



BURLINGTON CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

6/17/2015

Public Safety Committee

June 17, 2015

Minutes

*** DRAFT ***

Committee Members: Councilors Sara Giannoni (SG) (chair); David Hartnett (DH); Selene Coburn (SC);

Staff/Others: Richard Haesler (RH), CA's Office;

11:08 a.m.- Call to Order

I. Approve Agenda and Minutes

Agenda approved on SC's Motion

Minutes: 11/18/14 minutes approved on DH's Motion

II. Public Forum

There were no speakers at public forum.

III. Organizational Meeting - Committee Discussion re possible agenda items for the year



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Discussion:

(SG) first want to flag that there is an Uber meeting this evening (6/17) - will attend – believes community safety issues re Uber and for taxis – may be appropriately referred to the committee depending on where things go with police commission.

(DH) if any event will need to know what happens to Uber information streams – where does the info go – who can access – privacy issues in play

(SC) This committee should reach out to the Ordinance Committee, the License Committee and the Police Commission

(DH) proposes Neighborhood Public Safety forums in each of the wards.

Discussion follows – five (5) potential issues flagged

1...Uber

2...Drop box – follow up re last years proposed installation schedule

3...Multi-Modal safety issues – re Go for Gold/Local Motion, etc.

4. Organizing around Sexual Assault issues – check w/ Police Commission for statistics; seek college data – Is there a reason for the committee to then be looking further into the issues

5. Mental Health – safety issues – seek data from stakeholders and again determine whether there is reason for the committee to then be looking further into relevant issues

IV. Any Other Business:





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Discussion - Next Meetings

Committee to meet with the following proposed meeting dates and sites:

July 22 – Miller Center @ 7 p.m.

August 19 – Boys and Girls Club @ 7 p.m.

September 16 – UVM @ 7 p.m.

October 14 – DPW/Parks @ 7 p.m.

All of this is subject to Council approval of the proposal. In the meantime however committee members and staff will preliminarily prepare to reserve the sites.

V. Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn (DH)

Motion passes unanimously

MEETING ADJOURNED @ 11:52 a.m.



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