



**Ravenna City Council
Public Health and Safety Committee Meeting Minutes
May 13, 2024**

The public meeting was held in person in City Council Chambers.

Council present: Rob Kairis, Amy Michael, Paul Moskun, Tyler Marovich, Tim Calfee, Christina West, Matt Harper

Also attending the meeting: Mayor Frank Seman; Service Director, Tim Contant; Finance Director, Brian Huff; Assistant Finance Director, Tami Lorence; Council Clerk, Chelsea Gregor; Cliff Soudil, John Sferra, Mike Bogo, Amy Young, Cynthia Miller, Richard Miller, Larry Silenius

The Public Health and Safety Committee Meeting was called to order at 6:35 P.M. by Chairperson, Amy Michael.

The first item was an anonymous \$3,000 donation to the Police Department K-9 Fund.

Ms. Michael stated that the item is a generous donation to the K-9 Fund and no match is required.

- The item was moved forward.

The second item was a contract for the School Resource Officer (SRO).

Ms. Michael asked if anything in the contract had changed, and Ms. Lorence confirmed that the contract had not changed. Ms. Michael stated her concern that an additional officer could be needed and questioned whether there might be funding sources to do so.

Ms. Lorence added that the school district pays 50% of the officer's salary and that the addition of another officer would have to be a discussion with Chief Wallis.

- The item was moved forward.

Management Update

Mayor Seman cautioned everyone to be careful driving throughout the city on Main St. The construction crews are working all day and are grinding the streets at night. He said that the base coat is down in areas and that the final coat will come later.

There being no further business for discussion, the meeting adjourned at 6:40 P.M.

ATTEST:

Clerk of Council

**Amy Michael, Chairperson
Public Health and Safety Committee**