



# City of Milwaukee

200 E. Wells Street  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
53202

## Meeting Minutes - Draft

### BOARD OF CITY SERVICE COMMISSIONERS

*Frank Bock, President*  
*Marilyn Miller, Vice President*

*Commissioners Janet Cleary, Steve Smith and Heidi Wick*  
*Spoerl*

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Friday, March 6, 2026

9:00 AM

City Hall, Room 301-A and Microsoft TEAMS

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#### Deshon L. Smith Discharge Appeal Hearing

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Microsoft Teams meeting: <https://bit.ly/4tiCVum>

Meeting ID:

234 248 720 447 3

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Dial in by phone: 414-251-0392

Phone conference ID: 705 086 636#

**Present** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary and Wick Spoerl

1. CALL TO ORDER

*The hearing commenced at 9:09 a.m.*

2. ROLL CALL

*All Commissioners were present.*

3. [251741](#)

Communication for the approval of the February 24, 2026, meeting minutes.

**A motion was made by Janet Cleary, seconded by Steve Smith, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Wick Spoerl

**No** 0

PUBLIC HEARING

4. [251742](#) The Discharge Appeal of Deshon L. Smith, Electrical Worker, Department of Public Works.

**The Commission went into a closed session at 3:28 p.m. and came back into open session at 3:53 p.m. The Commission found based on a preponderance of the evidence that the Department had just cause to discipline the appellant, Mr. Smith**

**APPROVED**

**Aye 5 (Bock, Miller, Cleary, Smith, Wick Spoerl)**

**No: 0**

**The Commission found based on a preponderance of the evidence that the Department had just cause to discharge the appellant, Mr. Smith.**

**APPROVED**

**Aye 5 (Bock, Miller, Cleary, Smith, Wick Spoerl)**

**No: 0**

ADJOURNMENT

*Heidi Wick Spoerl motioned to adjourn the hearing, seconded by Janet Cleary. None opposed. All in favor. The motion carried.*

*The hearing adjourned at 3:55 p.m.*

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