



Human Relations Commission

DATE: 9/24/2020 TIME: 6:00-7:02
LOCATION: ART PICK COUNCIL CHAMBERS

ATTENDANCE:

COMMISSIONERS

Present

L. Scoggins	J. Wright	K. Barth	J. Rooths	A. Ayra
A. Davis	M. Ahmed	V. Stancil	M. Mabon	J. Armster

Absent

A. Imaku	E. Bennet	J. McNulty	R. Kanatzar	

GUESTS PRESENT

Xavier Sanchez- Staff				

CALLED TO ORDER WITHOUT QUARUM: 6:01 – By Chair Ahmed
QUARUM MET: 6:02

1. Public Comment Period:
No Public Comment

DISCUSSION AND ACTION CALENDAR:

2. Commissioner Mabon moved to approve Minutes for September 2020 Human Relations Commission Meeting with the correction of Commissioner Aram’s presence. 2nd by Commissioner Barth.
Motion passed unanimously.
3. Commissioner Barth moved to approve Commissioner Imaku’s excused absence.
Commissioner Mabon 2nd.
Motion passed unanimously.



4. Commissioner Barth moved to approve Commissioner Armster's excused absence. Commissioner Mabon 2nd.
Motion passed unanimously.
5. Commissioner Stancil moved to approve Commissioner Scoggins' excused absence. Commissioner Mabon 2nd.
Motion passed unanimously.
6. Commissioner Ayra moved to form the Amplify Free Speech Program Subcommittee comprised by Commissioners Ayra, Davis, Armster, and Mabon. Commissioner Stancil 2nd.
Motion passed unanimously.
7. Commissioner Ayra moved to withdraw the formation of the census ad hoc committee. Commissioner Davis 2nd.
Motion passed unanimously.

COMMUNICATIONS:

8. Staff Update:
Review and submit input for the 2025 strategic plan.

Chief Gonzalez will update the Commission on community engagement and officer involved shooting protocol at the October meeting.

Brandi Becker will discuss the Human Relations Commission vision statement and how the City council can help the Commission complete their goals at an upcoming meeting.
9. Commissioner Updates: Commissioners provided updates on meetings and events that they attended in relation to their status as commissioners.
10. Items for future agendas:
Commissioner Davis would like to update the commission on past Human Relations Commission actions. He will also present on what the Human Relations can and can't do as well as review the City charter. Commissioner Davis will also bring forth item to support neighborhood associations.

Commissioner Mabon and Rooths would like to invite previous Human Relations Commissioner Shawnie Beeman.

Commissioner Rooths will bring forth an item to review and update the Human Relations Commission mission. She will also bring a recommendation to HRC to submit a recommendation to the City Council to have oversight of the public health crisis



declaration. Commissioner Rooths would also like to promote antiracist groups on the City of Riverside Human Relations website. Lastly, Commissioner Rooths directed staff to follow up on the request of City Council to conduct a public health survey.

Commissioner Ayra would like to request oversight over the public health survey requested by the City council.

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 7:02