



**REGULAR MEETING OF THE
2024 CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSION
Thursday February 29, 2024, at 5:30 P.M.
Austin City Hall, Boards & Commissions Rm
301 W 2nd St
AUSTIN, TEXAS**

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 to speak remotely, please call Myrna Rios, (512) 974-2210, 2024 or email your request to myrna.rios@austintexas.gov.

CURRENT COMMISSIONERS:

Jessica Palvino, Chair
Ryan Botkin
Cynthia Van Maanen
Julio Altamirano
Randy Ortega
Betsy Greenberg

Alejandro Garcia, Vice Chair
JC Dwyer
Brian McGiverin
Michael O Cowles
Megan Lasch

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first 10 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 2024 Charter Review Commission regular meeting of February 15, 2024.

STAFF BRIEFINGS

2. Law Department briefing regarding staff proposed charter revisions.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

3. Discussion and possible action on the City Attorney Working Group initial recommendation report. (Chair Palvino, Commissioners Garcia and McGiverin)

4. Discussion and possible action on the Initiative/Charter/Referendum Mechanics Work Groups initial recommendation on proposition lettering. (Commissioners Altamirano, Botkin, and Ortega)
5. Discussion and possible action on the Petition Process Working Groups initial recommendation report on revisions to the petition process. (Commissioners Cowles, Dwyer, and McGiverin)
6. Discussion and possible action on Recall Petitions Work Group recommendations. (Commissioner Van Maanen)
7. Discussion and possible action regarding community engagement of the Charter Review process from the Outreach Work Group.
8. Discussion and possible action on the review and finalization of the draft report to Council.
9. Discussion and possible action of future meetings and meeting location.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

10. The Commission may discuss and identify future agenda items, topics, or presentations.

ADJOURNMENT

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