

**Meeting Agenda and Notice**  
**Community Advisory on Public Safety Commission**

**Wednesday, March 27, 2024 at 4:30 pm – 6:00 pm**

**Allison Conference Room (#225), Showers Building, 401 N. Morton Street**

**The public may also access the meeting at the following link:**

<https://bloomington.zoom.us/j/88064525074?pwd=xqME3WyZXzYbv9E42hJ21i7jxcHV.1>

- I. ROLL CALL & INTRODUCTIONS
- II. ELECTION OF SECOND CO-CHAIR
- III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND APPROVAL OF MEMORANDA/MINUTES
  - A. Regular Session Minutes – February 28, 2024
- IV. GUEST SPEAKERS
  - A. Kathleen Sobiech from IU School of Public Health - Practice to answer questions on her students' upcoming class project on CAPS' APS Report
- V. REPORTS (if any)
  - A. Co-Chairs
  - B. Individual Members
  - C. Committees
  - D. Staff
  - E. Public / Public Comment
- VI. *BRIEF RECESS* (may skip without objections)
- VII. OTHER BUSINESS
  - A. Continued Discussion of Ceasefire in Gaza
  - B. Continued Discussion of CAPS Communication Guidelines
- VIII. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Discuss DEI Trainings
  - B. Budget Requests
  - C. Letter to City Legal Department & Committee on Council Processes
- IX. TOPIC SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS
- X. ADJOURNMENT

### CAPS Commission Goals and Purpose:

Perform research and gather data on the perceptions and preferences about public safety from community members, with specific focus on perceptions and preference data gathered from minority community members, individuals who are disabled, and other often marginalized community members

Research evidence-based alternatives to traditional policing

Identify best practices in public safety globally and evaluate the efficacy of such practices for implementation in Bloomington.

Make recommendations to the Common Council, the Board of Public Safety, and/or the Mayor or the Mayor's designee on policies and programs that enhance public safety for all community members.