



Summary

Public Safety Committee

Council Member James Taylor, Jr., Chair
Council Member Jeff MacIntosh, Vice Chair
Mayor Pro Tempore Vivian H. Burke
Council Member John C. Larson

Monday, October 14, 2019

6:00 PM

Committee Room 239, City Hall

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Taylor called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm and thanked the leaders and members of the Public Safety Departments who protect Winston-Salem.

Present:

Council Member James Taylor, Jr., Chair
Council Member Jeff MacIntosh, Vice Chair
Mayor Pro Tempore Vivian Burke
Council Member John Larson

Others Present:

Council Member Scippio

C CONSENT AGENDA

Chair Taylor stated the Committee would first consider the Consent Agenda and asked if there were any items that needed removed for discussion. No items were removed.

A motion was made by Council Member MacIntosh, seconded by Council Member Larson to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion carried unanimously.

- C-1.** [19-0564](#) Ordinance Amending Section 42-122(f) of the City Code Relating to 25 Miles per Hour Speed Limits (South and Southeast Wards) - Atlantic Street, Willmeade Drive, Fannwood Circle, Tulip Drive, and Clara Lane.

Approved by the Consent Vote.

- C-2.** [19-0565](#) Ordinance Amending Section 42-124 of the City Code Relating to School Zones (North Ward) - Gillette Street.

Approved by the Consent Vote.

C-3. [19-0588](#) Ordinance to Amend City Emergency Management Ordinance and Replace Previously Adopted Resolutions.

Approved by the Consent Vote.

Approval of Public Safety Committee Summary of Minutes.

C-4. [19-0537](#)

Approved by the Consent Vote.

G GENERAL AGENDA

G-1. [19-0539](#) Consideration of Items Pertaining to the 2019 Local Law Enforcement Crime Gun Intelligence Center Integration Initiative:

Resolution Authorizing Acceptance of the 2019 Local Law Enforcement Crime Gun Intelligence Center Integration Initiative Grant Award - \$699,608.

Ordinance Amending the Project Budget Ordinance for the City of Winston-Salem, North Carolina for the Fiscal Year 2019-2020.

Catrina Thompson, Chief of Police, provided the staff report for this item.

Mayor Pro Tempore Burke requested that periodical reports be provided to the Committee.

A motion was made by Mayor Pro Tempore Burke, seconded by Council Member Larson, that this Resolution be approved. The motion carried unanimously.

G-2. [19-0563](#) Resolution Authorizing Acquisition of Property in the Forum 52 Business Park for a New Police Driving Training Facility - \$350,000 from GO Bonds.

Kirk Bjorling, Real Estate Administrator, provided the staff report for this item.

Thomas Day, Police Corporal, provided information regarding the need for the Police Driving Training Facility.

Damon Dequenne, Assistant City Manager, provided information regarding the topographical maps and the requirements for utilizing this site.

Council Member Larson requested a construction estimate for this project.

A motion was made by Council Member MacIntosh, seconded by Council Member Larson, that this Resolution be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 3- Council Member Taylor, Council Member MacIntosh, Council Member Larson

Abstain: 1- Mayor Pro Tempore Burke

G-3. [19-0519](#)

Information Regarding Online Filing of Citizen Police Complaints and Commendations.

Al Andrews, Assistant City Attorney, provided the staff report for this item.

Council Member Larson requested the word citizen be changed to resident.

Council Member Scippio asked staff to be mindful that not all residents have computers and to be creative in supplying those citizens with access to these documents.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Pro Tempore Burke commended the Winston-Salem Police Department for a doing a great job regarding the celebration by the North Carolina Supreme Court that was held in our City. She noted Chief Weaver's superb leadership for this event.

Chair Taylor thanked the Police Department.

Chief Weaver thanked the Committee for their kind words and noted the service for this event was in partnership with the Forsyth County Sheriff's Department as well as the Kernersville Police Department.

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting adjourned at 6:52 p.m.