

**AGENDA**

**DES MOINES CITY COUNCIL  
PUBLIC SAFETY/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
City Council Chambers  
21630 11th Avenue S, Des Moines, Washington  
Thursday, February 2, 2023 - 5:00 PM**

**Public Safety/Emergency Management Committee:**

Deputy Mayor Traci Buxton; Councilmember Vic Pennington; Councilmember Harry Steinmetz

**CALL TO ORDER, DEPUTY MAYOR BUXTON**

**DRAFT WORK PLAN PRESENTATION/DISCUSSION: CHIEF THOMAS**

[2023 PSEM Work Plan](#)

**REDONDO SPEED CAMERA UPDATE: CHIEF THOMAS**

**2022 ACCOMPLISHMENTS: CHIEF THOMAS**

[2022 Accomplishments](#)

**COMMENTS**

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Public Safety/Emergency Management (PSEM)  
2023 Proposed Work Plan

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February	Draft Work Plan Presentation/Discussion Redondo Speed Camera Update 2022 DMPD Accomplishments
March	Body Camera Update 2023 Leadership Retreat Recap IEMC Application – King County
April	Accreditation Update Animal Control CERT Team – Planned activities and Trainings for 2023
May	Flock Update EOC staff Training Update
June	Summer Events GPS/Crisis Response Team Update
July August	
September	Community Crime Safety Update Summer Events Recap September is National Emergency Preparedness Month
October	Recruiting/Hiring Update Great Shake Out – October 19, 2023 at 10:19am
November December	Code Enforcement Update



## **Des Moines Police Department**

### **2022 Accomplishments**

- Created a Crisis Response Unit and hired a specialist
- Contracted with Des Moines Cares to provide Animal Control
- Distributed Monthly Social Media Community Reports
- Implemented Pacific Hwy S business group
- Hired: 5 new officers due to vacancies
- Hired a records specialist due to a vacancy
- Promoted a new Assistant Chief
- Promoted two new Sergeants
- Selected two new Detectives
- Signed an agreement for Flock Cameras (license plate readers)
- Purchased body worn cameras
- Provided increased in person training for Officers
- Recognized 3 community members for outstanding service
- Implemented "Star Witness" Interview Technology
- Directed increased Patrols and Emphasis Patrols on Pacific Hwy South and Redondo
- Purchased 6 new patrol cars
- Increased strategies for recruitment of new Officers