



**ALAMEDA COUNTY HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES**

The mission of the Alameda County Human Relations Commission is to preserve human rights and work to foster mutual respect for all people who live or work in Alameda County.

Wednesday, 6/23/2021

MEETING LOCATION	COMMISSION MEMBERS	
VIRTUAL MEETING	ROCQUEL JOHNSON CHAIR/LIASON COMMISSION (SOW)	DISTRICT 4
	TEJINDER DHAMI VICE CHAIR	DISTRICT 1
	ROYL L. ROBERTS SECRETARY	DISTRICT 3
	MANJINDER "MONTY" SANDHU TREASURER	DISTRICT 2
	LARA MAXEY MEMBER AT LARGE/LIASON COMMISSION (SOW)	DISTRICT 3
	LEE THOMAS	MAYOR'S CONFERENCE
	STEVEN MEDEIROS	DISTRICT 1
	FAHRIA KHAN	DISTRICT 1
	JAMES D. WALKER	DISTRICT 4
	SMILE DHIR	DISTRICT 2
	CAMERON MONFARED	DISTRICT 5
	OLGA BORJON	DISTRICT 2
	MIGUEL DWIN	DISTRICT 5
	VACANT	DISTRICT 3
	VACANT	DISTRICT 4
	CHARLOTTE A. DANIELSSON-CHANG	DISTRICT 5

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Call to Order: 6:30

Attendance Role Call:

Present: **JOHNSON, DHAMI, ROBERTS, MAXEY, MEDEIROS, KHAN, DHIR BORJON MONFARED, THOMAS, AND DWIN**

Absent: **WALKER, SANDHU, AND DANIELSON CHANG**

Welcome and introductions:

Guests:

Andrea Zeppa- Director of Homeless Care and Coordination

Lucy Kasdin- Director of Health Care for the Homeless

Kerry Abbot

Approval of the Minutes

Tabled until next meeting

Ad-Hoc Election Committee Update- Roberts

- Email Sent out of the current open positions
 - o One uncontested position
 - Chair- Johnson
- We will send out the tally and Kim will give confirmation
- We will include the unopposed
 - o Vice Chair Candidates
 - Dhami
 - Medeiros
 - o Secretary Candidate
 - Thomas
 - o Treasurer Candidate
 - Borjon
 - o Member At Large Candidate
 - Maxey
- Kim will update the ballot and send out.

Guest Speakers: Alameda County Health Care Service Agency

Housing and Homelessness Committee Chair Dwin- Introduced our guest speakers

Lucy Kasdin- Director of Health Care for the Homeless

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Very Informative - Power Point Presentations Presented/ Q&A/ Discussion

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Committee Updates

All Commissioners should be connected to at least one committee.

Reminder to hold at least on meeting a month.

Send Agenda to Kim at least three days prior to posting deadline.

Policy/Advocacy & Equity Committee:

Commissioner Walker- Not Present

Valerie Kane (Staff)- Proper Procedure in lifting up policy.

Possible Partnership with Housing and Homelessness Committee

Ms. Kane- Possible process for the Commission.

Kim- Out of office – (July 2- July 12) – all agendas due for posting prior to July 2

Community Engagement Committee

Commissioner Khan

Haven't met. Will set up something.

Social Media Committee

Commissioner Maxey (Had to log off a little early)

Housing and Homelessness Committee

Commissioner Dwin- Chair

Community Care Sites- COVID/ Hygiene/ Dignity on wheels

Commissioner Roberts

Briefing on Poverty in Alameda County- Public Hearing on Poverty (June 14)

Alameda County – Oakland Community Partnership- Presentation of statistics about poverty in Oakland and Alameda County, Direct distribution of funds.

They would like to present to us in the future

Health and Safety Committee

Commissioner Monfared- Chair

Asked others to join his committee

Commissioner Thomas attended the last meeting with Johnson and Monfared

Wellness and Welfare Check

Ad Hoc Budget

Commissioner Walker- Not present

Commissioner Borjon- had provided a template, Ad Hoc Budget Committee has not met to review it.

Commission on the Status of Women

Chair Johnson – They met and voted in new Leadership

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Chair – Orly Amey

Vice Chair- Martha Kreeger

Treasurer – Linda Tangren

Secretary- Rotation

Aliza Kazmi - District 2 new appointee

Supervisor Valle attended and presented commendations to Outgoing Chair María Domínguez and Past Chair Lucy Hernández

Retreat upcoming

General Information:

- Public Comment: No Comments

Chair Report:

Presentation to the Board of Supervisors

Supervisor Miley- Concerns as to whether the Commission was taking on too much.

Chair was providing information on what we would like to do.

Asked Supervisor Miley to come to the Commission to speak to us. However he has a standing meeting at this time that creates a conflict.

Look at the 2026 Vision and have Committee select one item and focus on it.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting Adjourned

NEXT MEETING: July 28, 2021
