

Dr. Robert Garcia, Chair
Gerrie Schipske, R.N.P./J.D., Vice Chair
James Johnson, Member



FINISHED AGENDA & DRAFT MINUTES

The Public Safety Committee minutes are prepared and ordered to correspond to the Public Safety Committee Agenda. Agenda Items can be taken out of order during the meeting. Please consult the time stamps to determine the order in which business was addressed.

The Agenda Items were considered as follows: Agenda Item Nos. 1, 6, 5, 3, 2; and Agenda Item No. 4 was withdrawn.

CALL TO ORDER (4:00 PM)

At 4:00 PM, Chair Garcia called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (4:00 PM)

Councilmembers Garcia and Johnson

Present:

Councilmembers Schipske

Absent:

Also present: Gary Anderson, Deputy City Attorney; Braden Phillips, Administrative Bureau Chief, Police Department; Michael DuRee, Fire Chief; Carolyn Harris, City Clerk Specialist; Megan Wiegelman, City Clerk Assistant.

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1. [12-1088](#) Recommendation to approve the minutes of the Public Safety Committee meeting held Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

A motion was made by Member Johnson, seconded by Chair Garcia, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 2 - Garcia and Johnson

Absent: 1 - Schipske

SECOND ROLL CALL (4:06 PM)

Councilmembers Garcia, Schipske and Johnson
Present:

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2. [12-1070](#) Recommendation to receive and file a year-end crime report from the Long Beach Police Department.

Braden Phillips, Administrative Bureau Chief, Police Department, spoke.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Schipske, seconded by Chair Garcia, to approve recommendation and forward the full report to City Council after the availability of the final 2012 crime statistics. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Garcia, Schipske and Johnson

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3. [12-1076](#) Recommendation to receive and file a year-end report on Fire Safety from the Long Beach Fire Department.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, presented the staff report.

Chair Garcia spoke.

A motion was made by Chair Garcia, seconded by Member Johnson, to approve recommendation and forward the full report to City Council. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Garcia, Schipske and Johnson

4. 12-1078 Recommendation to receive and file a report from the Long Beach Police Department on the possibility of the City of Long Beach taking over responsibility for patrolling the Metro Blue Line from the Sheriff's Department.

This Agenda Item was withdrawn.

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5. [12-1079](#) Recommendation to receive and file a report from the Long Beach Fire Department on status of proposed new paramedic services model.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, presented the staff report.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Chair Garcia and Michael DuRee, Fire Chief.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Vice Chair Schipske and Michael DuRee, Fire Chief.

Councilmember Johnson spoke.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief spoke.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Chair Garcia and Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, spoke.

Rex Pritchard, Long Beach Firefighters' Association, spoke.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Schipske, seconded by Chair Garcia, to approve recommendation and forward to the City Council due back on March 5, 2013. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Garcia, Schipske and Johnson

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6. [12-1080](#)

Recommendation to receive and file an update from the Long Beach Fire Department on AB 678.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, presented the staff report.

Schipske joined the meeting.

A dialogue ensued between Chair Garcia and Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives,

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A dialogue ensued between Vice Chair Schipske and Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, spoke.

Rex Pritchard, Long Beach Firefighters' Association, spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, spoke.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Rex Pritchard, Long Beach Firefighters' Association, spoke.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, spoke.

Chair Garcia spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Vice Chair Schipske and Michael DuRee, Fire Chief.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Vice Chair Schipske and Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives.

Michael DuRee, Fire Chief, spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Vice Chair Schipske and Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives.

Chair GaRcia spoke.

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Chair Garcia spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

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Rex Pritchard, Long Beach Firefighters' Association, spoke.

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Tom Modica, Director of Government Affairs and Strategic Initiatives, spoke.

Vice Chair Schipske spoke.

A motion was made by Chair Garcia, seconded by Member Johnson, to approve recommendation and forward to the City Council due back on March 5, 2013. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Garcia, Schipske and Johnson

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (4:46 PM)

No members of the public addressed the Committee.

ADJOURNMENT (4:46 PM)

At 4:46 PM, there being no objection, Chair Garcia declared the meeting adjourned.

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