MERRILLVILLE METROPOLITAN POLICE COMMISSION MINUTES
Merrillville Town Hall, 7820 Broadway

May 18, 2026

Special Meeting called to order at 3:58 PM

ITEM I — PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND INVOCATION

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

ROLL CALL

William Poling – Police Commissioner Chairman, Present
Petar Dragojevic – Police Commissioner Vice Chairman, Present
Michael Rich – Police Commissioner, Present
Thomas Pawlak – Police Commissioner, Present
W. Luther Cuttino – Police Commissioner, Present
Justin Murphy –Police Commission Attorney, Absent
Konstantinos Nuses – Chief of Police, Present
Shana Levinson – Chief's Attorney, Absent
Matthew Vasel – Assistant Chief of Police, Absent
Lori Sanfratello – Chief's Executive Director, Present

A quorum is present.

ITEM III — NEW BUSINESS

Commissioner Pawlak made a motion to extend a Conditional Offer to Christopher Frantz and was seconded by Commissioner Rich. 4 ayes, motion passed.

ITEM IV — PUBLIC COMMENT.

There was none.

ITEM V — ANNOUNCEMENTS

Reminder that the next Police Commission meeting was set for June 5, 2026, at 2:00 pm.

ITEM VI — ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Pawlak made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Rich. 4 ayes, motion passed

AS THERE WAS NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED at 3:59 pm.

Passed and adopted on this 5th day of June 2026.

Lori Sanfratello
Chief's Executive Director
Police Commission Secretary

William Poling
Police Commissioner, Chairman