



# Meeting Minutes

## Social Justice & Equity Commission

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**Monday, May 23, 2022**

**6:00 PM**

**Online via Zoom**

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**Zoom meeting link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620497920>**

### **1. CALL TO ORDER**

Staff Liaison Tobi Hill-Meyer called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

#### **1.A ROLL CALL**

**Present:** 10 - Commissioner Eyota Wak'ishwit, Commissioner Fauziya Mohamedali, Commissioner Genevieve Chan, Commissioner Jessicarae Nuñez, Commissioner Larry Watkinson, Commissioner Marianne Ozmun-Wells, Commissioner Omar Santana-Gomez, Commissioner Rachelle Martin, Commissioner Sarah Lloyd and Commissioner Wesley Nguyen

**Excused:** 1 - Commissioner Parfait Bassale

#### **1.B LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Staff Liaison Hill-Meyer read a land acknowledgement for the Squaxin Tribe.

#### **1.C WELCOME BY COUNCIL MEMBER DONTAE PAYNE**

Councilmember Payne introduced himself and gave opening remarks.

### **2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**The agenda was approved.**

#### **ROLL CALL**

Commissioner Bassale arrived at 6:23 p.m.

**Present:** 11 - Commissioner Parfait Bassale, Commissioner Eyota Wak'ishwit, Commissioner Fauziya Mohamedali, Commissioner Genevieve Chan, Commissioner Jessicarae Nuñez, Commissioner Larry Watkinson, Commissioner Marianne Ozmun-Wells, Commissioner Omar Santana-Gomez, Commissioner Rachelle Martin, Commissioner Sarah Lloyd and Commissioner Wesley Nguyen

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - None**

**4. PUBLIC COMMENT - None**

**5. ANNOUNCEMENTS - None**

**6. BUSINESS ITEMS**

**6.A**     [22-0538](#)            Presentation on City's Diversity Equity & Inclusion (DEI) History

Staff Liaison Hill-Meyer gave a brief presentation on the City's diversity, equity and inclusion history.

**The discussion was completed.**

**6.B**     [22-0537](#)            Discussion of Draft 2022 Commission Workplan Items

Commissioners discussed work plan items and will look at other models of facilitation. They will create a process for feedback.

**The discussion was continued to the 06/27/22 meeting.**

**6.C**     [22-0539](#)            Approval of 2022 Meeting Dates

Commissioners discussed meeting dates and agreed to meet next on June 27.

**The Commission made a decision to meet the fourth Monday of every month.**

**7. REPORTS - None**

**8. OTHER TOPICS - None**

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:58 p.m.