REDMOND CITY COUNCIL
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Council Conference Room
15670 NE 85th Street, Redmond, Washington
Tuesday, April 23, 2013
4:30 p.m.

Council
David Carson, Chair
Kim Allen *(Not in Attendance)*
Hank Margeson
John Stilin *(Attending Councilmember)*

Staff
Ron Gibson, Police/Fire Chief
Todd Short, Assistant Fire Marshal
Rich Gieseke, Deputy Fire Marshal
Jim Hill, Deputy Fire Marshal
Larry Mitchell, Prosecuting Attorney
Michelle M. McGehee, MMC, City Clerk

Meeting Summary

Convened: 4:30 p.m. Adjourned 5:07 p.m.

Committee Chair David Carson opened the meeting, reviewed the agenda items, and noted Council members in attendance.

International Fire Code

Police/Fire Chief Ron Gibson, Assistant Fire Marshal Todd Short, and Deputy Fire Marshals Rich Gieseke and Jim Hill, provided a report to the members of the Committee regarding upcoming fire code amendments. Many of the amendments are housekeeping issues; and substantive issues include (1) outdoor burning and (2) installation of solar photovoltaic power systems. The amendments are being made due to updates to the International Fire Code and State Code. These updates typically occur on a 3-year cycle. Proposed amendments will come forward to the full Council for consideration at its June 4, 2013, meeting, and will affect RMC 15.06 and RMC 9.22.

Functional Plan Update for Police and Fire

Police/Fire Chief Ron Gibson notified members of the Committee that both the Police and Fire Departments are beginning their work on creating functional department plans. He noted the plans will be coordinated with the City's Capital Investment Strategy and will also incorporate budget outcomes, department performance measures, and national best practices to assist in planning needed resource levels into the future. The departments are planning completion of the plans by the next budget cycle.

Cancellation of the May 28, 2013, Public Safety Committee Meeting

Members of the Committee agreed to cancel the May meeting due to the Memorial Day holiday.