

March 28, 1975

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IN THE MATTER OF CASE UDC 1-1975 - PETITION OF KANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES UNION, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, FOR UNIT DETERMINATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE TOPEKA PARK DEPARTMENT, TOPEKA, KANSAS

O R D E R

The above entitled matter came before the Board on March 26, 1975, for determination of the appropriate unit. The Board finds that on January 28, 1975, the Kansas Public Employees Union, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, filed a petition purporting to be for unit determination and certification of certain Topeka Park Department employees. An amended petition from AFSCME, was received by this office February 11, 1975. The Board further finds that on February 11, 1975, the employer, the City of Topeka Park Department filed its Answer. The Board finds that on March 21, 1975, the employer, the City of Topeka represented by Mr. Richard E. Jones, Assistant City Attorney, and the employee representative, Mr. R. A. Caraway, Kansas Public Employees Union, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, jointly filed and signed a Stipulation and agreement was reached.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the appropriate unit in this matter before this Board concerning certain employees of the Topeka Park Department, Zoo Department, Forestry Department and Public Buildings Department

INCLUDE: General Foreman, the Equipment Operator I, Maintenance Foreman, Chief Horticulturist, Maintenance Worker II, Auto Mechanic II, Zoo Attendant, Laborer, Horticulturist, General Service Worker, Zoo Management Trainee, Special Service Worker, Gardener, Zoo Keeper, Maintenance Worker I, Secretary for the Zoo, Dendrician, Equipment Operator I, Laborer, General Foreman, Auto Mechanic II, Accountant II, General Service Worker for Forestry, General Service Worker for Building Department, PBX Operator,

Customer Service Worker, Training Service Worker, Maintenance Worker I, Maintenance Foreman, Building Mechanic, Assistant Building Mechanic, and Stenographer II;

EXCLUDE: Park Commissioner, Secretary to the Park Commissioner, Administrative Assistant to the Park Commissioner, Park Superintendent Assistant Park Superintendent, Chief Engineering Aide, Auditorium Manager, Building and Grounds Supervisor, Secretary to the Auditorium Manager, Zoo Director, Curator of the Zoo, Zoologist, Forester, and Assistant Forester.

BY ORDER OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RELATIONS BOARD.

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Jerry Powell, Executive Director

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