

MEETING AGENDA



**REGULAR MEETING of the
ASIAN AMERICAN QUALITY OF LIFE ADVISORY COMMISSION
NOVEMBER 14th, 2023, at 6:00pm (CST)
CITY HALL, BOARDS & COMMISSIONS RM #1101
301 W 2ND ST, AUSTIN, TX 78701
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This meeting is being held in a hybrid format, with both in-person and online virtual participation via WebEx. Some members of the Commission may be participating by videoconference. Public comment will be allowed in-person or via telephone. Remote speakers must register in advance (November 13th by 12pm-Noon). All public comments will occur at the beginning of the meeting and public speakers will be allowed up to three minutes to provide their comments. To speak or attend remotely, residents must contact the Equity Office's Community Services Program Coordinator, Alejandra Mireles, no later than 12pm-noon on Monday, November 13th, 2023. Please telephone call & leave a voicemail at (512) 974-8045 or email alejandra.mireles@austintexas.gov. The information required is the speaker's name, the item number(s) they wish to speak on, whether they are for/against/neutral, email address, and telephone number (must be the same number that will be used to call into the meeting).

BOARD MEMBERS:

District	Commissioner	District	Commissioner
1	VACANT	9	Sabrina Sha
2	Seonhye "Sonny" Sin	10	Satyajeet Dodia
3	Kuo Yang	Mayor	Hanna Huang (Chair)
4	Lily Trieu	At-Large	Padmini Jambulapati
5	Nayer Sikder	At-Large	Pierre Nguyen
6	Fang Fang	At-Large	Zahra Shakur Jamal-Hassan
7	Anna Lan	At-Large	Sarah Chen (Vice-Chair)

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8	Mohsin Lari		
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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. Discussion and possible action to approve the minutes of the COMMISSION's REGULAR MEETING on OCTOBER 17th, 2023.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Discussion on updates from Jodi Schrobilgen, from the Hope Clinic.
3. Discussion on JIC budget workshops: October 24th and November 4th.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

4. Discussion and possible action on appointing a primary and alternate representative to the Joint Inclusion Committee.
5. Review and discuss the scope of all current working groups and possible action to update membership.
6. Discussion on a Draft Recommendation from the Hispanic/Latino Quality-of-Life Resource Advisory Commission regarding city executive leadership vacancies and hiring of those positions, for possible action on writing a similar Asian American Quality-of-Life Advisory Commission recommendation.
7. Discussion and possible action for scheduling a strategic Asian American Quality-of-Life Advisory Commission planning meeting(s) at the end of 2023 and/or in the beginning of 2024, January/February.

WORKING GROUP/COMMITTEE UPDATES

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8. Budget Workgroup (*Commissioners Sarah Chen, Hanna Huang, Sabrina Sha, Mohsin Lari & Sonny Sin*) – Updates on the FY25 Budget Recommendation Process.
9. Community Stakeholder Workgroup (*Commissioners Fang Fang, Sabrina Sha, & Mohsin Lari*) – Updates on commissioner vacancies and discussion on the marketing strategy to solicit applications to fill stakeholder vacancies.
10. Asian American Resource Center (AARC) Workgroup (*Commissioners Hanna Huang, Kuo Yang, Lily Trieu, Anna Lan, Satyajeet Dodia, Pierre Nguyen, Kirk Yoshida & Vincent Cobalis*) – Updates & discussion on Phase II, staffing & budget, friends of AARC group development.
11. Public Health & Safety Workgroup (*Commissioners Lily Trieu, Kuo Yang, Pierre Nguyen, and Zahra Shakur Jamal-Hassan*).
12. Joint Inclusion Committee (*Commissioners Hanna Huang, Nayer Sikder, & Sonny Sin*) – General update and discussion on the coalition building work of the JIC.

WORKING GROUP RECOMMENDATIONS

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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For more information on the **Asian American Quality-of-Life Advisory Commission**, please contact Alejandra Mireles at (512) 974-8045 or (preferably) via email at alejandra.mireles@austintexas.gov.