

# MINUTES

## Seattle Human Rights Commission

Thursday, April 3, 2024, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Join virtually via [Zoom](#) or at Seattle City Hall, Room L280

600 4th Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104

### 1. Call To Order

Commissioner A. Hultgren called the meeting to order at 6:06 p.m.

### 2. Land Acknowledgement

### 3. Roll Call

#### Confirmed Commissioners

Abdi, F.  
Bailey, A.  
Hultgren, A.  
Khan, Ali  
Khan, Anika  
Koss, M.

Phadake, K.  
Duston, T.  
Kristina  
Leydon, N.  
Quander, B.  
Catsambas, M.

Lewis, P.  
McCullough, G.  
Munger, J.  
Putta (Pudda), G.  
Ortega, D.

**City Staff Present:** Capacity Development Advisor S. Wilson

Commissioner K. Tibbs left the meeting at 7:20 p.m.

Commissioner D. Ortega left the meeting at 7:29 p.m.

### 4. Public Comment

There were no public comments.

### 5. Approval of Minutes

#### a. March 6, 2025 Regular Meeting Minutes

It was moved by Commissioner A. Hultgren; seconded by Commissioner B. Quander to approve the March 6, 2025 regular meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

### 6. Committee Reports

#### a. Executive

##### i. General Updates

1. Requested vote to receive full-commission support on sending a letter to Councilmember Moore. Vote was tabled until the next special or regular commission meeting.

##### ii. Appeals - Commissioner B. Quander



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1. No updates
- iii. **Treasurer** - Commissioner J. Munger
  1. Discretionary fund
    - a. It was moved by Commissioner A. Hultgren; seconded by Commissioner B. Quander to create a discretionary fund with \$100 available for use from the general commissions budget. Motion passed unanimously.
  2. Budget approval form
    - a. It was moved by Commissioner A. Hultgren; seconded by Commissioner B. Quander to approve \$300 to purchase two tickets to the Northwest Immigrants Rights Project gala. Motion passed. 10 in-favor; 1 nay

### b. Communications

Submit your taskforce meeting times to Trevor.

### c. Events

Looking into venues and food options.

### d. Criminal Justice Reform Task Force

Currently meeting with incarcerated individuals to discuss education programs. Considering name change.

### e. Housing & Unhoused Task Force

Trying to get meetings set up with organizations to find out about their activities & priorities. We have a list of groups. First up I think are ROOTS (young adults shelter), KC Recovery Alliance (transitional housing for folks coming out of recovery), and Full Life Care (elders).

### f. Human Trafficking Task Force

Met with Washington Advisory Committee on Trafficking coordinators about connecting with resources.

## 7. Unfinished Business

### a. School Presentation Update (7:30 p.m.)

This has been tabled until the next regular meeting.

## 8. Announcements

### a. Seattle Office of Civil Rights Updates

- Renters' listening session took place 4/2. Jessa from the LGBTQ+ commission presented. Will be compiling feedback.



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- Women's commission participating in an event with Seattle NOW on Saturday.
- Sexual Assault Awareness Month proclamation date is being figured out.

### 9. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:29 p.m. due to losing quorum.