PUBLIC SAFETY (PS) COMMITTEE MEETING
September 25, 2025 11:00 a.m.
Virtual Meeting
City of Asheville's YouTube Channel

The Public Safety Committee provides policy recommendations to Council that advise on public safety policy direction in areas of police, fire, and emergency management services, review matters relating to intergovernmental relations, provide guidance on disaster preparedness and recovery, and support the development of and updates to the Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) and Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).

CURRENT COUNCIL MEMBERS: Council Bo Hess (Chair), Vice Mayor Antanette Mosley, Council Member Sheneika Smith

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

1. **Approval of Minutes** (July 31, 2025)

2. **PUBLIC COMMENT** (3 Minutes Each)

3. **AFD Quarterly Update**
   - **Resource:** Chief Cayse
   - **Description:** Update on Department Work Plan priorities
   - **Action:** Information Sharing

4. **Emergency Operations Plan/After Action Review**
   - **Resource:** Jeremy Knighton
   - **Description:** Tropical Storm Helene After Action Report Update
   - **Action:** Information Sharing

5. **ADJOURNMENT**

For more information on the Public Safety Committee, please visit the Committee's webpage at: https://www.ashevillenc.gov/government/city-council-committees/public-safety-committee/

Possible Future Agenda Items *(note - this is for planning purposes and subject to change):*

- Public Safety Bond Projects

- APD Quarterly Update
- Civilian Traffic Crash Investigator Program
- AFD Quarterly Update