

**MINUTES
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
September 19, 2012
AUSTIN, TX**

The Public Safety Commission convened in Austin, Texas on September 19, 2012. Attending the meeting were Chairman Cynthia Leon, Commissioners Ada Brown and John Steen. A quorum was present at the meeting. DPS staff members and guests were also present.

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Leon at 9:06 a.m. Proper notice had been posted.

Discharge Appeal Hearing

Possible action regarding DPS employees:

Davy Crockett Davis

LeVita Ross – failure to appear

A motion was made by Commissioner Brown seconded by Commissioner Steen affirming the director's decision to discharge Davy Crockett Davis. Motion passed unanimously.

No motion was needed to affirm the director's decision to discharge LeVita Ross as she failed to appear for her hearing.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 11:41 a.m.

Read and approved this 19th day of October, 2012.


Chairman

IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPEAL OF DISCHARGE OF
DAVY CROCKETT DAVIS

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BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
IN AUSTIN, TRAVIS COUNTY, TX

ORDER

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Public Safety Commission convened to hear the appeal of discharge of Davy Crockett Davis, on the 19th day of September, 2012. Mr. Davis received adequate notice of the hearing on this matter and did appear in person and through counsel. Pursuant to §411.007, Government Code, the Commission proceeded to hear evidence in the above-captioned matter.

After reviewing all of the evidence presented at the hearing, the Commission finds that there is just cause to discharge Davy Crockett Davis and affirms the Director's decision in this matter.

On motion of Commissioner Ada Brown, seconded by Commissioner John Steen, the discharge was affirmed.

ENTERED AND SIGNED on the 19th day of September, 2012.



Presiding Officer
Public Safety Commission

IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPEAL OF DISCHARGE OF
LEVITA ROSS

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BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
AUSTIN, TRAVIS COUNTY, TX

ORDER

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Public Safety Commission convened to hear the appeal of discharge of LeVita Ross, on the 19th day of September, 2012. Ms. Ross received adequate notice of this hearing but did not appear for the hearing. Pursuant to the Policies and Procedures for the Appeal of an Employment Discharge to the Public Safety Commission, Ms. Ross is deemed to have withdrawn her appeal of the discharge and request for a hearing, and the Director's decision in this matter will be affirmed.

Therefore, the Commission finds that there is just cause to discharge LeVita Ross, and affirms the Director's decision in this matter.

On motion of _____, seconded by _____, the discharge was affirmed.

Entered and signed this 19th day of September, 2012.



Presiding Officer
Public Safety Commission