



City of Ann Arbor

Meeting Minutes - Final

Human Rights Commission

301 E. Huron St.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
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Wednesday, January 10, 2024

7:00 PM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St,
Basement, conference room

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CALL TO ORDER

L. Stambaugh called the meeting to order at 7:01 P.M.

ROLL CALL

Present 8 - Chair Leslie Krauz Stambaugh, Linda Winkler, Pamela Meadows, Judah Garber, Brandon Bond, Ayesha Ghazi Edwin, Linh Song, and Vanesa Hernandez-Jackson

Absent 2 - Keta Jeon Cowan, and Sarah Peitzmeier

PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minutes per speaker)

Members of the public addressed comments and questions to the commission.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Meadows, seconded by Winkler that the agenda be Approved as presented. On a voice vote, the Commission declared the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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A motion was made by Meadows, seconded by Winkler, that the Minutes be Approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council and should be returned by 01/22/2024. On a voice vote, the Commission declared the motion carried.

INTERNAL BUSINESS**Follow Up on Outside Group Work**

City Council Updates - CM Ghazi Edwin & CM Song: CM Song reported that City Council is working on reissuing the unarmed crisis response RFP. The unarmed crisis response effort has not been cancelled. More information and details are to come

Facial Recognition - CM Song: CM Song reported that the research and review of the facial recognition software is still being conducted. A meeting will be held at the end of this month to discuss the facial-recognition ordinance ban. More information and details are to come.

Ban the Box - CM Ghazi Edwin: CM Ghazi Edwin reported that the final new Non-Discrimination Ordinance Ban the Box requirement for city contractors will be presented to City Council at the first January Council meeting. More information and details are to come.

Follow Up on Ongoing HRC Work

School of Social Work Partnership - L. Stambaugh: L. Stambaugh reported that student groups from the University of Michigan School of Social Work conducted research last semester from a list of issues provided by the Ann Arbor Human Rights Commission. The results of their research will be added to the HRC library once it is created. More information and details are to come.

HRC Reference Library - L. Stambaugh: L. Stambaugh discussed that the Human Rights Commission should have a useful reference library. Commissioners shared their input on how to create such a library. More information and details are to come. More information and details are to come.

Commissioner Open Position Update - L. Stambaugh: L. Stambaugh reported that the commission has received several new applications; they are under review. More information and details are to come

Complaints – J. Garber: J. Garber reported the commission received three new complaints in the new year. There are two outstanding complaints in progress and two additional complaints in review.

HRC Strategic Planning Effort - L. Stambaugh: L. Stambaugh reported that the HRC Strategic Planning meeting will be held in March. More details and information to come.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

School of Social Work Presentation

Students from the University of Michigan School of Social Work presented their Unarmed Crisis Response Group Presentation to the Human Rights Commission. Commissioners then engaged in a dialogue with the student presenters about their work.

OLD BUSINESS

Trespass Follow-up

L. Winkler and P. Meadows reported that a meeting was held with Interim Police Chief Patrick Maguire regarding the work on revising the Trespass Notice that the HRC did with input from ICPOC. The new Trespass Notice reflects policy changes that make being "read trespass" easier to understand and more reasonable. The new notice is now live and being implemented by the AAPD.

NEW BUSINESS

None

COMMUNICATIONS

None

ADJOURNMENT

Garber moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Bond. The meeting was adjourned at 8:42 P.M.

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