

# **City of Mountain View**

## **Minutes**

### **Human Relations Commission**

Thursday, November 7, 2024

6:30 PM

Plaza Conference Room and Video Conference, 500 Castro St., Mountain View, CA 94041

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

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

#### 2. ROLL CALL

**Present** 

5 - Commissioner Jocelyn Chadwell, Commissioner Joan MacDonald, Commissioner Erik Poicon,
Vice Chair IdaRose Sylvester, and Chair Nirvana Nwokidu

Absent

2 - Commissioner Molly Smith, and Commissioner Xavier Webb

### 3. MINUTES APPROVAL

### **3.1** Minutes Approval for October 3, 2024

M/S Poicon/Chadwell; Smith/Webb absent

Minutes from the October 3, 2024 meeting were approved without modification.

Yes:

 5 - Commissioner Chadwell, Commissioner MacDonald, Commissioner Poicon, Vice Chair Sylvester, and Chair Nwokidu

### 4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

None

### 5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

### 5.1 Storytelling Ad Hoc Committee

Vice Chair Sylvester provided the update. The submission deadline has been extended to an undetermined date to encourage submissions.

### **5.2** LGBTQ+ Listening Forum Committee

Commissioner Poicon provided the update. The event is scheduled for Tuesday, November 12, at 6 p.m. in the Redwood Room at the Community Center.

Commissioner Smith joined the meeting at 6:42 p.m.

#### 5.3 Multicultural Festival Committee

Chair Nwokidu provided the update. The event is scheduled for March 25, 2025.

#### 6. NEW BUSINESS

None

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

Commissioner Poicon shared the contact information for the Rapid Response Network (RRN), a community defense project developed to protect immigrant families from deportation threats and to provide accompanying support during or after a community member's arrest or dentition. The 24/7 Hotline number is (408) 290-1144.

#### **ADJOURNMENT** 8.

Chair Nwokidu adjourned the meeting at 6:52 p.m.