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Fire and Police Commission Narrows Fire Chief Search Candidates to be interviewed at Public Meeting

The Milwaukee Board of Fire and Police Commissioners have reduced the field of candidates for the position of Fire Chief to five candidates. Thirty-three applications were received. The five candidates will be interviewed during an open meeting on Thursday, March 29, 2007, at 5:30 p.m. in Room 301-B, City Hall, 200 E. Wells Street. Residents and other interested parties are encouraged to attend.

The five candidates are listed below:

Larry Collins

Fire Chief
City of Dayton, Ohio
Since 1997
With Department since 1978

Stephen Reid

Former Deputy Fire Chief
District of Columbia Fire/EMS Department
2002 – 2003
With Department since 1977

Doug Holton

Fire Chief
City of St. Paul, Minnesota
Since 2003
With Milwaukee Fire Department 1978 – 2002

William Wentlandt

Fire Chief
Milwaukee Fire Department
Since 2002
With Department since 1976

Phillip Vorlander

Fire Chief
City of Des Moines, Iowa
Since 2002
Former Chief
City of East Lansing, Michigan
1997 – 2000

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