City of Philadelphia

Public Hearing Notice

The Committee on Public Safety of the Council of the City of Philadelphia will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, October 20, 2020, at 9:30 AM, in a remote manner using Microsoft® Teams. This remote hearing may be viewed on Xfinity Channel 64, Fios Channel 40 or http://phlcouncil.com/watch-city-council/, to hear testimony on the following items:

200538 An Ordinance amending Title 10 of The Philadelphia Code to create a new Chapter

10-2500, entitled "Less Lethal Devices," to regulate the use of less lethal devices in

specific situations; all under certain terms and conditions.

200397 Resolution authorizing the City Council Committee on Public Safety to hold hearings to

review the City's response to protests in support of ending systemic racism in policing and of the Black Lives Matter movement, and to provide residents with a forum to share their experiences and make recommendations for safer and non-discriminatory

policing.

Speakers interested in giving testimony on any of these legislative matters must call 215-686-3416, or send an e-mail to samantha.williams@phila.gov by 3 p.m. the day before the hearing and submit the following information:

- Full name
- Callback telephone number where you can be reached
- Identify the bill or resolution number that will be addressed

Speakers who submitted the above information within the required time frame will be telephoned during the public hearing and invited to the remote hearing. They will be given additional instructions by the Committee Chair once they are connected.

Immediately following the public hearing, a meeting of the Committee on Public Safety, open to the public, will be held to consider the action to be taken on the above listed items.

Copies of the foregoing items are available in the Office of the Chief Clerk of the Council, Room 402, City Hall.

Michael A. Decker Chief Clerk