

Public Safety Committee Presentation Schedule – Sept. 2026 – * 2027

Proposed Public Safety Committee Schedule in Brief:

- Tues, 9/22: Commonwealth Atty & Sherriff
C/A staffing budgetary needs, Sherriff Security Duties, Budgeting, State Oversight
- Tues, 10/27: RPD & RFD
RPD Crime Stats and use of technology in response and enforcement efforts
RFD Personnel overtime and fleet management
- Tues, 11/24: *None – recommend cancelling (day before Thanksgiving)*
- Tues, 12/22: Expect Cancellation Due to Holidays RAA & RRHA Policing
- Tues, 1/26: RAA & RRHA Policing Updates
RAA Budget and Staffing needs, fleet management, response times
RRHA Police staff, coverage of developments, cooperation w/ other responders
- Tues, 2/23: RPD and DECPR
RPD on Annual Crime Stats, vacancy and recruitment, Shockoe
DECPR Updates, generally, EOC, staffing and vacancies and call volume
- Tues, 3/23: Animal Care and Control and Code Enforcement
Animal Care and Control on wild animal response, adoption, engagement and personnel needs.
Code Enforcement on Staffing needs, vacant buildings, and Code Enforcement at rental units.

Tues, 9/22: Commonwealth's Atty & Sherriff

- *Named Presenter(s):* C. McEachin, Commonwealth's Attorney & A. Irving, Sherrif
- *Requested sub-topics to include in presentation:*
 - Review C/A Office Budgetary Needs:
 - Budget Supplements
 - Staffing
 - Training
 - Software
 - Review Jail, Courthouse, State Oversight, ICE Relationship, and Office Needs:
 - Securing Jail
 - Briefing/Update on State Oversight
 - Relationship with ICE
- *Why this presentation matters:*
 - Local Government's Role in Administration of Justice.
 - Local obligation to support constitutional officers.
 - Securing Jail and Courthouse.
 - Inmate and Staff Safety at Jailhouse.

Tues, 10/27: Crimes Stats & RPD Updates & Quarterly RFD

- *Named Presenter:* Police Chief Edwards & Fire Chief Segal
- *Requested sub-topics to include in presentation:*
- *RPD*
 - Quarterly crime stats update
 - Use of Shot Spotter
 - Camera Programs
 - Department Use of Drones
- *RFD*
 - Fleet Replacement
 - Recruitment
 - Updates on Needs/Use of New Stations & Burn Bldg.
- *Why this presentation matters:*
 - Public Funds Oversight.
 - Public Safety Training.
 - Public Safety Equipment Replacement/Maintenance.
 - Use of Technology in Public Safety

Tues, 11/24: [None]

Recommend canceling this meeting – the week of Thanksgiving.

Tues, 12/22: Holidays

Usually Cancelled due to Holidays and Topics carried to January of the Following Year.

- *Potential Named Presenters:* C Decker, RAA's CEO & Steven Nesbith, RRHA CEO
- *Requested sub-topics to include in presentation:*
- *RAA Updates, ETC*
 - Fleet Update
 - Call Response Times
 - Budgetary Needs
 - Staffing and Recruitment
- *RRHA Security*
 - Updates on Restarting its Police Depart
 - Staffing and Shifts
 - How Coverage Is Provided for Its Projects
 - Cooperation with other Public Safety Portfolios
- *Why this presentation matters:*
 - MAP alignment: Thriving City Hall, Goal G: Steward public resources through strong financial management.
 - Efficient Cooperation between Services
 - Fully Staffing Emergency Services
 - Fully Equipping Public Safety

Tues, 1/26: RAA Updates, ETC & RRHA Police Department

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- *Potential Named Presenters:* C Decker, RAA's CEO & Steven Nesbith, RRHA CEO
- *Requested sub-topics to include in presentation:*
- *RAA Updates, ETC*
 - Annual Report include Fleet Status Update
 - Call Response Times
 - Budgetary Needs
 - Staffing and Recruitment
- *RRHA Policing*
 - Updates on Restarting RRHA Police Department
 - Staffing and Shifts
 - How Coverage Is Provided for Its Projects
 - Cooperation with other Public Safety Portfolios
- *Why this presentation matters:*
 - MAP alignment: Thriving City Hall, Goal G: Steward public resources through strong financial management.
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Tues, 2/23: RPD Annual Crime Stats and Updates + DECPR

- *Named Presenters:* R. Edwards, RPD Chief and S. Willoughby, Director DECPR,
- *Requested sub-topics to include in presentation:*
- *RPD*
 - Completed 2026 Crime Stats.
 - Vacancy and Recruitment
 - Shockoe Bottom Update
- *DECPR*
 - Updates.
 - Maintenance of New EOC & Needs
 - Staffing/Vacancy Needs
 - Call Volume Updates
- *Why this presentation matters:*
 - Continuous Public Safety Improvements.
 - Preventing Violent Crime
 - Emergency Preparedness.
 - Continuous recruitment.

Tues, 3/23: Animal Care and Control + Code Enforcement

- *Named Presenters:* Peters, Animal Care & Control; K. Vonck, DIT Director PDR
- *Requested sub-topics to include in presentations:*
- *Animal Care and Control*
 - Response to wild animal calls.
 - Shelter and adoption updates
 - Public Engagement Updates
 - Personnel and Budgetary Needs
- *Code Enforcement*
 - Staffing Needs
 - Vacant Bldg. Registry
 - Code Enforcement at Rental Units
- *Why this presentation matters:*
 - MAP alignment: Thriving and Sustainable Built Environment.
 - Continuing to improve staffing
 - Continuing to Improve Public Safety
 - Greater engagement to improve the City's environment and appearance

