

City of Hutto

MINUTES

Diversity and Inclusion Commission

Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at 6:30 PM

City Council Chambers

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1. **CALL SESSION TO ORDER 6:30 PM**
2. **ROLL CALL**

Those in attendance were: Commissioner Thompson, Commissioner Gonzales, Commissioner Spoons*, Commissioner Henry*, Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Rodriguez*, Commissioner Wilson. (* via Zoom)

Members of the staff present were Kristi Robich, Community Outreach & Programs Manager and Holly Nagy, City Secretary.

3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

4. **GENERAL COMMENTS FROM CITY STAFF**
5. **GENERAL COMMENTS FROM COMMISSION MEMBERS**
6. **GENERAL COMMENTS FROM CITY COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES**
7. **OTHER BUSINESS**

- 7.1. Consideration and possible action on approving the March 16, 2021 Diversity and Inclusion Commission meeting minutes.

Commissioner Wilson made a motion to approve item 7.1, Commissioner Spoons seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

- 7.2. Discussion regarding the 2020 Hutto Racial Profiling Report and Analysis.

-Discussion ensued. Chief Hall will be present to answer questions at next meeting. Commissioner Thompson made a motion to table this item until the next meeting. Commissioner Wilson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

- 7.3. Consideration and possible action regarding creating a Resolution to establish Hutto as a No Place for Hate and a Resolution to establish Hutto as a Safe Place for Asian Americans. (Commissioner Thompson)

Discussion ensued.

Commissioner Thompson made a motion to approve the Proclamation for naming the City of Hutto as a No Place for Hate. Commissioner Rodriguez seconded the motion the motion passed.

Commissioner Williams made a motion to change the language in Paragraph 3 to read racially diverse and multiethnic community. Commissioner Gonzales seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Wilson made a motion to table the Resolution establishing Hutto as a Safe Place for Asian Americans for further review. Commissioner Henry seconded the motion. The motion passed (6:1) with Commissioner Thompson against.

- 7.4. Discussion regarding Ethnic Demographics. (Commissioner Gonzales)

No action taken.

- 7.5. Discussion and possible action on the vision of the Diversity and Inclusion Commission regarding setting short term goals, long term goals and defining the definitions of the Diversity and Inclusion Commission including defining the process of determining the definitions.

Discussion ensued.

Commissioner Thompson made a motion to extend the meeting by 10 minutes. Commissioner Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Commissioner Williams made a motion to table Item 7.5, Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

- 7.6 Discussion regarding the 2021 Juneteenth Celebration.

Commissioner Thompson made a motion to extend the meeting by 5 mins. Commissioner Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Williams will draft a Proclamation for the Juneteenth celebration.

8. ADJOURNMENT 8:13 PM

ATTEST


Holly Nagy, City Secretary


Brian Thompson, Chair