

## Seattle Immigrant and Refugee Commission Meeting Minutes March 12, 2024 (6:00-8:00 pm)

**Commissioners Present:** Gul Siddiqi, Ilays Aden, Heather Yang-Hwalek, Emmanuel G.V. Dolo, Anand Rao

**Commissioners Absent:** Afra Mahmood, Amelia Ossorio, Amanda Sandoval,

**Staff Present:** Shilpa Salgar

**Guests:** Oksana Reva, Ribicca Mamuye

**Call to Order:** 6:06 pm

**Welcome** – Gul opened the meeting, welcomed attendees, and invited attendees to check in.

### **Vote: Approval of February Meeting Minutes**

- February meeting minutes were approved.

### **OIRA Report**

- Shilpa reported on OIRA's activities in the previous month and upcoming community events in which OIRA plans to have a presence.

### **OPMA Training Overview and Email Reminder**

- Shilpa gave an overview of the OPMA and sent the commissioners the training links.

### **Breakout Session and Report Out**

- The commission discussed visioning for the new year.

### **Final Comments**

- Shilpa recorded and read out the commission's action items.

### **Adjourn**

- The commission adjourned at 7:02 pm.