THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE WILL MEET ON MONDAY,
NOVEMBER 30, 2026 AT 2:00 PM, AUSTIN CITY HALL
301 W. SECOND STREET, AUSTIN, TX AND SOME MEMBERS
MAY BE PARTICIPATING VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE

José Velasquez, Chair
Krista Laine, Vice Chair
Zohaib "Zo" Qadri
Marc Duchen
Mike Siegel

Public comment will be allowed in person or remotely by telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in person or remotely. Items posted for possible action are available for sign-up. Briefings are not open for sign-up. For full instructions on participation in person or by telephone, please visit the Council Committee Information Center home page, which is linked here: https://www.austintexas.gov/council/council_committee_info_center

A quorum of the City Council may be present at this meeting. Action will only be taken by the members of the committee, and an alternate member may only vote when a regular committee member is absent.

The committee may go into a closed session under the Open Meetings Act, Section 551.071, of the Texas Government Code, to receive advice from legal counsel on any item on this agenda.

CALL TO ORDER

Public Communication: General

Speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed three minutes to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda. This section is limited to five speakers.

Approval of Minutes

1. Approve the minutes for the October 5, 2026, meeting of the Public Safety Committee.

Discussion and Possible Action

2. Discussion and possible action on the Public Safety Committee meeting schedule for calendar year 2027.

Sponsors: Council Member José Velásquez, and Council Member Krista Laine

Briefings

3. Briefing on forensic quality and compliance management at Austin Forensic Science. [Dr. Dana Kadavy, Director - Austin Forensic Science]

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Future Items

4. Identify items for future meetings.

Previously Distributed Memos to Mayor and Council (Information only; not for discussion)

FY2026 Annual WUI Code Report dated November 5, 2026

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