# CITY OF RIVERSIDE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

Thursday, October 15, 2015 6:00 PM City Hall-Mayor's Ceremonial Room Agenda Minutes

The regular meeting of the HRC was held on Thursday, October 15, 2015, at 6 p.m. in City Hall located at 3900 Main Street, Riverside, CA 92522

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:	Chair, Pamela D. Brown, Vice Chair, Jonathan D. Armstead Kim Foreman Champagne Ford Ibrahim Massoud Gabriel Maldonado Tanya Humphrey Monir Ahmed Monrow Mabon Kristina Zaragoza Mawousse Imaku Jacqueline McNulty
EXCUSED ABSENCES:	James Rush Juan Lopez
UNEXCUSED ABSENCES:	Audrey Lieb
GUESTS PRESENT:	Carole Zuluoaga
STAFF PRESENT:	Joshua Maher Monique Gordon Cindie Perry

**CALL TO ORDER:** 6:02

### **SELF INTRODUCTIONS**

1. Public comment: none in attendance

# **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM April 16, 2015**

-Change Date: Currently states June 16, should say July 18 Motioned by Gabe, seconded approved with corrections

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

- -Title IV Non Discrimination Policy presentation delivered by General Services Staff
  - -Question on slide regarding covered classifications
  - -Staff will ensure Policy is aligned with Title IV
- -Chief Sergio Diaz
  - -Presentation on Police relations and the intergroup relations
  - -Police relations are very good in relation to many other cities
- -many positive steps have been taken as a result of Tyesha Miller tragedy like formation of CPRC
  - -Intergroup Relations
- -largely are good with the exception of violence on Eastside between Hispanic and African American individuals
  - -ERC was supported by Police Foundation and is a viable group
- -Ongoing threat assessment for threats against religious institutions and higher education institutions
- -Chief responded to several questions from commissioners

#### **DISCUSSION AND ACTION CALENDAR**

- 5. Riverside Metropolitan Museum Request for sponsors
- -Day of Inclusion: Carole Zuluoaga
- -Request for sponsorship amount \$500
- -Mo recommends going on record of supporting and also sponsoring the event
- 6. Goals Moving Forward: Chair Brown
- -Have accomplished: Goal of Education commissioners
  - -Input into City policies: title VI
  - -Visibility to Community is in progress
- -Motion that a handbook be book together to orient new commissions
- 1. Mabon 2. Gabe proposes an amendment that a mentor be assigned
- 7. Action Items related to inclusivity
  - 1. Education
  - 2. Capitalize on existing events
  - 3. Present Inclusivity Statements to schools
  - 4. Present Inclusivity statement to Chambers
- -Discussion on creating a task force including members of HRC and Multicultural Forum
- -Kim motions that a taskforce be created including 3 HRC members and 3 multicultural members; seconded
- 8. Commissioners will review Ethic and Conduct Guide
- 9. Ad-Hoc
- a. Heroes Event
  - -12 heroes nominated
  - -Mo Moves that commission adopt and accept nominees as submitted
- b. Diversity Scholarship
- -Mo and Pam selected top 9, Mayor has list down to 5. Remaining 5 will be selected by commission
- c. Foundation
  - -Mo provides compliments to Gabe for all documents to be in order

- -First meeting will happen very soon
- d. LGBT
  - -January 23 will be a conference focusing on youth
- e. 50th anniversary
  - -To take place Oct 2016
  - -To include commissioners for the past
- f. Complaint
- 10. Website Review
- -Will be a part of Mayor's website revisions
- 11. Promotional Items:
- -Kim introduced potential for an interactive game during tabling events
- -Kim moves to purchase a roulette wheel to use for HRC related questions
- 12./ Commissioner handbook will be developed

## **OTHER MATTERS**

- 13. Commissioner updates:
- -Jaqueline: attended event discussion
- 14. Staff Update:
- -Multicultural Inclusivity Award: Call for nominations
- 15. Items for future agenda: none

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Adjourned at 8:06

The next Human Relations Commissions Meeting is scheduled for November 19, 2015