: Patricia Aron

Mr. Kurt Dabb

Sgt. Mary Scott - Telephonically

Ms. Cabrera, chair of the board convened the meeting at 8:30 a.m.

Item 1 on the agenda was a Roll Call. Attendance as listed above with Ms. Cabrera appearing telephonically.

Item 2 on the agenda was the Pledge of Allegiance.

Item 3 on the agenda was the approval of minutes from the meeting held on 09/01/2021. Lt. Manoleas motioned to approve the minutes as submitted. Sgt. Goritz seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 4 on the agenda was the Application for Normal Retirement for Patricia Willson with 20.005 years of credit service effective 10/01/2021. Lt. Manoleas moved to approve the applications. Sgt. Goritz seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 5 on the agenda was the Application for Termination from DROP and Retirement for Eric Heath effective 10/01/2021. Lt. Manoleas moved to approve the application. Sgt. Goritz seconded the motion. Motion passes unanimously.

Item 6 on the agenda was the Application for Deferred Retirement Option Plan (DROP) for Shawn George with 26.045 years of credited service effective 10/01/2021. Sgt. Goritz moved to approve the application. Lt. Manoleas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 7 on the agenda was the update and/or discussion and possible action on the Accidental Disability Retirement Application for Kurt Dabb. Ms. Jobst informed the Board that Dr. Johnson

completed the medical report for Mr. Dabb. Mr. McEvoy reviewed the France case and the statute for an accidental disability with a mental condition. Lt. Manoleas read the following paragraph from Dr. Johnson's independent medical evaluation report.

"Finally, it is my opinion that Mr. Dabb's condition occurred while performing his duties as a deputy sheriff. Additionally, his mental injuries have arisen initially from a specific work-related incident that worsened over time with additional incidents that occurred and are not gradual injuries resulting from ordinary stress or strain of his work regimen. In other words, the work-related events as described were considered unexpected, unusual, or extraordinary."

Lt. Manoleas moved to approve Mr. Kurt Dabb's application for accidental disability based on Dr. Johnson's report. Sgt. Gortiz seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 8 on the agenda was the discussion and possible action regarding the request for a rehearing on the Application for Accidental Disability Retirement for David Smith. Mr. McEvoy advised the Board that the request for rehearing was submitted within 60 days and the Board has two options; to approve or deny Mr. Smith's request for rehearing. Lt. Manoleas moved to approve the request for the hearing due to the request being submitted within the appropriate time. Sgt. Gortiz seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 9 on the agenda was the review of Correspondence form PSPRS. Ms. Jobst informed the board Gilbert Caudillo and Terry Brophy purchased service time. Ms. Jobst reviewed the newsletter that was sent with the Board.

Item 10 on the agenda was other board business. There was none.

Item 11 was the call to the public. There was none.

Sgt. Gortiz moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Lt. Manoleas. Motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 8:44 a.m.

Robin Job Secretary