



DESIGN COMMISSION
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2010, 5:45PM-10:00PM
AUSTIN CITY HALL, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ROOM 1101
301 W. SECOND STREET, AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

Current Commission Members

_____ Bart Whatley (BW) – Chair	_____ Richard Weiss (RW)
_____ James Shieh (JS) – Vice Chair	_____ Juan E. Cotera (JC)
_____ David Knoll (DK)– Secretary	_____ Jeannie Wiginton (JW)
_____ Jorge E. Rousselin (COA - PDRD) Staff Liaison	

AGENDA

	Approx. Time
CALL TO ORDER	5:45 PM
1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL The first five speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.	5:45 PM
2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Discussion and Possible Action) a. Discussion and action on the October 25, 2010 Design Commission regular meeting minutes.	6:00 PM
3. NEW BUSINESS (Discussion and Possible Action) a. Discussion and action on the YMCA North Austin Recreation Center conceptual submittal. (Robert Byrnes, Studio 8 Architects); b. Discussion and action on the City Code Open Space Amendments (George Zapalac, COA-PDRD); c. Discussion and action on alternate meeting day for the December Design Commission meeting.	6:10 PM
4. OLD BUSINESS (Discussion and Possible Action) a. Discussion and action on Staff memo addressing Council resolution No. 20100819-035 regarding the creation of recommendations for design guidelines for infrastructure projects commissioned by the City of Austin, including Austin Energy, the Austin Water Utility, and other city-owned enterprises and departments.	7:30 PM

5. COMMITTEE AND TASK FORCE REPORTS (Discussion and Possible Action) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Standing Committees Reports; b. Special Committees Reports; c. Policy Task Force Reports; d. Liaison Reports. e. Appointment of Committee/Taskforce members by Chair 	7:45 PM
6. STAFF BRIEFINGS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Project updates – Downtown Austin Plan Update. (Jorge E. Rousselin, COA-PDRD); 	7:50 PM
7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Courtesy briefing on the One Hotel at 5th Street and Colorado Street. b. Asian American Cultural Center 	8:00 PM
8. ANNOUNCEMENTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Chair Announcements; b. Items from Commission Members; c. Items from City Staff. 	8:05 PM
ADJOURNMENT	8:15 PM

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Design Commission Committees, Task Forces, and Liaisons

Standing Committees

1. Bylaws/Policies & Procedures Committee: Wiginton (Chair), Cotera, Whatley
2. Executive Committee: Whatley (Chair), Shieh, Knoll, Weiss
3. Urban Design Guidelines Committee: Cotera (Chair), Shieh, Weiss
4. Urban Open Space Committee: Whatley, Knoll

Special Committee

5. Nomination Committee: Weiss (Chair), Cotera

Task Forces

6. Comprehensive Plan Taskforce: Knoll(Chair), Weiss, Whatley
7. Central Library Project Review Taskforce: Knoll, Shieh
8. Density Bonus Task Force: Wiginton, Shieh
9. Non-Urban Project Review Taskforce: Shieh (Chair), Cotera, Whatley

Design Commission Liaisons

- Afford. Housing Liaison: Wiginton
- Downtown Comm. Liaison / Downtown Austin Plan: Weiss
- South Congress Proj. Liaison: Knoll
- TOD Liaison: Shieh
- East Riverside Master Plan: Shieh
- Airport Boulevard Form-Based Code Initiative: Whatley