



CITY OF ANN ARBOR

Human Rights Commission

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Date: October 10, 2012

Time In: 7:11 PM

Time Out: 8:50 PM

Location: Council Workroom

Committee Members Present:

Leslie Stambaugh, Chair

Linda Winkler

Victor Turner

Eleanore Adenekan

Commission Members Absent:

André Wilson

Neal Elyakin

Mohamad Issa

Also Present Were:

William Leaf, Proposed Video Surveillance Ordinance

Christopher Baker, Proposed Video Surveillance Ordinance

Michael J. Steinberg, Legal Director, ACLU of Michigan

I – Call to Order

Chairperson Leslie Stambaugh called the meeting to order and Amy Seavitt recorded the minutes for members' information. A quorum of Commission members was present, and the meeting, having been duly convened, was ready to proceed with business.

II – Opening

- Roll call for the meetings' minutes
- Public comments – None
- Changes to and approval of agenda
 - L. Winkler moved to approve the current agenda, seconded by V. Turner.

III – Matters Discussed – Old Business

- **Approval of the September Meeting Minutes** – E. Adenekan motioned, seconded by V. Turner, that the Meeting Minutes be approved as presented. Motion carries.
- **The Video Privacy Ordinance Proposal** – William Leaf updated the Commission on the progress made with the proposal. Michael Steinberg, the legal director of ACLU Michigan, gave his thoughts regarding the ordinance and there was discussion about what could be accomplished at the meeting scheduled with Police Chief John Seto, Sumedh Bahl, Will Leaf, and Leslie Stambaugh. Stambaugh agreed to poll the missing Commissioners on their thoughts prior to that meeting.
- **Non-Discrimination Ordinance and Training** – Commissioner Winkler updated with the progress made on the Non-Discrimination Ordinance. The subcommittee will talk with Robyn Wilkerson, Director of HR and Labor Relations, for further discussion.
- **Training Subcommittee** – No new updates.
- **Race Project** – The Commission recapped the Race Project and will again offer their help.
- **Community Response** – The Community Response group is scheduled to meet next on October 17. John Seto, Ann Arbor's Chief of Police, has offered to host the meeting and to give the group a tour of the police facilities. Leslie Stambaugh announced that our newest member will help us better learn about and represent Ann Arbor's Sikh community.

IV – Matters Discussed – New Business

- **Bullying Forum in Saline** – Commissioner N. Elyakin was not present to provide update on this topic.

- **Additional Interns/Helpers** – The Commission discussed how the posting is still up on the University of Michigan’s Law School website and additional applications have come in.
- **Bylaws** – Chairperson Stambaugh informed the Commission about recent communication with Christopher Frost, Assistant City Attorney. Frost will be revising the bylaws of all City boards and commissions. Chairperson Stambaugh will bring the draft of the bylaws for review once completed.

V – Agenda Building for Next Meeting

VI – Announcements

VII – Adjournment – at 8:50 PM, L. Winkler motioned to adjourn the meeting. V. Turner seconded it. Meeting adjourned.