



City of Madison

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Agenda - Approved POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION

*Consider: Who benefits? Who is burdened?
Who does not have a voice at the table?
How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?*

Thursday, July 17, 2025

5:00 PM

Virtual meeting via Zoom

Special Meeting – Working Session – Discuss Hiring Process and Final Interview Questions

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Public Input on the Police Chief Hiring Process

Attachments: [2025 Police Chief Job Posting.pdf](#)
[01182025 Paul Quinn Email](#)
[03102025 Feedback to PFC from Professional Civilian MPD Staff](#)
[03132025 Satya Rhodes-Conway Letter to PFC](#)
[03272025 Charles Barnhill Email](#)
[03282025 Heather Ayres Email](#)
[03292025 Dan Fitch Email](#)
[03302025 Paul Olson Email](#)
[04202025 George Silverwood Email](#)
[04152025 Kim Richman Public Comment](#)
[05052025 Joe Gothard Letter](#)
[05072025 Victor Wahl Letter](#)
[05282025 Gabriel Lee Email](#)
[06182025 Bonnie Roe Email](#)
[06182025 Joseph Keyes Email](#)
[06182025 Janet Hirsch Email](#)
[06222025 Nick Davies Email](#)
[07112025 Xong Vang Email](#)
[07112025 Andrew Dedrick Email](#)
[07112025 Bob Dole Email](#)
[07122025 Laura Bero Email.pdf](#)
[07142025 Mike Kohn Email.pdf](#)
[07142025 Linda Gerke Email.pdf](#)
[07142025 Latinx Consortium for Action Letter.pdf](#)
[07142025 David Couper Statement to PFC.pdf](#)
[07152025 Rose Gordon Email.pdf](#)
[07152025 Wendy Lee Email.pdf](#)
[07162025 Susan Williams Email.pdf](#)

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POLICE CHIEF HIRING PROCESS

1. [87966](#) Discussion of Police Chief Hiring Process

CLOSED SESSION

2. [88885](#) Contemplated closed session pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 19.85(1)(c) to discuss and take action, if appropriate, regarding employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility;

specifically:

Discuss hiring process and interview questions for second round interviews

3. [87969](#) Reconvene into open session to consider any remaining agenda items and to take action, if appropriate, regarding the items discussed in closed session.

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