



City of Mountain View

Plaza Conference Room
500 Castro Street

Minutes

Human Relations Commission

Commissioners Batton, Bonte, Sharma, Solomon, Vice Chair Boer and Chair Malik

Thursday, November 2, 2017

6:30 PM

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1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Malik called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present 5 - Commissioner Linda Batton, Vice Chair Kevin Boer, Commissioner Serge Bonte, Commissioner Arti Sharma, and Chairperson Aila Malik

Absent 1 - Commissioner Julie Solomon

3. MINUTES APPROVAL

3.1 Minutes approval for October 5, 2017.

Motion - M/S Bonte/Batton - Minutes for the October 5, 2017 meeting were approved with no modifications.

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Batton, Vice Chair Boer, Commissioner Bonte, Commissioner Sharma, and Chairperson Malik

Absent: 1 - Commissioner Solomon

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

Speaking from the floor, expressions of concern, support, and recommendations were received from:

Ms. Sally Fox

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

5.1 Civility Roundtable Update

Chair Malik, Vice Chair Boer, and Commissioner Batton provided an oral update on the status of the next CRT. The CRT topic will be about the limits of Free Speech. The event is on January 17, 2018, and will be at the Senior Center.

6. NEW BUSINESS

6.1 Age Friendly City Update

NOTE: Item 6.1 was considered out of agenda order.

John Marchant, Recreation Manager and Michele Petersen, Recreation Supervisor,

provided an update on the status of the Age-Friendly City designation initiative led by the Senior Advisory Committee (SAC).

6.2**Sanctuary Cities/Anti-Registry Policy Update**

NOTE: Item 6.2 was considered out of agenda order.

Melvin Gaines, Principal Management Analyst, provided an update on the City Council direction for the development of a Sanctuary City and Anti-Registry policy.

5.2**LGBTQI Subcommittee Update**

Commissioner Sharma provided an update on the status of the LGBTQI Needs and Assets Assessment. The LGBTQ Listening session is on January 27, 2018, at the Senior Center.

7. COMMISSION/STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, REQUESTS, AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

Commissioner Bonte attended the Council Neighborhood Committee meeting on October 19, 2017.

Assistant to the City Manager Gilmore announced that the Understanding Islam speaker series, co-sponsored with Supervisor Joe Simitian, is tentatively scheduled for April 2018. Event details will be available after the first of the year.

8. ADJOURNMENT

At 8:17 p.m., Chair Malik adjourned the meeting to the Human Relations Commission meeting to be held on December 6, 2017, at 6:30 p.m. in the Plaza Conference Room, 500 Castro Street.