

**Subject: Body Worn Camera (BWC) Audit**

<b>Meeting Date:</b> February 9, 2026	
<b>Submitted/Presented by/Department:</b> Brian Sturgeon, Chief of Police	
<b>Action Type</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent Item	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion/Direction
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Informational Only
<input type="checkbox"/> Action/Motion	<input type="checkbox"/> Report
<input type="checkbox"/> Resolution	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:
<b>Action</b>	
No action is required.	
<b>Background</b>	
<p>The State of Minnesota requires agencies that have a BWC program to have an independent audit of the use of BWC to ensure compliance of Minn. Stat. § 13.825 and Minn. Stat. § 626.8473. The results of the audit are required to be provided to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Legislative Commission on Data Practices</li> <li>- Ranking and Minority leaders of the House and Senate Public Safety committees</li> <li>- West St. Paul City Council</li> </ul> <p>Minnesota Security Consortium was once again contracted to conduct the latest audit of the BWC program. Based on the audit, it was determined that the West St. Paul Police Department is in compliance and no issues were found.</p> <p>The attached report is for your information and provided pursuant to state requirements.</p>	
<b>Attachments</b>	
2025 Executive Summary Report on the biennial BWC Audit.	
<b>Previous Relevant Actions</b>	
Council is provided with findings of these audits every two years.	
<b>Alternatives</b>	
N/A	
<b>Financial</b>	
Budgeted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No Financial Impact
Fund:	
Department:	
Account:	
Amount:	