

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEEMEETING

MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 2024 | 6PM

3rd committee meeting

The Committee will meet in Mauldin City Hall at 5 East Butler Road in the Council Chambers at 6 p.m.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING AUGUST 5, 2024, 6PM CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS 5 E. BUTLER ROAD

Committee Members: Carol King (Chair), Members Jason Kraeling and Frank Allgood

1.	Call to Order	Chairperson King
2.	Public Comment	Chairperson King
3.	Reading and Approval of Minutes a. Public Safety Committee Minutes-June 3, 2024 [Pages 3-4]	Chairperson King
4.	 Reports or Communications from City Officers a. Fire Chief Brian McHone b. Administrative Judge/ Clerk of Court Donna DeRado c. Police Chief George Miller 	Chairperson King
5.	<u>Unfinished Business</u> There is no unfinished business.	Chairperson King
6.	New Business a. Trailer Purchase from Drug and Alcohol Abuse Fund [Page 5]	Chairperson King
	b. Discussion: Flock locations	
7.	Public Comment	Chairperson King
8.	Committee Concerns	Chairperson King
9.	Adjournment	Chairperson King

MINUTES

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING JUNE 3, 2024, 6PM

CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS 5 E. BUTLER ROAD 2nd committee meeting

Committee Members: Carol King (Chair), Members Jason Kraeling and Frank Allgood Others present were Fire Chief Brian McHone, Administrative Judge/ Clerk of Court Donna DeRado, Police Captain Tab Clardy, and City Administrator Seth Duncan. Police Chief Miller was not present.

- 1. Call to Order- Chairwoman King
- 2. Public Comment- None

3. Reading and Approval of Minutes

a. Public Safety Committee Minutes-May 6, 2024

Motion: Councilman Allgood made a motion to approve the minutes with Councilman Kraeling seconding.

Vote: The vote was unanimous (3-0).

4. Reports or Communications from City Officers

- a. Fire Chief Brian McHone- Chief McHone thanked the Public Works Department and Rec Department for the donation of the fitness equipment and help moving it to headquarters.
- b. Administrative Judge/ Clerk of Court Donna DeRado- Ms. DeRado reported on the changes to the aesthetics of the department. She thanked Public Works for putting the furniture together with no notice.
- c. Police Chief George Miller-Chief Miller was not present. Captain Clardy thanked Mr.
 Fleahman for fixing a traffic signal today.
 Flock Presentation by Captain Tab Clardy

Captain Clardy presented the Flock program. Currently the department utilizes Flock for free. The free access is ending. Flock is a vehicle and license plate reading camera system. For the department to continue using Flock, the cost will be \$18,000, which will include six cameras. The system helps the department apprehend criminals.

5. Unfinished Business- There is no unfinished business.

6. New Business

a. Resolution to Donate Hand Tools to Golden Strip Career Center Fire Program

Mauldin Fire recently replaced old and outdated equipment and now has various hand tools, though usable for training purposes, not needed by the department.

Mauldin Fire has a long history and relationship with the Golden Strip Career Center and regularly supports their firefighting training program. This donation of usable, but surplus equipment would continue our longstanding partnership.

Motion: Councilman Kraeling made a motion to send this item to Council with a recommendation of approval of the resolution and donation. Councilman Allgood seconded the motion.

Vote: The vote was unanimous (3-0).

- 7. Public Comment- None
- 8. Committee Concerns- None
- **9. Adjournment-** Chairwoman King adjourned the meeting at 6:34 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Cindy Miller Municipal Clerk

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

MEETING DATE: August 5, 2024

AGENDA ITEM: 6a

TO: Public Safety Committee FROM: Chief George Miller

SUBJECT: Purchase of Trailers for MPD Community Division

REQUEST

MPD is seeking Council approval for the use of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Fund funds to purchase two towable (2) trailers for the Community Division team to store and transport various equipment.

HISTORY/BACKGROUND

MPD currently has two (2) trailers in inventory with one being a K-9/Traffic trailer and a small trailer that was donated from Bi-Lo over twenty (20) years ago that is being used for Community team. The Bi-Lo trailer is too small to accommodate all of their needs. When necessary, the K-9/Traffic trailer is used by the Community team, but the equipment must be unloaded and secured so that the Community team can use it.

ANALYSIS or STAFF FINDINGS

Due to the Community Division team expanding in personnel and more commitments/demand, it has been determined that the Community Division needs two (2) trailers to keep up with their events. One (1) trailer is a 5x8 enclosed trailer and one (1) trailer is a 7x14 enclosed trailer. Some of the things carried in these trailers will be the DUI cart with cones, promotional items for community and recruitment events, cones, etc. The old Bi-Lo donated trailer will be sold.

FISCAL IMPACT

The Fiscal Impact would be \$15,500. These funds would come from the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Fund, 370-421-795. These funds are given to the department each year by the Phoenix Center and put into this account to spend on drug and alcohol awareness related expenses. There is \$24,800.00 in the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Fund currently, and if approved, a balance of approximately of \$9,300 will remain. The Phoenix Center, in the next couple of weeks, will be delivering checks for this year.

RECOMMENDATION

The recommendation is to authorize the purchase of two trailers to assist the Community Division team in their activities with the community. These trailers will be purchased from state contract and not to exceed \$15,500.

ATTACHMENTS