CITY OF KALAMAZOO EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM
PENSION BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, JULY 22ND, 2026
2nd FLOOR COMMUNITY ROOM, KALAMAZOO CITY HALL

MINUTES

A special duty disability meeting of the Pension Board of Trustees was called to order by City Manager Malcolm Hankins at 2:30 p.m. on July 22, 2026, in the 2ND floor Community Room of City Hall.

Members Present: Chair/City Manager Malcolm Hankins, Charles Mason, Chris Praedel and Michelle Emig

Staff Present: Steve Vicenzi, Director of Management Services/CFO; Carrie Soule, Administrative Assistant Management Services; Aaron Leal, City of Kalamazoo Attorney; Kayla Fifer, Human Resources Generalist; Christopher Morris, Outside Council.

Public Comment
None

Duty Disability Retirement Applications

A. Brandon Noble

Steve Vicenzi reviewed the applicant file; Brandon Noble spoke regarding his application. Board deliberation and discussion.

Charles Mason motioned to approve the medical recommendation related to the duty disability application for Brandon Noble with support from Chris Praedel.
The motion passed by voice vote.

B. Christopher Rieser

Steve Vicenzi reviewed the applicant file; Christopher Rieser spoke regarding his application. Board deliberation and discussion.

Charles Mason motioned to approve the medical recommendation related to the duty disability application for Christopher Rieser with support from Chris Praedel.
The motion passed by voice vote.

Meeting Adjourned 2:51 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Steve Vicenzi, Secretary