



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
Monday, March 2, 2015 at 4:00 pm
City Hall, Boards and Commissions Room
301 West 2nd Street
Austin, Texas 78701

AGENDA

Call to Order – 4:00 pm

1. Approval of Minutes (4:00 pm – 4:05 pm)

2. Citizen Communications (4:05 pm – 4:20 pm)

- a. Citizens wishing to speak on agenda and non-agenda related items will need to sign up ten minutes before the meeting is called to order. Non agenda related citizen communications will be discussed during this period and will be limited to the first 5 speakers. Citizen Communications on agenda related items will be allowed after an item's presentation has been made. Each citizen communicator will be given 3 minutes to speak.

3. Discussion and Possible Action Items (4:20 pm – 5:50pm)

- a. Resolution Honoring Austin Fire Department Retired Chief of Staff Harry Evans – (5 minutes)
 - Public Safety Commission
- b. Austin Police Department Use of Forfeitures – (10 minutes)
 - Chief of Staff Brian Manley, Austin Police Department
- c. Impact of Drought Conditions on Public Safety – (20 minutes)
 - Troy M. Kimmel, Jr., University of Texas
- d. Criteria for Dispatching the Austin Fire Department with Emergency Medical Services on Medical Calls – (45 minutes)
 - Medical Director Dr. Paul Hinchey, Office of the Medical Director
 - Chief of Staff James Shamard, Austin/Travis County Emergency Medical Services
 - Assistant Chief Brian Tanzola, Austin Fire Department
- e. Austin/Travis County Emergency Medical Services Staffing – (10 minutes)
 - Chief of Staff James Shamard, Austin/Travis County Emergency Medical Services

4. Discussion regarding Future Agenda Items (5:50pm – 6:00pm)

5. Adjournment

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