



**SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
DOWNTOWN COMMISSION**

**MAY 25, 2023, TIME: 5:30 p.m.**

Austin City Hall, Boards and Commission, Room 1101

301 W 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Austin, Texas 78701

Some members of the Downtown Commission may be participating by videoconference.

The meeting may be viewed online at:

<http://www.austintexas.gov/page/watch-atxn-live>

Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely via telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in-person or remotely and will be allowed up to three minutes to provide their comments. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation by telephone. To register, please contact [aaron.jenkins@austintexas.gov](mailto:aaron.jenkins@austintexas.gov) or (512) 974-7756.

**CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS:**

August Harris (*Chair*)

*Vacant (Music Commission)*

Jen Weaver (*District 1*)

*Vacant (Parks & Recreation Board)*

Preston Reine (*District 2*)

*Vacant (Public Safety Commission)*

Liz Coufal (*District 3*)

*Vacant (Urban Transportation)*

Ralph E. Ishmael, Jr. (*District 4*)

Amy Mok (*Arts Commission*)

Darilynn Cardona-Beiler (*District 5*)

*Vacant (Design Commission)*

Mike Lavigne (*District 7*)

*Vacant (Historic Landmark Commission)*

Joshua R. Lickteig (*District 8*)

Kimberly Levinson (*District 9*)

Sania D. Shifferd (*Mayor*)

*District 6 (Vacant)*

**AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The first ten 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.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Approve the minutes of the Downtown Commission March 15, 2023 meeting.

## **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

2. Presentation on Large Events/Mass Casualty Preparedness to be given by Lt. Chris Juusola of the Austin Police Department (APD), [Kevin Parker](#) of Emergency Medical Services (EMS), William Manno of Austin Center for Events, and [Tom Vocke](#) of the Austin Fire Department (AFD).
3. Downtown Commission Election of Officers
4. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Public Safety Commission
5. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Arts Commission
6. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Historic Landmark Commission
7. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Music Commission
8. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Parks & Recreation Board
9. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Urban Design Commission
10. Discussion of recent activities and actions taken by the Urban Transportation Commission

## **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

### **ADJOURNMENT**

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