



**OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**MEETING OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 03, 2026 AT 5:30 PM

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SMALL CONFERENCE ROOM, MUNICIPAL BUILDING; 450 S. MAIN STREET; RICHLAND CENTER, WI 53581

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**AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER** *Roll Call for the meeting, determine whether a quorum is present; determine whether the meeting has been properly noticed.*

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Public Safety Minutes 1-5-2026

**APPROVAL OF LICENSES**

2. Municipal Licenses (if any)
3. Liquor Licenses (if any)

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

**CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT**

4. January RCPD Report

**REPORTS, REQUESTS, CONCERNS** *No action will be taken on any matter originating under this item.*

**SET NEXT MEETING DATE** *First Monday of the Month*

**ADJOURNMENT**

Posted this 2nd day of February, 2026, by 4:30 PM.  
Copy to the official newspaper the Richland Observer.

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## MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

MONDAY, JANUARY 05, 2026, AT 5:30 PM

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### Minutes

**CALL TO ORDER:** Public Safety Committee called to order at 5:38 PM. Present, Ron Fruit, Steve Downs, Fire Chief Scott Gald. Minutes taken by Chief Jones. Absent was Doug Martyniuk.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Downs to approve the 12-01-2025 Public Safety Committee Minutes, seconded by Fruit, with suggested corrections by Fruit. Motion carried. 2-0

#### APPROVAL OF LICENSES

Municipal Licenses (if any),

Motion by Fruit to approve operator licenses for Ashlee Gander, seconded by Downs. Motion carried. 2-0

Liquor Licenses (if any)  
(None)

#### DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

~~Discussion and Motion regarding the potential future relocation of the Richland Center Fire Department, and to recommend that the Common Council authorize the drafting of a lease agreement with the Richland Fire District for the parcel located in the Industrial Park at the northeast corner of County Road AA and Industrial Drive, for the prospective future site of the Richland Center Fire Department.~~

Removed from the agenda by Chief Jones, duplicate item from 12-1-25 meeting.

#### CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT

RCPD November and December 2025 report given by Chief Jones

#### REPORTS, REQUESTS, CONCERNS

Downs looking for an update on the Sheldon and Ward Street width inquiry, looking for information on if it may be necessary to put up no parking signs on one side of the street for safety reasons when cars are parked on both sides of the street.

Fruit- Safety considerations on the Bike Path with e-bikes and the speeds that some of them travel at.

**SET NEXT MEETING DATE:** February 2nd at 530 PM

#### ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Downs to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Fruit. Motion carried 2-0 at 6:15P

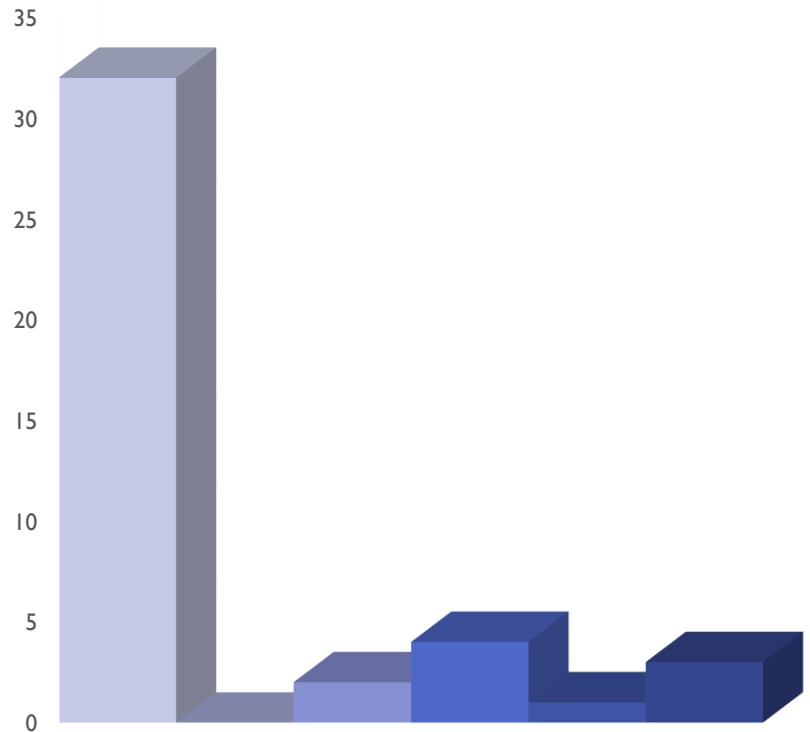
# RICHLAND CENTER POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Monthly Report- **JANUARY 2026**

**Total Calls for Service- 187**

**Brief Overview:**

- Criminal Arrests 32
- Municipal Ordinance 0
- Juvenile Referrals/Citations 2
- Traffic Citations 4
- Emergency Detentions 1
- P&P Pick-Up Orders/Warrant Arrests 3



Revenue from Parking Violations & Miscellaneous Charges (records requests, bike licenses, restitution, donations, printing/copying, etc.)	\$ 3,783.03
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Court Ordered Payments	\$ <u>    TBD    </u>
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<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$ 3,783.03</b>
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Respectfully submitted,

Chief of Police  
Richland Center Police Department