



NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Co-Chair: Brandon Toole, First District
Co-Chair: Kevin Caneco, Twelfth District

March 11, 2025
3:00 PM

VIRTUAL ZOOM WEBINAR MEETING** &
LOUIS L. REDDING CITY/COUNTY BUILDING
1ST FLOOR COUNCIL CHAMBERS
800 N. FRENCH STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 19801

MINUTES

A. Meeting Call to Order

The Public Safety Committee meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM by Mr. Caneco.

Members present: Kevin Caneco, David Carter, John Cartier, Dee Durham (virtual), Valerie George, Penrose Hollins, Janet Kilpatrick, Timothy Sheldon, George Smiley, Jea Street (virtual), David Tackett, Brandon Toole, Monique Williams-Johns

Members absent: none

B. Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Mr. Smiley, and seconded by Ms. Kilpatrick, to approve the minutes from the February 18, 2025 Public Safety Committee meeting. The minutes were approved by voice vote at 3:01 PM.

C. Review/Discussion of Resolution(s)

none

D. Review/Discussion of Ordinance(s)

none

E. Presentations

Residential Fire Sprinklers Presentation by Paul Eichler, Delaware Fire Sprinkler Coalition

- Mr. Paul Eichler of the Delaware Fire Sprinkler Coalition shared his "Residential Fire Sprinklers Presentation."

- Discussion among Council Members, Mr. Carter, Ms. George, Ms. Kilpatrick, Mr. Cartier, and Mr. Sheldon.

F. Other

Mr. Street addressed a recent incident at the Maurice Pritchett Sr. Academy in Wilmington, Delaware where the swat team was deployed in a K-8 school.

G. Public Comment

none

H. Adjournment

A motion was made by Mr. Smiley, seconded by Mr. Carter, to adjourn the **Public Safety Committee Meeting**. The motion was approved, and the meeting was adjourned at 4:01 PM.