

MINUTES
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING
MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2026, 6PM
CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS
5 EAST BUTLER ROAD, MAULDIN, SC 29662
2nd and final committee

Committee members present: Carol King (Chair), Frank Allgood, and Jason Kraeling
Others present: Fire Chief Brian McHone, Judicial Director/ Chief Municipal Judge Donna DeRado, City Administrator Seth Duncan, and Assistant City Administrator Greg Saxton. Chief George Miller was not present.

1. Call to Order- Chairwoman King

2. Public Comment (Agenda Items)- None

3. Reading and Approval of Minutes

a. May 4, 2026

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. George Miller, Police Chief

Chief Miller was not present. Captain Clardy reported on gun replacement in the department. The department has been using the Shadow system, which is on a 9mm platform. 11 officers have experienced problems with these guns. The department is going to return to 9mm Glocks.

b. Brian McHone, Fire Chief

Chief McHone reported the budget looks good. The department is participating in joint training with BASF. The bridge at I385 and Butler will be closed from June 15th to August 5th.

c. Donna DeRado, Chief Administrative Judge

Judge DeRado said the new Administrative Judge is starting work soon. The department went live with the new court management software today.

5. Unfinished Business- There is no unfinished business.

6. New Business

a. Fire MOU Automatic Aid Agreement

The fire department is requesting approval of a memorandum of understanding for Automatic Aid with the City of Simpsonville and authorize the Mayor or his designee to execute additional Agreements with other departments as needed.

Fire departments in Greenville County regularly use automatic and mutual aid agreements to assist other departments in case of an emergency that requires additional resources or personnel.

In addition to the pending agreement with Simpsonville FD, the City of Mauldin and Mauldin Fire Department have similar agreements with Boiling Springs (2024), and Greenville County (2025). MFD is also in talks with both Belmont Fire and Clear Springs Fire for similar agreements.

Motion: Councilman Kraeling made a motion to send this item to Council with Councilman Allgood seconding.

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

7. Public Comment (Non-Agenda Items)- None

8. Committee Concerns- None

9. Adjournment- Chairwoman King adjourned the meeting at 6:35 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Cindy Miller
Municipal Clerk