



# PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

## April 6, 2026

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*This meeting was conducted in person at Snoqualmie City Hall and remotely using Zoom.*

**CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL** – Councilmember Holloway called the meeting to order at 5:00pm.

**Committee Members:** Councilmembers Catherine Cotton and Bryan Holloway were present.

**Absent:** Chair Wotton’s absence was excused.

**Executive:** Mayor James Mayhew was present.

**City Staff:**

Fire Chief Mike Bailey, IT Systems Specialist Andrew Jongekryg, Temporary Executive Assistant Rebecca Solem, and Interim Police Captain Dan Moute.

**AGENDA APPROVAL:**

The agenda was approved as presented.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

There were no public comments.

**MINUTES:**

1. The minutes dated March 16, 2026, were approved as presented.

**AGENDA BILL:**

No agenda bills were presented.

**DISCUSSION:**

2. **Flood Event Review Update.**

Chief Bailey provided an update on the City’s response to the December 10, 2025, flood and highlighted transportation challenges, multi-agency coordination, and presented the Council with key themes from the March 4, 2026, Town Hall meeting that included communication, highway closures, logistics, infrastructure resilience, and community preparedness. Committee discussion followed.

3. **Discussion of the King County EMS BLS Contract -**

The Committee reviewed preliminary information from Chief Bailey on the upcoming agenda bill for the 2026–2031 King County EMS BLS contract, including levy funding levels, projected 2026 allocations, and key funding categories such as BLS salary support, core equipment, MIH, and training. Committee discussion followed.

4. **Summary of current activity around enforcement around school zones –**

The Committee received an update on current school-zone enforcement activity. Enforcement was focused on southbound traffic, with northbound enforcement expected to increase as staffing allows. Committee discussion followed.

5. **Summary of recent covered load enforcement –**

The Committee discussed recent enforcement activity related to unsecured loads and stated that officers have increased enforcement covering both school zones and covered-load violations.

6. **Flashing School Zone Light Update -**

Interim Police Captain Moute reported that the northbound school zone flashing reader board that was previously damaged in a snowstorm had been repaired and is now operational.

**FUTURE DISCUSSION ITEMS:**

None.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting was adjourned at 5:38 pm.

*Minutes prepared by Rebecca Solem, Temp Executive Assistant.  
Recorded meeting audio is available on the city website after the meeting.  
Minutes approved at the May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026 Public Safety Committee Meeting.*