

**PUBLIC SAFETY
COMMITTEE**
AUGUST 15, 2023

Overview of the Public Safety Committee



Committee Purpose

City Council committees serve as advisory bodies of the council whereby Councilmembers can initiate and oversee the development of City policy

Public Safety Committee Charge

The Public Safety Committee “shall oversee matters related to public safety associated with fire protection, emergency medical services (EMS), emergency preparedness, police and law enforcement, and animal care services.”



Departments who typically present to Committee

- Police Department
- Fire Department
 - Office of Emergency Management
- Metro Health Department
- Animal Care Services
- Municipal Court

Frequent Topics

- Quarterly Crime Statistics
- Quarterly Fire Statistics
- Major Public Safety Programs
 - Fire Accreditation
 - Violent Crime Reduction Plan Update
 - Good Neighbor Program
 - Violence Prevention
 - Domestic Violence
 - Mental Health – SACORE Program
- Emergency Preparedness Plans/Programs
- Annual Tour of Police and Fire Training Academies

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