

2021 Seattle City Council Statement of Legislative Intent

Council Budget Action: Agenda

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SPD	006	A	001

Budget Action Title: Request SPD to report on 911 call response times

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Statement of Legislative Intent:

This Statement of Legislative Intent (SLI) requests that the Seattle Police Department (SPD) provide quarterly reports that identify the response time impact on SPD’s ability to answer 911 emergency police calls (Priority One calls only) in 2021 due to the following: (1) attrition of police officers in 2020 and changes made in the deployment of officers assigned to Patrol; and (2) attrition of police officers in 2021, reductions made to the Executive’s proposed staffing plan for 2021 and 2022, and changes made in the deployment of officers assigned to Patrol.

The first report should be submitted on January 1, 2021. All reports should be submitted to the Chair of the Public Safety and Human Services Committee and the Central Staff Director.

Responsible Council Committee(s):

Public Safety & Human Services

Date Due to Council: January 1, 2021