



## Health & Human Services and Public Safety Committee

**Tuesday, June 9, 2020, 5:30 PM**  
**Remote Meeting**

Councilor Belinda Ray, District 1, Chair  
Councilor Tae Chong, District 3  
Councilor Pious Ali, At-Large

### 1. Announcements

- a. At tonight's meeting we will be reviewing Portland Police Department practices and policies. The PPD is preparing a full report for the Council regarding the protest on June 1, 2020, the events that took place, and the police handling of the situation. That report and a Council discussion of the item will take place later this month, tentatively scheduled for a workshop on June 22, 2020. Please visit [www.portlandmaine.gov/agendas](http://www.portlandmaine.gov/agendas) for updates and to sign up to be notified when Council meetings and workshops are scheduled. The City will also issue a press release with the date and time, post the information to its social media channels, and include the information in its weekly newsletter. To sign up to receive the newsletter, visit [www.portlandmaine.gov/stayconnected](http://www.portlandmaine.gov/stayconnected) and select the 'City News' group.
- b. Zoom Information:

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Jun 9, 2020 05:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Remote HHS and Public Safety Meeting

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2. Review and Approval of Minutes from May 12, 2020
  - a. May 12, 2020 Draft Meeting Minutes
3. Portland Police Department Update
  - a. Review of current PPD policies and trainings including:
    - › Use of Force, Chokeholds/Strangleholds
    - › Body Cameras
    - › Crisis-intervention and de-escalation
    - › Implicit Bias
    - › Citizen Police Review Board
    - › Discussion of policy recommendations from President Obama's Task Force for 21st Century Policing and how they mesh with current PPD policies and practices
    - › Assessment of where the PPD is with Campaign Zero's "8 Can't Wait" platform (<https://8cantwait.org/>)
4. Next Meeting: July 14, 2020

NOTE: Since there are no action items on the agenda, there will be no opportunity for public comment at this meeting. Please feel free to send comments to members of the committee on any issue at any time via email. Councilors email addresses are available on the city website: [www.portlandmaine.gov](http://www.portlandmaine.gov)

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