



Meeting Agenda

City Council

City Hall
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Information: 360.753.8244

Tuesday, December 4, 2018

5:30 PM

Council Chambers

Study Session

1. ROLL CALL

2. BUSINESS ITEMS

- 2.A [18-1157](#) Report on Thurston 911 Communications (TCOMM 911) Radio System Issues and Options
- 2.B [18-1141](#) Crisis Response Team and Familiar Faces Program Rollout
- 2.C [18-1156](#) Briefing on the Providence Community Care Center
- 2.D [18-1158](#) Briefing on Homelessness Response Measures and Timelines

3. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 3.A [18-1132](#) Executive Session Pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(i); Litigation and Potential Litigation

4. ADJOURNMENT

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Report on Thurston 911 Communications (TCOMM 911) Radio System Issues and Options

Agenda Date: 12/4/2018
Agenda Item Number: 2.A
File Number: 18-1157

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Title

Report on Thurston 911 Communications (TCOMM 911) Radio System Issues and Options

Recommended Action

Committee Recommendation:

Not referred to a committee

City Manager Recommendation:

Receive information on Thurston 911 Communications (TCOMM 911), including radio system issues and options. Briefing only; No action requested.

Report

Issue:

Whether to receive a briefing from TCOMM 9-1-1 representatives on TCOMM radio system issues and options.

Staff Contact:

Susan Grisham, Executive Assistant, 360.753.8244

Presenter(s):

Wendy Hill, Deputy Director, Thurston 911 Communications

Background and Analysis:

Thurston 911 Communications (TCOMM 911) is a countywide enhanced 911 answering point and dispatch center for all law enforcement, fire services, and Medic One departments. TCOMM 911 serves all of the cities, towns, and unincorporated areas within Thurston County.

TCOMM 911 supports a 24/7, 365-day operation, answering both 911 and 10-digit emergency calls, as well as texts from the public. It dispatches response based on protocols provided by and agreed to by law enforcement, fire services, and Medic One.

TCOMM 911 is governed by an eight-member Administration Board, which is comprised of elected officials representing the jurisdictions that are parties to the TCOMM 911 Intergovernmental

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Agreement. Councilmember Lisa Parshley serves as the City of Olympia's representative to the TCOMM 911 Administration Board.

Attachments:

None



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Crisis Response Team and Familiar Faces Program Rollout

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Title

Crisis Response Team and Familiar Faces Program Rollout

Recommended Action

Committee Recommendation:

Not referred to a committee.

City Manager Recommendation:

Receive information on the Olympia Police Department Crisis Response Team and Familiar Faces Programs. Briefing only; No action requested.

Report

Issue:

Whether to receive a status report from the Olympia Police Department (OPD) on the Crisis Response Team and Familiar Faces Programs.

Staff Contact:

Anne Larsen, Outreach Services Coordinator, Olympia Police Department, 360.753.8238.

Presenter(s):

Chandra Brady, Support Administrator, Olympia Police Department

Background and Analysis:

Through engaging with and listening to our community, the Olympia Police Department (OPD) proposed the community-based Crisis Response Team and the Familiar Faces Program. The Crisis Response Team was funded by the Public Safety Levy Lid-Lift and the Familiar Faces Program is grant funded. With the contracts finalized and the initiation of training and hiring, OPD plans to provide a summary of these programs and the benefit they bring to our community members, OPD, and the City of Olympia.

The Familiar Faces program employs peer navigators from our local community through a partnership with Catholic Community Services to focus attention, relationships and assistance on the high utilizers in our community with the goal of making connections to services. The Crisis Response Team is a mobile, community-based team that responds to individuals in crisis with a goal to connect

individuals to services.

Neighborhood/Community Interests (if known):

Crisis impacts all areas of our community so the benefits of the programs will be City-wide.

Options:

N/A

Financial Impact:

This program is funded by public safety levy dollars.

Attachments:

None



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Briefing on the Providence Community Care Center

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Briefing on the Providence Community Care Center

Recommended Action

Committee Recommendation:

Not referred to a Committee.

City Manager Recommendation:

Receive a status report on the Providence Community Care Center. Briefing only; No action required.

Report

Issue:

Whether to receive a briefing on the Providence Community Care Center from Providence and their partners.

Staff Contact:

Keith Stahley, Director Community Planning and Development Department 360 753 8227

Presenter(s):

Keith Stahley, Director, Community Planning and Development Department

Background and Analysis:

Representatives from the Providence Community Care Center and its partner organizations will be present to provide City Council with a status report and overview of the operations of the center. The center has now been in operation for one year and continues to evolve its operations to more fully meet the needs of its clients and to be a good neighbor.

Neighborhood/Community Interests:

The Providence Community Care Center is located downtown at the corner of State Avenue and Franklin Street. This location puts it a central and prominent location in downtown. Providence and its partners continue to work to be a good neighbor providing vital services to Olympia's most vulnerable citizens.

Options:

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Receive briefing from Providence Community Care representatives and its partners.

Financial Impact:

N/A

Attachments:

None



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Briefing on Homelessness Response Measures and Timelines

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Briefing on Homelessness Response Measures and Timelines

Recommended Action

Committee Recommendation:

Not referred to a committee.

City Manager Recommendation:

Receive a briefing on the City of Olympia's response to the homelessness crisis. Briefing only; No action requested.

Report

Issue:

Whether to receive a briefing on the City's and its partners' response to the regional homelessness crisis.

Staff Contact:

Keith Stahley, Director Community Planning and Development Department 360.753.8227

Presenter(s):

Colin DeForrest, Homeless Response Coordinator, Community Planning and Development Department

Amy Buckler, Downtown Programs Manager, Community Planning and Development Department
Keith Stahley, Director, Community Planning and Development Department

Background and Analysis:

City Council declared a public health emergency in response to rising levels of homelessness in our community. Staff will provide an overview of our response to this crisis including providing a timeline for implementation of our mitigation sites, opening of Plum Street Village, status of the emergency and cold weather sheltering system and "Code Blue" sheltering system.

Neighborhood/Community Interests:

Homelessness is an issue that has community-wide interest and a regional scope.

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Options:

Receive briefing.

Financial Impact:

N/A

Attachments:

None



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Executive Session Pursuant to RCW 42.30.110 (1)(i); Litigation and Potential Litigation

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