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MINUTES INVESTIGATION REVIEW PANEL

MAY 21, 2018

Municipal Center, Building 18 – Room 125, 2:00 – 2:30 p.m.

Call to Order

Chair Susan Mayo called the meeting to order at 2:02 p.m.

Roll Call

Present: Susan Mayo (Chair), Barbara Booker-Williams, William Hearst, and William “Bob” Beasley

Absent: Nony Abrajano, William Baldwin, and Brian Dewan.

Staff: Deputy City Attorney Rod Ingram, Public Safety Attorney Elizabeth DeJarnette,
Director of Human Resources, Regina Hilliard, IRP Coordinator Melissa Bowers,
Administrative Specialist, Kathryn Hinson and Executive Assistant Shelley Johnson.

REVIEW HEARINGS

1. **Request for Review – Paula Backus Case No. 2018-026 CC (Abuse of Authority/Serious Misconduct)**

The panel discussed the request, which alleges Jessica Wilde, a supervisor at the Virginia Beach Animal Care & Adoption Center and also is the owner of a rescue group K9 Justice League was not acting in accordance with department policy and procedures.

By a vote of 4-0 (Mayo, Booker-Williams, Hearst and Beasley) the Panel determined the case was not appropriate for review by the IRP.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by Chair Mayo at 2:28 p.m.