REGULAR MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC PROSPERITY COMMISSION
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2026, 6:30 PM
AUSTIN CITY HALL, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ROOM, #1101
301 WEST 2ND STREET
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

Some members of the Economic Prosperity 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 to speak remotely, contact Chelsea Pfeifer at chelsea.pfeifer@austintexas.gov or 512-974-2498.

CURRENT COMMISSIONERS:

Commissioner	***Appointment***	***Commissioner***	***Appointment***
VACANT	District 1	Zain Pleuthner	District 7
Ofelia Zapata	District 2	VACANT	District 8
Raquel Valdez Sanchez	District 3	Aaron Gonzales (Chair)	District 9
VACANT	District 4	Aditi Joshi	District 10
Kevin Roberts	District 5	Jake Randall (Vice Chair)	Mayor
Shakeel Rashed	District 6		

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 Economic Prosperity Commission regular meeting on September 16, 2026 and October 21, 2026.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Discussion regarding the possible formation of a working group focused on identifying new policy opportunities after recent elections.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

3. Approve a recommendation to Council regarding improving permitting processes for restaurants.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

The City of Austin is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable modifications and equal access to communications will be provided upon request. For assistance, please contact the Liaison or TTY users' route through 711. A person may request language access accommodations no later than 48 hours before the scheduled meeting. Please call or email Chelsea Pfeifer at the Austin City Clerk's Office, at 512-974-2498 or chelsea.pfeifer@austintexas.gov to request service or for additional information.

For more information on the Economic Prosperity Commission please contact Chelsea Pfeifer at 512-974-2498 or chelsea.pfeifer@austintexas.gov.