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RETIREMENT BOARD ELECTION 2024

From June 7, 2024, through June 21, 2024, the Kansas City Police Employees' Retirement Systems (KCPERS) will hold an election to fill three positions on the Retirement Board created by expiring terms. According to applicable state statutes, only members of the Civilian Employees' Retirement System of the Police Department of Kansas City can seek the board seat currently held by Scott Hummel; only retired members of the Police Retirement System can seek the board seat currently held by (Ret.) Major Wayne Stewart and only members of the Police Retirement System in active service who have not attained the rank of Sergeant or higher can seek the board seat currently held by Sergeant Chad Pickens. (Ret.) Major Stewart and Scott Hummel have indicated they will be seeking reelection.

Candidates should submit a letter declaring their candidacy, accompanied by their resume, to the attention of Nate Simecek, Election Director, at the KCPERS office, 9701 Marion Park Drive, no later than May 1, 2024, at 4:00 p.m.

Following the close of the election filing period, a meeting will be scheduled for all candidates to ask questions about the election process. Candidates will also learn more about including a short candidate profile in the voting ballot packet mailed to all members.

The Retirement Board has engaged Survey & Ballot Systems to conduct the trustee election. Members will be able to cast their vote by mail, phone, or by logging on to a secure website. Please watch your mail for your election ballot from the Kansas City Police Employees' Retirement Systems and Survey & Ballot Systems so that you do not miss instructions on how to cast your vote.

Ballot and voting instructions will be mailed to all KCPERS members on June 5, 2024. All ballots must be received at Survey & Ballot Systems' office in Minnesota by June 21, 2024. Official voting results will be provided to the Election Director and Retirement Board Chair by June 25, 2024.

Anyone needing additional information about the Retirement Board election should contact me at nathan.simecek@kcpd.org or the KCPERS office at (816) 482-8138.

Nate Simecek

2024 KCPERS Election Director

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