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WASPC GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING

MAY 14, 2026

SPOKANE CONVENTION CENTER

CALL TO ORDER

- Presidential Remarks – President John Nowels
- Approval of Minutes from November 2025 Meeting – President John Nowels (**Approval Needed**)
- Executive Board Elections—Nominating Committee – President John Nowels
 - Vice President (Chief Position)
 - Chief (at-large)
 - Sheriff (at-large)

COMMITTEE REPORTS (Approval Required)

- Boating Safety (Chief Dave Floyd and Sheriff Rick Felici)
- Corrections (Sheriff Joe Kriete, and Director Devon Schrum)
- Financial Services and Personnel (Chief Damon Simmons)
- Homeland Security / Intelligence (Chief Doug Newman and Sheriff John Nowels)
- Indian Country Law Enforcement (Chief Mark Williams and Chief Paul Budrow)
- Legislative (Chief Erik Scairpon and Sheriff Mark Crider)
- Membership (Chief Rick Johnson and Sheriff Ray Maycumber)
- Independent Investigation Team - OII/IIT (Adhoc)
- Professional Services (Chief Matt Brown and Sheriff Joe Kriete)
- Public Trust (Chief Tavier Wasser and Sheriff Summer Scheyer)
- Small Agency (Chief Matt Brown and Sheriff Joe Helm)
- Technology (Sheriff Brian King and Chief Dustin Soptich)
- Traffic Safety (Chief Shawn Boyle and Sheriff Drew Hyer)
- University Policing (Chief Katy Potts)
- WADEPs (Adhoc)
- Wellness & Resilience Committee (Chief Ken Seuberlich and Sheriff Patti Cole-Tindall)

LIAISON REPORTS

- Explorers | Mike Ellis, WLEEA President
- LEIRA | Rebecca Hendrickson, President
- Blue Bridge Alliance | Brian Spracklen, Co-Founder and CEO
- Sex Offender Notification | Sheriff Manke & Sheriff Myers
- Law Enforcement Peer Support Team | Andy McCurdy

BUSINESS

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UPDATE/CLOSING – Steve Strachan

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