

Meeting Minutes

Ad Hoc Public Safety Committee

City Hall 601 4th Avenue E Olympia, WA 98501

Information: 360.753.8244

Thursday, December 9, 2021

5:30 PM

Online and via phone

Attend: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84610290061? pwd=akFEMWJEK2FiWmkvb09WeGU0ZiBYUT09

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Parshley called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present:

 3 - Chair Lisa Parshley, Committee member Clark Gilman and Committee member Cheryl Selby

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

4.A 21-1180 Approval of October 14, 2021 Ad Hoc Committee on Public Safety Meeting Minutes

The minutes were approved.

5. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Interim Police Chief Rich Allen reviewed recommendations from the Police auditor and progress toward implementation in the areas of use of force reporting, defensive tactics team reviews and training points, online complaint process, and training.

Committee members asked clarifying questions.

The discussion was completed.

5.B 21-1174 Downtown Response Team Coordination Project Briefing

Strategic Planning & Performance Manager Stacey Ray and Economic Development Director Mike Reid gave an update on the Downtown Response Team Coordination Project.

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Committee members commented and asked clarifying questions.

The discussion was completed.

5.C <u>21-1181</u> Police Reform Legislation Update

City Manager Jay Burney gave an update on police reform legislation in 2021. HB1310 created new use of force regulations, and HB1054 established requirements for tactics and equipment used by peace officers. He discussed both bills and highlighted the need and anticipation for proposed clarification in the 2022 Session.

Committee members asked clarifying questions.

The report was received.

6. REPORTS AND UPDATES

Ms. Ray reported on progress with reimagining public safety.

Assistant City Manager Debbie Sullivan reported on the lack of a 2022 work plan on the agenda and the future of the ad hoc committee for discussion at the Council retreat. The hope is to roll the work of this Committee into the General Government Committee.

7. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:02 p.m.

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