



DESIGN COMMISSION
MONDAY, JUNE 27, 2011, 5:45PM-10:00PM
AUSTIN CITY HALL, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ROOM 1101
301 W. SECOND STREET, AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

Current Commission Members

_____ Bart Whatley (BW) – Chair _____ James Shieh (JS) – Vice Chair _____ David Knoll (DK)– Secretary	_____ Juan E. Cotera (JC) _____ Jeannie Wiginton (JW) _____ Jorge E. Rousselin (COA – PDRD) Staff Liaison _____ Christine Freundl (COA - PDRD)
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AGENDA

Please note: Posted times are for time-keeping purposes only. The Commission may take any item(s) out of order and no express guarantee is given that any item(s) will be taken in order or at the time posted.

	Approx time
CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL	5:45 PM
1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL The first five speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.	5:45 PM
2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Discussion and Possible Action) a. Discussion and action on the May 23, 2011 Design Commission regular meeting minutes;	6:00 PM
3. NEW BUSINESS (Discussion and Possible Action) a. Briefing on Austin Energy’s Stoney Ridge Substation Project. (Kathy Strittmatter, Austin Energy); b. Presentation and discussion on the Form-Based Code Institute webinar: <i>Integrating More Sustainable Design Into Form-Based Codes: A Recorded Webinar</i> . (Staff Liaison, Jorge E. Rousselin, COA-PDRD).	6:05 PM
4. OLD BUSINESS (Discussion and Possible Action) a. Discussion and action on the Non-Urban Project Review Working Group’s recommendations addressing Council resolution No. 20100819-035 regarding the formulation of recommendations for design	8:00 PM

<p>guidelines for infrastructure projects commissioned by the City of Austin, including Austin Energy, the Austin Water Utility, and other city-owned enterprises and departments. (Commissioner Shieh);</p> <p>b. Discussion and action on nominations for Downtown Commission Liaison.</p>	
<p>5. COMMITTEE AND TASK FORCE REPORTS (Discussion and Possible Action)</p> <p>a. Standing Committees Reports;</p> <p>b. Liaison Reports;</p> <p>c. Appointment of Committee members by Chair.</p>	8:30 PM
<p>6. STAFF BRIEFINGS</p> <p>a. Project updates</p> <p>b. Project submittal timeline and agenda/backup posting</p>	8:35 PM
<p>7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS</p> <p>a. Library Project</p>	8:50 PM
<p>8. ANNOUNCEMENTS</p> <p>a. Chair Announcements;</p> <p>b. Items from Commission Members;</p> <p>c. Items from City Staff.</p>	8:55 PM
ADJOURNMENT	9:00 PM

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Design Commission Committees, Working Groups, and Liaisons

Committees

1. Bylaws/Policies & Procedures Committee: Wiginton (Chair), Cotera, Whatley
2. Executive Committee: Whatley (Chair), Shieh, Knoll

Working Groups

1. Project Review Working Group: Refer to rotating list
2. Comprehensive Plan Working Group: Knoll(Chair), Whatley, TBD
3. Non-Urban Project Review Working Group: Shieh (Chair), Cotera, Whatley
4. Urban Design Guidelines Working Group: Cotera (Chair), Shieh, TBD
5. Urban Open Space Working Group: Whatley (Chair), Knoll
6. Nomination Working Group: Cotera, TBD

Design Commission Liaisons

- Affordable Housing Liaison: Wiginton
- Downtown Comm. Liaison / Downtown Austin Plan: TBD
- South Congress Proj. Liaison: Knoll
- TOD Liaison: Shieh
- East Riverside Master Plan: Shieh
- Airport Boulevard Form-Based Code Initiative: Whatley

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