



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REGULAR HYBRID MEETING MINUTES October 2, 2023

This meeting was conducted in person and remotely using teleconferencing technology provided by Zoom.

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

Chair Cara Christensen called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

Committee Members: Councilmembers Cara Christensen, Rob Wotton, and Ethan Benson.

Mayor Katherine Ross was also present.

City Staff:

Mike Chambless, Interim City Administrator; Mike Bailey, Interim Fire Chief; Brian Lynch, Interim Police Chief; Danna McCall, Communications Coordinator (remote); Michael Liebetrau, Police Evidence and Records Technician; Emily Arteche, Community Development Director; Carson Hornsby, Management Analyst; and Andrew Jongekryg, IT Support.

AGENDA APPROVAL: The agenda was approved as presented.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: There were no public comments.

MINUTES

1. Meeting minutes dated September 18, 2023, were approved as presented.

AGENDA BILLS

2. **AB23-121:** Interlocal Agreement between the Cities of Sunnyside and Snoqualmie for Jail Services. Interim Chief Lynch provided an overview of the contract for jail services for consideration. He provided answers to questions generated at the previous committee meeting. This matter is approved to move forward at the October 9, 2023, City Council meeting on the non-consent agenda.

DISCUSSION

3. King County Fire Chief's Association Meritorious Award. Interim Chief Bailey spoke to this item noting there would be recognition of Volunteer Firefighter Robert Angrisano at the next Council meeting.
4. Fire Strategic Plan Workshop Planning. Interim Chief Bailey discussed workshop scheduling.
5. Council Priority Tracker. Management Analyst Hornsby provided an update so the committee could discuss specific topics further in the future.
6. Police Staffing Update. Interim Chief Lynch provided an overview of department staffing levels and recruitment.

NEW BUSINESS

ITEMS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION

ADJOURNMENT - The meeting was adjourned at 5:58 pm.

Minutes taken by Danna McCall, Communications Coordinator.

Recorded meeting audio is available on the City website after the meeting.

Minutes approved at the October 16, 2023, Public Safety Committee Meeting