

Whatcom County

Council Criminal Justice and Public Safety Committee

COUNTY COURTHOUSE
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Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

1 PM

Hybrid Meeting - Council Chambers

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Jon Scanlon
Mark Stremler

CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Cathy Halka, AICP, CMC

Call To Order

Roll Call

Announcements

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Special Order of Business

1. [AB2026-005](#) Nomination and appointment of Committee Chair

Committee Discussion

1. [AB2025-873](#) Discussion on Behavioral Care Center model

Committee Discussion and Recommendation to Council

1. [AB2026-015](#) Request for motion to establish full term lengths for Justice Project Oversight and Planning (JPOP) Committee members

Items Added by Revision

Other Business

Adjournment