



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Public Safety Committee

Agenda

Tuesday, July 23, 2024

9:30 AM

Council Chamber, City Hall
600 4th Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

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A. Call To Order**B. Approval of the Agenda****C. Public Comment****D. Items of Business**

1. [Appt 02918](#) **Appointment of Amy Smith as Chief of the Community Assisted Response and Engagement Department, for a term to August 1, 2028.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Supporting Documents: [Written Questions and Responses](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (30 minutes)

Presenter: Amy Smith, Interim Chief, Community Assisted Response and Engagement (CARE) Department

2. **Seattle Police Department Update**

Supporting Documents: [Presentation](#)

Briefing and Discussion (30 minutes)

Presenter: Sue Rahr, Interim Chief, Seattle Police Department

3. **Criminal Justice Ecosystem Discussion**

Briefing and Discussion (45 minutes)

Presenters: Sue Rahr, Interim Chief, Seattle Police Department; Amy Smith, Interim Chief, CARE Department; Ann Davison, City Attorney, City Attorney's Office

E. Adjournment