

Bellevue Borough Committee Meeting Minutes

Committee: Public Safety

Date:	1-06-2026	Location: Borough Building
Chair:	Russel Ellis	Time: 7:00 p.m.
Note Taker:	James Kelly	
Members In Attendance:	Russel Ellis Brenden Rogers Emmiley Stern	
Members Absent:		
Others In Attendance:	Shawn Jacobs, BCO Bill Hartman Fire Chief Matt Sentner Police Chief	Bri Erskine, Mayor
Public Contributions on Agenda Items (5 minutes):		
Agenda Items – Reports:		
a.	Police Department Chief Sentner advised Officer Crim and Cadet Hall have both started at their positions.	
b.	Bellevue Fire Department - Report submitted. - Chief Hartman is working on the Volunteer 2026 Budget and hope to have it for February meeting. - Going to work with Bellevue Forward on some signage and media to assist in recruiting.	
c.	Code Enforcement Department Report Submitted.	
d.	NorthWest Emergency Management Services No report	
Unfinished Business:		
a.	Short Term Rental Ordinance Mr. Kelly advised he and Mr. Jacobs are going to work on an amendment to our current Ordinance.	

New Business :	
a.	Upgrade to Borough camera system Chief Sentner explained the need to upgrade and, discussed some additions that are necessary.
b.	NFL Draft Discussion followed with the different businesses that are already planning some events. Mr. Kelly advised we will work with the businesses to have a great experience in the Borough.
c.	SCBA Repairs. Chief Hartman advised he would like to upgrade some safety features on the SCBAs. He would like to begin with 2 of the 6 for \$2,418.88.
	Mr. McKelvey asked for clarification on snow removal enforcement. Discussion followed with Mr. Jacobs.
	Mr. McKelvey questioned how parking and drop-offs is going since the addition of the barricade installation. Chief Sentner has not received any complaints directly but will make sure the Officers keep an eye on the situation.
Public Contributions on Non-Agenda Items (2 minutes) : - Lisa Saylor 146 N. Balph Ave. Suggest sending a reminder of the Snow Removal Ordinance to the residents as a reminder. - LOB will be having a watch party for the NFL draft and has concerns with possible noise violations during the event - LOB would like to have events June 13, July 25, Oct 3 - Ms. Saylor invited the Fire Department to have a fundraiser during one of her events. - Ms. Saylor asked for clarification on the no alcohol Ordinance. - LeAnne Chaney 12 S Teece Ave is in favor of allowing alcohol being allowed on the sidewalks and can benefit the Mainstreet matters.	

Meeting Adjourned at: 7:36 p.m.

Next Meeting: February 3, 2026