



HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

AGENDA

Monday, March 24, 2014

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm in City Hall Council Chambers

6:30 pm - 8:00 pm in Room 1027

(Both portions of the meeting are open to the public.)

301 West Second Street

Austin, TX 78701

CURRENT COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Paul Rhea, Chair

Jonathan Luu, Vice-Chair

Elizabeth Brenner

Sara Clark

Judy Cortez

Will Krueger

DeWayne Lofton

CALL TO ORDER

1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION

Citizens 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.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Consider approval of the minutes from the Human Rights Commission's February 24, 2013 regular meeting.

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

4. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Approval of the 2013 Human Rights Commission Annual Report.

5. NEW BUSINESS

For discussion and possible action:

- a. Presentation from Nelson Linder, President of the Austin NAACP, regarding the 2013 City of Austin Economic Development report: Generating Jobs, Tax Revenues and Investments.

- b. Presentation from Dolores Gonzalez, liaison to the City of Austin Mayor's Committee for People With Disabilities, and Manager, Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) Office, about the disabled community.

6. STATUS OF GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

Commissioners will report on and discuss:

- a. The status of the Commission's goals and objectives for 2014.
- b. Plans and strategies for meeting those goals and objectives.

7. STAFF BRIEFINGS

Items of interest to the Commission from the EE/FHO and other city staff.

- a. Update on discrimination case statistics.
- b. Update on mail issue.

8. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Commissioners propose agenda items for future meetings.

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