

# Seattle Women's Commission Agenda

May 19, 2025, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Join the meeting [virtually](#).

Facilitators: K. Guerrero; E. Barr Note taker & Land/Labor Acknowledgment: V. Mamidala

Attendance: Guests: M. Stone (SOCR); S. Ezelle (Project Access Northwest)

## Welcome

### Land and Labor Acknowledgment

"We are currently occupying the unceded lands of many First Peoples; Coast Salish people, Muckleshoot, Suquamish, Stillaguamish, and Duwamish. We acknowledge and thank local First Nations for their centuries of land stewardship that long predates the arrival of European settlers. We remind you to be aware of the spaces you occupy locally, that these lands were stolen from First People in the name of white settler colonialism and that you seek ways to continue your education and give back to local Indigenous communities," from Duwamish Tribe's website.

"We must acknowledge that much of what we know of this country today, including its culture, economic growth, and development throughout history and across time, has been made possible by the labor of enslaved Africans and their descendants who suffered the horror of the transatlantic trafficking of their people, chattel slavery, and Jim Crow. We are indebted to their labor and their sacrifice, and we must acknowledge the tremors of that violence throughout the generations and the resulting impact that can still be felt and witnessed today," by Dr. Terah "TJ" Stewart.

### Introductions and Roll Call

Review of attendance per bylaws.

### Approve Agendas and Minutes

Approve April minutes and May agenda.

## Public Comment

## **Special Guest Speaker from Project Access Northwest**

### **Break**

## **Subcommittee Updates**

**Reproductive Health**

**Gender-Based Violence**

**Housing Access**

**Communications**

## **Co-Chair Updates**

- Subcommittee Designations
- Beacon Arts Street Fairs
- Recent and upcoming events
  - Housing Development Consortium Annual Celebration (4/23)
  - King County Health Clinic (4/24-4/27)
  - Affordable Housing Week (5/12-5/16)
  - Washington NOW Conference (5/17)

## **Seattle Office for Civil Rights Updates**

### **Adjourned**