



**Sumner City Council
Public Safety Committee
Minutes of January 15, 2025, Meeting**

Members present: Barbara Bitetto, Carla Bowman, and Pat Clerget

Staff present: Police Deputy Chief Andy McCurdy and City Attorney Andrea Marquez

Others present: None.

Meeting called to order at 4:03 pm.

The committee selected Pat Clerget as the committee chair for 2025.

I) Monthly Activity Reports & Department Updates – Fire, Chief Parkinson

Chief Parkinson emailed his report to the committee on 01/14/25. The committee reviewed the report.

II) Monthly Activity Reports & Department Updates – Police, Deputy Chief McCurdy

Deputy Chief McCurdy handed out copies of the 2024 department activities report. There are currently vacancies for two officer positions, one Support Services Manager, and one Records/Evidence Specialist. We are currently conducting backgrounds for all three positions.

III) Action Items:

1. City Attorney Marquez presented and explained Ordinance No. 2917 pertaining to endangerment of a child or dependent person with a controlled substance. The committee gave a do pass.
2. Deputy Chief McCurdy presented and explained Resolution No. 1710 to authorize an ILA for inmate housing with the city of Sunnyside. The committee gave a do pass.

IV) Discussion Items:

Deputy Chief McCurdy presented a concern from a citizen on New Years Eve asking for a fireworks “ban”. No action recommended.

V) Adjourn – Meeting adjourned by the Chair at 4:26 pm.

Next meeting will be February 19th, 2025, at 4:00 pm in the First Floor Conference Room at City Hall and/or remotely via Teams.