

City of Gainesville

*City Hall
200 East University Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601*



Meeting Agenda

April 9, 2013

3:00 PM

City Hall, Ground Floor, Room 16

Public Safety Committee

*Commissioner Yvonne Hinson-Rawls, Chair
Commissioner Lauren Poe, Member
Commissioner Todd Chase, Member*

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CALL TO ORDER**ROLL CALL****ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA****APPROVAL OF MINUTES**[120999.](#)**Approval of February 28, 2013 Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes (B)***Explanation: None.**Fiscal Note: None.***RECOMMENDATION***The Public Safety Committee approve the minutes of the February 28, 2013 meeting as submitted.*[120999_PSCMinutesForFeb282013_20130409](#)**DISCUSSION OF PENDING REFERRALS**[120508.](#)**Creating Buffer Zones Around Medical Clinics (B)***Explanation: Commissioner Poe brought this referral forward at the October 18, 2012 City Commission meeting with a request that City Attorney Staff and GPD Staff research the need for buffer zones around women's medical clinics to keep protestors from passing the barrier.**The Public Safety Committee discussed this referral at the January 8, 2013 meeting where they heard from Senior Assistant City Attorney Stephanie Marchman on the First Amendment issues regarding this issue. Police Chief Jones summarized research his staff did on reported incidents at the specific clinics in Gainesville. Safety issues were a top priority for the citizens who spoke to this issue.**Fiscal Note: None.***RECOMMENDATION***The Public Safety Committee continue to discuss the issue of drafting an ordinance creating a buffer zone around medical clinics.***Legislative History**

10/18/12	City Commission	Referred to the Public Safety Committee
1/8/13	Public Safety Committee	Discussed

[120508a_GPDMemoOnClinicBuffers_20130108](#)

[120508b_ClinicPoliceReports_20130108](#)

[120508a_ClinicBufferZoneIOC_20130409](#)

[120508b_CallsForServiceIn2012_20130409](#)

[120997.](#)

Public Safety Committee Referral List Update (B)

Explanation: Staff will bring the members of the Public Safety Committee up to date on the pending referral items for the Committee.

Fiscal Note: None.

RECOMMENDATION

The Public Safety Committee hear an update from staff on the Committee's pending referral list.

[120997_PSCReferralsListUpdate_20130409](#)

MEMBER COMMENT

CITIZEN COMMENT

NEXT MEETING DATE

The next scheduled meeting is Thursday, April 25, 2013 at 1:30.

ADJOURNMENT