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BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Hickory Hills, Cook County, Illinois  
as follows:

**Section 1**

That Chapter 4, Police Department, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of  
Hickory Hills, be amended by changing Section 4.04, Appointment of Members, to read as  
follows:

**4.04 APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS**

The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners shall appoint all officers and members of the  
Police Department of the City of Hickory Hills except the Chief of Police. All appointments made  
by the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners shall be made from the rank next below that to  
which the appointment shall be made, other than that of the lowest rank, and pursuant to qualifying  
examinations as provided by law.

The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners may appoint any person as a full-time police  
officer who is certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board and has  
previously served as a full-time, sworn police officer in any municipal, county, university, or State  
law enforcement agency within Illinois for at least two (2) years. The applicant may be given  
preference over candidates on the original eligibility list established by the Board of Fire and Police  
Commissioners. The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners is authorized to conduct a  
background investigation, medical examination, psychological examination, oral interview,  
polygraph examination, and any other examination to determine the applicant's fitness for duty.  
The City Council authorizes the Chief of Police to establish a level of compensation for the  
applicant consistent with the provisions of the Collective Bargaining Agreement and any  
amendments thereto.

**Section 2**

If any section, paragraph, clause, or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid, the  
invalidity thereof shall not affect any of the other provisions of this ordinance.

**Section 3**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are  
hereby repealed insofar as they conflict herewith.

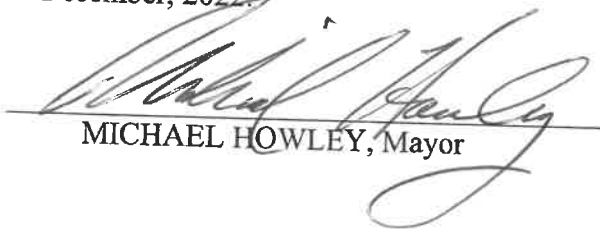
**Section 4**

This ordinance shall be immediately in full force and effect after the passage, approval, and publication.

This ordinance was passed and deposited in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Hickory Hills this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

  
D'LORAH CATIZONE, City Clerk

APPROVED by me this 8<sup>th</sup> day  
of December, 2022.

  
MICHAEL HOWLEY, Mayor