



City of Scottsdale
Council Committee on Community Safety
Regular Meeting
Notice and Agenda

2:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 13, 2026
Skysong – Synergy II
1365 N. Scottsdale Rd., AZ 85257

Call to Order

Roll Call

Councilwoman Jan Dubauskas, Chair
Vice Mayor Adam Kwasman
Councilwoman Kathy Littlefield

One or more members of the Council Committee on Public Safety may be attending the meeting by telephone, video, or internet conferencing, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431(4).

Public Comment

Citizens may address the members of the Council Committee on Community Safety during Public Comment regarding non-agendized items, and on agendized items when the item is presented. Arizona law prohibits the Council Committee on Community Safety from discussing or taking action on an item that is not on the prepared agenda. Public testimony is limited to three (3) minutes per speaker. Written Comment cards can be submitted to City staff at any time for agendized or non-agendized items.

1. **Approval of Minutes**Discussion and Action
Review and approve minutes from the 3-25-2026 meeting.
Staff Contact: Virginia Bermudez – 480-312-1968 and Leah Peller – 480-312-1999
2. **Preparedness for Open Spaces**Presentation and Discussion
Presentation and discussion regarding interdepartmental readiness for open space and fire season operations, including coordination efforts, resource planning, and an overview of the search and rescue canine program between Fire and Police.
Staff Contact: Fire Chief Tom Shannon Staff Contact: Police Chief Joe LeDuc 480-312-1999
3. **Public Safety Grant Funding**.....Presentation and Discussion
Presentation and discussion on current grant management practices, funding needs, and strategies to ensure Police and Fire have the resources necessary to support ongoing and future operations.
Staff Contact: Fire Chief Tom Shannon Staff Contact: Police Chief Joe LeDuc

4. **Recruitment Updates**.....Presentation and Discussion
Presentation and discussion providing an update on recruitment efforts since the January meeting, including initiatives, challenges, and pipeline development for both Fire and Police.
Staff Contact: Fire Chief Tom Shannon Staff Contact: Police Chief Joe LeDuc 480-312-1999

5. **911 Misuse Ordinance**.....Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action
Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding the potential adoption of a city ordinance relating to misuse of 911.
Staff Contact: City Attorney Luis Santaella and Police Chief Joseph Leduc 480-312-1999

6. **Misuse of Fire Department Resources for Non-Emergency Patient Transfers Ordinance**Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action
Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding the potential adoption of a city ordinance relating to the misuse of Fire Department Resources for non-emergency patient transfers.
Staff Contact: City Attorney Luis Santaella and Fire Chief Tom Shannon

7. **Possible Items for Next Meeting** Information and Discussion
Discussion of potential agenda items for a future meeting.

Staff Contact: Virginia Bermudez – 480-312-1968 and Leah Peller – 480-312-1999

Adjournment



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