



THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE WILL MEET ON MONDAY,
APRIL 6, 2026 AT 2:00 PM, AUSTIN CITY HALL
301 W. SECOND STREET, AUSTIN, TX AND SOME MEMBERS
MAY BE PARTICIPATING VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE

José Velasquez, Chair
Krista Laine, Vice Chair
Zohaib “Zo” Qadri
Marc Duchon
Mike Siegel

Public comment will be allowed in person or remotely by telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in person or remotely. Items posted for possible action are available for sign-up. Briefings are not open for sign-up. For full instructions on participation in person or by telephone, please visit the Council Committee Information Center home page, which is linked here:

https://www.austintexas.gov/department/city-council/council/council_committee_info_center.htm

A quorum of the City Council may be present at this meeting. Action will only be taken by the members of the committee, and the alternate member may only vote when a regular committee member is absent.

The committee may go into a closed session under the Open Meetings Act, Section 551.071, of the Texas Government Code, to receive advice from legal counsel on any item on this agenda.

CALL TO ORDER

Public Communication: General

Speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed three minutes to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda. This section is limited to 5 speakers.

Approval of Minutes

1. Approve the minutes for the Public Safety Committee Meeting of February 2, 2026.

Briefings

2. Update on Austin Police Training Academy. [Richard Egal, Commander; Angie Jones, Assistant Chief - Austin Police].

Sponsors:

Council Member José Velásquez, and Council Member Krista Laine

3. Briefing on Austin Police alternative response models. [Angie Jones, Assistant Chief - Austin Police].

Sponsors: Council Member José Velásquez, and Council Member Krista Laine

4. Briefing on the Austin-Travis County Enabling Ordinance Update. [Rob Luckritz, Chief of ATCEMS - Austin-Travis County Emergency Medical Services].

Sponsors: Council Member José Velásquez, and Council Member Krista Laine

5. Briefing on Austin Police Sexual Assault Program overview [Deanna Lichter, Commander - Austin Police; Kachina Clark, Division Manager - Victim Services and Employee Wellness].

Sponsors: Council Member José Velásquez, and Council Member Krista Laine

6. Briefing on the development of Public Safety Dashboards from Austin Police, Austin Fire, and Austin Travis County Emergency Medical Services. [Lee Rogers, Chief of Staff - Austin Police; Joel G. Baker, Fire Chief - Austin Fire; Rob Luckritz, Chief of ATCEMS - Austin-Travis County Emergency Medical Services].

Sponsors: Council Member José Velásquez, and Council Member Krista Laine

Future Items

7. Identify items to discuss at future meetings.

Previously Distributed Memos to Mayor and Council (Information only; not for discussion)

Austin Participation in Statewide Alert Test dated March 27, 2026

Austin Police General Orders – Administrative Warrants dated March 4, 2026

Proposed Change to City Code 12-1 regarding Vehicle Engine Noise dated February 23, 2026

Responses to City Council Questions from the Austin Police Oversight
2024 Annual Report Briefing dated February 4, 2026

2025 Report on the Use of Facial Recognition Technology dated February 4, 2026

Proposed Change to City Code 12-1 regarding Vehicle Engine Noise dated January 27, 2026

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