

City of Ann Arbor Meeting Minutes - Final Human Rights Commission

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Wednesday, April 9, 2025

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 7:04 P.M.

ROLL CALL

Present 9 - Chair Leslie Krauz Stambaugh, Linda Winkler, Pamela Meadows, Keta Jeon Cowan, Brandon Bond, Ayesha Ghazi Edwin, Chris Watson, Rebecca Noell, and Hannah Lane

Absent 2 - Judah Garber, and Vanesa Hernandez-Jackson

PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minutes per speaker)

None.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

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

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

25-0625 Human Rights Commission Minutes - March 12, 2025

A motion was made by Winkler seconded by Noell, that the Minutes be Approved as presented by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council and should be returned by 4/18/2025. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried

INTERNAL BUSINESS

Follow Up on Outside Group Work

City Council Updates: CM Watson reported that city council is still reviewing the unarmed response program with the City Administrator. More information and details to come. CM Watson also reported that city council is starting budget season in the next months and discussed the city's comprehensive use plan and opportunities for the public to comment on the land use plan. Commissioners provided their thoughts and feedback on the unarmed response program and the land use plan.

Follow Up on Ongoing HRC Work

None

OLD BUSINESS

Commission Business Cards: The commission discussed ideas for a new commission business card. Commissioners discussed different ideas for the business card layout and provided feedback on its content. More information and details to come.

NEW BUSINESS

TWO ISSUES AND THEIR IMPACT IN ANN ARBOR - Social Work Student Presentations: Social Work students from the University of Michigan shared presentations about human rights topics including unarmed crisis response and food insecurity in the Ann Arbor community. Students answered questions from commissioners and intermittent discussion occurred.

COMMISSION COMMUNICATIONS

None

ADJOURNMENT

Winkler moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Bond. The meeting was adjourned at 8:56 P.M.

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