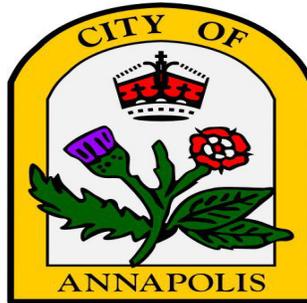


# City of Annapolis

160 Duke Of Gloucester Street  
Annapolis, MD 21401



## Standing Committee Meeting Minutes - Draft

Wednesday, January 21, 2026

4:45 PM

Regular Meeting

Mayor John T. Chambers, Jr.  
City Council Chambers

**Public Safety Committee**

Call To Order

Alderman O'Neill called the Regular Meeting to order at 4:46 pm.

Roll Call

**Present:** 3 - Alderwoman O'Neill, Alderwoman Contee and Alderman Smith-Brown

Approval of Agenda (any changes to the agenda should be made here)

Alderman Smith-Brown moved to approve the Regular Meeting agenda.  
Seconded. CARRIED on voice vote.

**Business and Miscellaneous**

**Election of Chairman Pursuant to City Code Section 2.16.120**

Alderman Smith-Brown moved to nominate Alderwoman O'Neill as the Public Safety Committee chair. Seconded. CARRIED on voice vote.

**General Discussion**

[ID-16-26](#) Annapolis Fire Department Update (AFD)

**Attachments:** [Annapolis Fire Department 1.21.2026](#)

Chief of Fire Remaley and Deputy Chief of Fire Powell were present to answer questions from the committee.

[ID-17-26](#) Office of Emergency Management (OEM)

Alderman Thorp and Director of Emergency Management Simmons were present to answer questions from the committee.

[ID-15-26](#) Annapolis Police Department Update (APD)

Chief of Police Jackson, Deputy Chief of Fire Brandford, Operations Commander Captain Howard, Patrol Commander Captain Thacker, Administrative Commander Captain Miguez and Director of Internal Affairs Blue were present to answer questions from the committee.

Adjournment

Upon motion duly made, seconded and adopted, the Regular Meeting was adjourned at 6:19pm.

Kalyn Jackson  
City Council Associate

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