

Special Public Safety Advisory Committee Meeting
held via Zoom and in person, Council Chambers
Thursday, February 5, 2026
at 3:00 p.m.

Present:

Michael Magnusson, Chair
Tia Carlesimo, Vice-Chair
Cheyanne Fath (via Zoom)
Cherry Fernandez
Scott Jacobsen (via Zoom)
Heather Montgomery
James Palanio
Riley Thompson

Regrets:

Jeff Leonard
Alex Waddington
Holly Wakeman
Ryan Graham, Councillor
Campbell Watt, Councillor

Staff:

Julie Czeck, General Manager of Public Safety and Partnerships
Blake Laven, General Manager of Development Services
Hayley Anderson, FOIPPA and Records Management Specialist

1. **Call to Order**

The Chair called the Public Safety Advisory Committee to order at 3:01 p.m.

2. **Adoption of Agenda**

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the Public Safety Advisory Committee adopt the agenda of February 5, 2026 meeting as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

3. **New Business**

3.1 Proposed Extension on the Temporary Winter Shelter at 441 Dawson Avenue

Presentation by Julie Czeck, General Manager of Public Safety and Partnerships and Blake Laven General Manager of Development Services.

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the Public Safety Advisory Committee recommend that Council support a Temporary Use Permit to allow the use of 441 Dawson Avenue to continue as an emergency shelter for a three-year period subject to:

- Continuation of a 24/7 safety and security plan;
- Confirmation of Provincial Funding for Shelter Operations.

CARRIED
James Palanio, Opposed

4. **Next Meeting**

The next regular Public Safety Advisory Committee meeting is scheduled to be held on February 18, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.

5. **Adjournment**

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the Public Safety Advisory Committee adjourn the meeting held February 5, 2026 at 3:55 p.m.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Certified Correct:



Hayley Anderson
FOIPPA and Records Management Specialist