



# City of Columbia, Missouri

## Meeting Minutes - Draft

### Commission on Human Rights

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Tuesday, October 3, 2023  
5:30 PM

Regular

City Hall  
Room 1A  
701 East Broadway  
Columbia, Missouri

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#### I. CALL TO ORDER

Vice Chair Meera Sood called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

#### II. INTRODUCTIONS

Present:

Amanda Hinnant

Paige Lubbering

Meera Sood

Astrid Villamil

Stephanie Yoakum

Diamond Scott

Absent: Cheryl Miller

Staff: Kristin Mengwasser

#### III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Meera Sood moved to amend the agenda by adding HREP proposal as new business and approve as amended, Paige Read seconded the motion to amend the agenda and approve as amended, motion was approved unanimously.

#### IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Draft Minutes from 9/5/2023

Attachments: [09 Sept 05 Human Rights Regular Minutes-Drafts](#)

#### V. SPECIAL ITEMS

There were not special items.

#### VI. OLD BUSINESS

Pridefest

The group discussed feedback from PrideFest.

Human Rights Commission Representative to the Citizen Police Review Board

There were no volunteers for this position at this time, this item was tabled to the next meeting.

### Affordable Housing Task Force Report

The commission reviewed the 2019 council action on the Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Report. The commission will review the council action taken in 2019.

### Inclusionary Policy

Members discussed plans to research Iowa City and Asheville's inclusionary policy.

### Rate card

Members discussed updates to the rack card.

### Budget Update

The commission was informed by Staff of the new 2024 fiscal year budget.

### Source of Income Discrimination

The topic was discussed.

## VII. NEW BUSINESS

### Ways to Advertise and Promote HREP Funding

The commission brainstormed ways to advertise and spread awareness of HREP funding.

### November Meeting Reschedule Discussion

The November meeting will remain as scheduled. Stephanie Yoakum moved to push back the January meeting to January 17 th .

Amanda Hinnant seconded the motion, the motion passed unanimously. The January meeting will be held on January 17 th .

### Future Speakers, Jane Williams.

Jane Williams will be invited to speak at the November or December meeting.

## VIII. REPORTS

### CPRB

There was no CPRB update.

### Education and Outreach

No update, the subcommittee did not meet.

### Other Reports

No other reports.

## IX. GENERAL COMMENTS BY PUBLIC, MEMBERS AND STAFF

## X. NEXT MEETING DATE

Next Meeting November 7, 2023 5:30 p.m.

## XI. ADJOURNMENT

Amanda Hinnant moved to adjourn at 6:45 p.m.

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