

**Whatcom County
Council Criminal Justice and Public Safety Committee**

COUNTY COURTHOUSE
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Committee Minutes - Draft Minutes

VIRTUAL MEETING - VIEW ONLINE; ENDS NO LATER THAN 1:15 P.M.

Tuesday, November 10, 2020

12:30 PM

Virtual Meeting

COUNCILMEMBERS

Barry Buchanan

Tyler Byrd

Carol Frazey

CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Dana Brown-Davis, C.M.C.

Call To Order

Committee Chair Barry Buchanan called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m. in a virtual meeting.

Roll Call

Present: 3 - Barry Buchanan, Tyler Byrd and Carol Frazey

Absent: None

Also present: Rud Browne and Kathy Kershner

Special Presentation

1. [AB2020-501](#) Presentation and discussion of Public Defense Policies for conflict of Codefendants and Case Weighting Standards for Whatcom County Public Defender's Office

The presenters were not in the meeting and the following people discussed with Councilmembers how to proceed:

- Karen Frakes, Prosecuting Attorney's Office
- Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

Byrd moved that the Presentation be HELD IN COMMITTEE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Buchanan, Byrd and Frazey

Nay: 0

Absent: 0

Items Added by Revision

There were no agenda items added by revision.

Other Business

Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council, discussed with Committee members when the next meeting should begin.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 12:41

ATTEST:

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WA

Dana Brown-Davis, Council Clerk

Barry Buchanan, Committee Chair

Kristi Felbinger, Minutes Transcription