



CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

## AGENDA

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REGULAR MEETING - THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2016  
PLAZA CONFERENCE ROOM AT CITY HALL  
500 CASTRO STREET  
6:30 P.M.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **ROLL CALL** – Commissioners Kevin Boer, Josette Langevine, Jim Neal, Evan Ortiz, Vice Chair Aila Malik, and Chair Lucas Ramirez (one vacancy).

3. **MINUTES APPROVAL**

Minutes for the June 23, 2016, Special Meeting have been delivered to Commissioners and a copy posted on the City Hall bulletin board. If there are no corrections or additions, a motion is in order to approve these minutes.

4. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**

This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons wishing to address the Commission on any matter not on the agenda. Speakers are limited to three minutes. State law prohibits the Commission from acting on nonagenda items.

5. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS** – None.

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

6.1 **DISCUSSION OF A CIVILITY ROUNDTABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-17**

A subcommittee will be formed to work on developing a proposed event.

**6.2 PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION OF NEEDS, RESOURCES, AND NETWORKS FOR LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER OR QUESTIONING, AND INTERSEX (LGBTQI) RESIDENTS**

The Commission will explore the topic. A subcommittee will be formed to work on a report back to the Commission.

**7. COMMISSION/STAFF COMMENTS, QUESTIONS, COMMISSION REPORTS**

No action will be taken on any questions raised by the Commission at this time.

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

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## AGENDAS FOR THE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

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- The Commission may take action on any matter noticed herein in any manner deemed appropriate by the Commission. Their consideration of the matters noticed herein is not limited by the recommendations indicated herein.
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- Interested persons are entitled to speak on any item on the agenda and should make their interest known to the Chair.
- Anyone wishing to address the Commission on a nonagenda item may do so during the "Oral Communications" part of the agenda. Speakers are allowed to speak one time on any number of topics for up to three minutes.



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## MINUTES

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SPECIAL MEETING – THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2016  
PLAZA CONFERENCE ROOM AT CITY HALL – 500 CASTRO STREET  
6:30 P.M.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 6:40 p.m. with Chair Ramirez presiding.

2. **ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Commissioners Kevin Boer, Jim Neal, Evan Ortiz, Vice Chair Aila Malik (arrived at 7:00 p.m.), and Chair Lucas Ramirez.

**Absent:** Commissioner Langevine.

**One vacancy.**

3. **MINUTES APPROVAL**

**Motion** – M/S Ortiz/Boer – Carried 4-0-2; Langevine, Malik absent – Minutes for the April 7, 2016 Regular Meeting and May 18, 2016 Special Meeting were approved without modification.

4. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**

Two comments were received:

- Ms. Casey spoke in recognition of the Orlando tragedy and the need for visible commemorations (such as Pride) for increasing inclusivity and visibility for the LGBT community.
- Ms. Goodie spoke on towing of vehicles and housing displacement.

## 5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

### 5.1 CIVILITY ROUNDTABLE EVENT DEBRIEF

Vice Chair Malik presented an oral report for the Subcommittee.

### 5.2 PROPOSED HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION (HRC) MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

Commissioner Neal presented an oral report for the Subcommittee.

Staff provided supplemental details (in PowerPoint) for the event planning.

The Commission was in support of overall scope and recommended inclusion with the new fiscal year work plan.

### 5.3 FISCAL YEAR 2016-17 WORK PLAN FINAL DISCUSSION

After dialogue and discussion, the Commission voted.

**Motion** – M/S Boer/Neal – Carried 5-0-1; Langevine absent – To add the following to the work plan for Fiscal Year 2016-17:

1. Multicultural Festival – an executive summary would provide details of the proposed event.
2. “Open Government” Technology Presentation – receive an informational presentation on City initiatives.
3. “Project Manna” Grants Presentation – receive an informational presentation on City grants and processes.
4. Age-Friendly Cities Presentation – receive an informational presentation on the initiative.

**Motion** – M/S Malik/Ortiz – Carried 5-0-1; Langevine absent – To add a fifth item to the work plan for Fiscal Year 2016-17:

5. Pending review at a staff level for the HRC to write letters of empathy/support for incidents such as the Orlando tragedy to equivalent organizations/commissions in other agencies.

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

6.1 **MULTILINGUAL COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM UPDATE**

Community Outreach Coordinator Nancy Ducos provided an oral report on the Program.

7. **COMMISSION/STAFF COMMENTS, QUESTIONS, COMMISSION REPORTS**

Reported the HRC is on summer recess until Thursday, September 1, 2016.

Item 5.3 was reopened for discussion.

**Motion**—M/S Malik/Boer Carried 4-0-1-1; Neal abstain; Langevine absent—To add a sixth item to the work plan for Fiscal Year 2016-17 on LGBTQI needs:

6. Understanding the needs, resources, and networks for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer or Questioning, and Intersex (LGBTQI) residents with a Commission subcommittee to gather information and invite a dialog at a Commission meeting.

8. **ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m. in memory of the Pulse nightclub shooting victims in Orlando, Florida.

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