

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION February 14, 2022 Zoom Conference MINUTES

- Lewis. City staff liaison Kelli Johnson was present. *David Reyes will alternate for D6.
- II. Citizen Input: There were no guests.
- III. Items of Business:
 - a. Introduction of new HRC Members
 - Approval of November 8, 2021 minutes
 A motion to approve the November meeting minutes was made by Commissioner Lewis and seconded by Commissioner Harvey. Motion passed unanimously among commissioners present.
 - c. Reviewed B&C vacancies.

As vacancies are shared the HRC will work to increase the promotion of opportunities and seek to solicit candidates as appropriate. The HRC can use the provided template and/or customize as needed. The intent to is to use personal connections and invitations to help increase the city's applicants and thus participation in boards and commissions.

IV. The upcoming trainings presented in partnership with the Department of Justice are all set and scheduled. Promotion is ready to go. City staff will utilize all available avenues to promote the two sessions. HRC members are encouraged to promote the sessions within their circles of influence.

DOJ has asked for some participants to remain online after the training to participate in focus group.

Scheduled - Muslims training March, 10; 6 -8 pm Scheduled - Sikh training March, 24; 6-8 pm

- **V.** Land Acknowledgment Statement (LAS) the commission revisited the LAS. This will be sent to the commission for further reflection and consideration of adoption at the March meeting.
- **VI.** Commissioner Heil shared that he is working in partnership with Area Agency on Ageing on a film festival May 24 and 25.

Greeley Blues Jam is June 4.

Community Homeless and Housing conversations:

6-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16 via Zoom

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6-7:30 p.m Thursday, Feb. 17. at the Greeley Recreation Center, 651 10th Ave.

Commissioner Harvey suggested designating the city's meeting portal as the official agenda posting location, with the emergency backup at city hall. The commission voted unanimously to designate the city's online meeting portal as the official posting location.

Councilmember DeBoutez – City Council will engage in a strategic planning retreat from February 18-20.

VII.	Motion to adjourn at 4:41 pm was made by Commissioner Heil and seconded by Commissioner Groo All commissioners present voted in favor. The next Human Relations Commission meeting is on Marc 14, 2021, at 4:00 pm.	