



**LGBTQ Quality of Life Advisory Commission
MINUTES**

**REGULAR MEETING
Monday, September 17, 2018**

The LGBTQ Quality of Life Advisory Commission convened in a regular meeting on Monday, September 17, 2018, in City Hall Room 2005, 301 West Second Street, in Austin, Texas.

Chair Victor Martinez called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

Members in Attendance:

Martinez, Azhar, Baeza, Curette, Curry, Daniels, Gonzales, Hines, Wollerson

Staff in Attendance: Staff Liaison Neal Falgoust, Executive Liaison Sara Hensley

1. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

Candace Aylor addressed the commission concerning the use of an Austin Independent School District facility by a church that opposes marriage equality.

Clayton Gibson of QWELL Community Foundation addressed the commission concerning a wellbeing survey.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – The meeting minutes of August 20, 2018, were approved unanimously on a 9-0 vote.

3. NEW BUSINESS

a. City Manager Spencer Cronk briefed the commission on the City's realignment of executive staff to reflect the City Council's strategic outcomes. He asked commission members to solicit and provide feedback concerning the hiring of assistant city managers.

b. The commission members discussed the use of City facilities by members of the public and reviewed building use policies for City Hall, libraries, and the Austin Convention Center.

c. The commission members discussed next steps for implementing a strategic plan and determining priorities for an LGBTQ community census.

d. The commission members discussed the appointment of a community stakeholder to fill the vacant at-large position. Commission members discussed appointing someone with a legal or strategic planning background.

e. Commissioner Azhar discussed developments concerning Fair Housing initiatives.

4. ADJOURN

Chair Martinez adjourned the meeting at 8:20 p.m. without objection.