

City of Ann Arbor Meeting Minutes - Draft Human Rights Commission

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Wednesday, May 11, 2022

7:00 PM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St., Council Chambers

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CALL TO ORDER

J. Garber called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present 6 - Pamela Dent (Meadows), Travis Radina, Elizabeth Nelson, Judah Garber, Diana Cass, and Aidan Sova

Absent 5 - Chair Leslie Krauz Stambaugh, Linda Winkler, Dilip Das, Keta Jeon Cowan, and Ayesha Ghazi

PUBLIC COMMENT

Teacher Barton Libby Hunter

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

This agenda item was not considered because the meeting lacked a quorum.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

INTERNAL BUSINESS

Follow Up on Outside Group Work

The following was discussed but no decisions were made without a quorum:

City Council: CM E. Nelson reported the amendments to the Non-Discrimination Ordinance passed at their last City Council meeting. Facial Recognition: CM T. Radina reported the committee is still waiting to hear from the City Attorney's office.

Follow Up on Ongoing HRC Work

The following was discussed but no decisions were made without a quorum:

Community Outreach: D. Cass discussed outreach in the schools. Currently the partnership application has been completed. The commission will need to create a presentation.

Conversion Therapy Logistics: D. Cass is still waiting to hear from Neutral Zone.

Complaints: There is one complaint pending before the commission. A"source of income" discrimination complaint was also received and resolved this month.

Trespass Status of Discussion: J. Garber reported the HRC-ICPOC working group met over zoom with AAPD and the Deputy City Attorney to review and discuss recommendations it made regarding the enforcement of the trespass. Discussion focused on Trespass policies and procedures and the form that is used when Trespass is "read". They plan to meet again. No date has been set.

OLD BUSINESS

HRC Proposed Resolution in Support of ICPOC's Regarding an Unarmed Public Safety Response Program

Commission, not having a quorum, will table the Resolution until June meeting.

22-0877 HRC Resolution in Support of ICPOC Unarmed Response Program

NEW BUSINESS

Proposed Partnership with School of Social Work

L. Stambaugh discussed a proposed partnership between the HRC and two classes at the University of Michigan School of Social Work, similar to one that was formed in 2021. All in attendance remarked that such a partnership would again bring value to the City, the students, and the HRC.

COMMISSIONER COMMUNICATIONS

Dilip Das has accepted a position with the University of Toledo as its Vice President for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and, to undertake that challenge, is planning to resign from the HRC.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment.

ADJOURNMENT

J. Garber adjourned the meeting at 7:28 p.m.

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