

Public Safety Committee Meeting
Held at City Hall Large Conference Room,
Tuesday, February 18, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.

Notice of this meeting was given to the public in compliance with Section 10-15-4, NMSA 1978 and Resolution 24-23.

The meeting convened at 4:00 p.m. with Councilor Julianna Halvorson presiding and present, Councilor Carlos Marrujo - Present, Councilor Christina Arnold - Present, Councilor Angela Moore – Absent, and Councilor Will Cavin - Present.

Mr. Mathews reported to Chair that we do have a quorum.

Staff present: Mike Mathews, Deputy City Manager; Toby Franco, Code Enforcement Supervisor Shantel Mairot, Animal Services; Matt Miller, Fire Chief; Amalia Martinez, City Clerk; Della Andazola, Deputy City Clerk; Lance Bateman, Police Chief; Alison Herring, PVRCC; Steve Chaves, Fire Chief; Derrick Washichek, Battalion Chief; KP Prescott, American Medical Response; Hess Yntema, City Attorney; Chad Cole, City Manager; Mike Taylor; Deputy Police Chief.

Guests: Abby Hess, Rita Kane-Doerhoefer, Terri Harber, Dara Dana, Kevin Berry, Councilor Ed Heldenbrand, Kim Brecken.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Councilor Arnold moved to approve agenda; Councilor Marrujo was the second. A voice vote was as follows: Councilor Halvorson – yes, Councilor Marrujo – yes, Councilor Arnold – yes, Councilor Cavin – yes. The motion passed 4-0 with Councilor Moore being absent.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Councilor Arnold moved to approve the minutes from the January 14, 2025, Public Safety Committee Meeting. Councilor Marrujo was the second. A voice vote was as follows: Councilor Halvorson-yes, Councilor Marrujo-yes, Councilor Arnold-yes, Councilor Cavin - yes, the motion passed 4-0 with Councilor Moore being absent.

REGULAR ITEMS

2. Resolution 25 – XX Condemnations – Toby Franco presented one property for consideration for condemnation. Councilor Marrujo moved to approve and be placed on Legal Committee agenda. Councilor Arnold was the second. A voice vote was as follows: Councilor Halvorson-yes, Councilor Marrujo-yes, Councilor Arnold-yes, Councilor Cavin – yes, the motion passed 4-0, with Councilor Moore being absent.

FOR THE RECORD: Councilor Moore arrived at 4:07 pm.

3. Deputy fire chief Dan Fuller presented information and recommended approval of a purchase order in the amount of \$1,288,380.00 to Siddons Martin Emergency Group for four (4) Demers 4x4 Type 1 ambulances. Councilor Arnold moved to approve and send to Finance Committee, Councilor Moore was the second. A voice vote was as follows: Councilor Halvorson-yes, Councilor Marrujo-yes, Councilor Moore-yes, Councilor Arnold-yes, and Councilor Cavin-yes. The motion passed 5-0.
4. Resolution 25-xx consider recommending adoption of resolution 25-xx creating a community response team within the Roswell Fire Department. Councilor Arnold and members of the community presented information and discussed the need and resources needed to establish such a team. Councilor Moore moved to send Resolution 25-xx to full council, Councilor Arnold was the second. A voice vote was as follows: Councilor Halvorson-yes, Councilor Marrujo-yes, Councilor Moore-yes, Councilor Arnold-yes, and Councilor Cavin-yes. The motion passed 5-0.
5. Deputy fire chief Dan Fuller presented information and recommending approval of a purchase order to Howe Medical in the amount of \$492,686.20 for four (4) gurneys and four (4) Lifepak 35s.
Councilor Cavin moved to approve and send to Finance Committee, Councilor Marrujo was the second. A voice vote was as follows: Councilor Halvorson-yes, Councilor Marrujo-yes, Councilor Moore-yes, Councilor Arnold-yes, and Councilor Cavin-yes. The motion passed 5-0.

MONTHLY DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Departments presented the committee with their reports and answered any questions.

6. Emergency Management
7. Community Development Center
8. Roswell Animal Services
9. Consolidated Dispatch
10. Roswell PD Monthly Report
11. Fire

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Next meeting will be March 18, 2025 @ 4:00 p.m.