

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
HUMAN RELATIONS
COMMISSION MINUTES**

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2021
TELECONFERENCE, 6:00 PM**

Alyssa Gutierrez, Chair
Amy Eriksen, Vice Chair
Cory Allen, Commissioner
Elisa Buchanan, Commissioner
Trace Camacho, Commissioner
Christopher Covington, Commissioner



M. Lissette Flores, Commissioner
Zuleimy Gonzalez, Commissioner
Mary Ellen Mitchell, Commissioner
Zoe Nicholson, Commissioner
Jon Schultz, Commissioner
Roman Seano, Commissioner
Chanel Smith, Commissioner

FINISHED AGENDA & MINUTES

**HUMAN RELATIONS MEETING VIA TELECONFERENCE
PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER N-08-21 ISSUED BY
GOVERNOR GAVIN NEWSOM**

1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

At 6:03 PM, Vice Chair Eriksen called the meeting to order.

Commissioners Trace Camacho, Christopher Covington, Zuleimy Gonzalez,

Present: Mary Ellen Mitchell, Zoe Nicholson, Jon Schultz and Amy Eriksen

Commissioners Cory Allen, Elisa Buchanan, Lissette Flores and Chanel Smith

Excused:

Commissioners Roman Seano and Alyssa Gutierrez

Absent:

Also present: Teresa Chandler, Deputy City Manager; Katie Balderas, Office of Equity.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

3. CHAIR REMARKS

Vice Chair Eriksen provided opening remarks.

4. OFFICE OF EQUITY REMARKS

Katie Balderas, Office of Equity, presented the staff report.

5. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. [21-028HR](#) Commissioner District Updates and Announcements.

Commissioner Camacho spoke.

Commissioner Covington spoke.

This HR-Agenda Item was received and filed.

6. NEW BUSINESS

- a. [21-029HR](#) Discussion on Community Outreach Plan for Pride Tower.

Commissioner Covington spoke.

Vice Chair Eriksen spoke.

Commissioner Nicholson spoke.

Katie Balderas, Office of Equity, spoke.

Vice Chair Eriksen spoke.

This HR-Agenda Item was received and filed.

7. OLD BUSINESS

- a. [21-030HR](#) Status on Cannabis Equity and Women's Commission recommendations to City Council.

Discussion.

This HR-Agenda Item was received and filed.

8. ADJOURNMENT

At 6:42 PM, there being no objection, Vice Chair Eriksen adjourned the meeting.

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