



### Human Relations Commission Meeting Minutes September 6, 2023

**Meeting started at 6:08 p.m.**

**Location:** Central Recreation Center

**Roll Call:**

- **Present:** Chair Wiles, Commissioners Kelley, Hodges, Rodriguez, Mitchell, Truong, Mehdi
- **Absent:** Commissioners, Grabinski, Futrell, Hodges

**Quorum:** Yes

**City of Aurora staff (DEI division):** Sara Valencich, DEI Officer, Natasha Campbell, DEI Project Coordinator

**Minutes:** Minutes from August 2, 2023, were approved

**Public Invited to Speak:**

**Guest/Presenter:**

Agenda Item	Minutes	Action Items & Responsible Person
Chair Report: Chair Wiles	<p>Chair Wiles will provide information on options for ACLU and/or DOJ presentations on civil rights presentations at the next meeting The Commission discussed a location for the event</p> <p>Chair Wiles said she interviewed with a potential commissioner and suggested someone else meet with him before taking it up for a vote</p> <p>Vice Chair Futrell will give an update on his skate project next month</p> <p>Chair Wiles gave an update on Community Advisory Council</p> <p>New Commissioner De Andra Sharp introduced herself Chair Wiles discussed meeting rooms for next year and the planning meeting for next year.</p> <p>Chair Wiles requested to buy more t-shirt for the commissioners</p>	Chair Wiles will provide a follow-up to the ACLU-Know Your Rights training via email.
Town Hall Ward Meeting	N/A	NA



Public Invited to be heard	None	NA
Manager's Report: Sara Valencich	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jordan Clark of Iron Sharp gave an update on holiday dinners coming up in December. He also asked for a location for the APS dinner</li> <li>Dulce Meraz Godoy gave an update on Santa in the Park which will be 12/2/23. She asked if the Commission could support the event</li> <li>S. Valencich asked for volunteers for the Multicultural Festival on 9/16/23</li> </ul>	S. Mehdi, B. Kelley, N. Rodriguez will volunteer for the Multicultural Festival
Legal Precedence Case Updates: Paul Henrion	Paul Henrion gave an update on recent EEOC cases	NA
Committee Report:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Executive committee:</b> no report</li> <li><b>Administrative/Legislative action:</b> no report</li> <li><b>Marketing committee:</b> no report</li> <li><b>Outreach and education:</b> no report due</li> </ul>	NA
New Business:	None	NA
Items of Discussion:	None	NA
Commissioner City Council Reports:	None	NA

**Meeting Adjournment:** Meeting ended at 7:30 pm

**Upcoming HRC meetings:** October 4 in person at Central Recreation Center.

**Minutes transcribed by:** Natasha Campbell on 9/6/2023 at 7:35 PM

APPROVED: *Amy Wiles*

Date: 10/4/23

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**City Council:**

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