

NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE ETHICS REVIEW COMMISSION DECEMBER 14, 2016 AT 6:00 P.M. CITY HALL, ROOM 1027 301 W. 2ND STREET AUSTIN, TEXAS

CURRENT COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Chair Peter Einhorn Vice Chair Matthew Lamon Debra Danburg
Meagan Harding Donna Beth McCormick J. Michael Ohueri
Paul Quinzi Kenneth Smith Dennis Speight
Robert "Ben" Stratmann Brian Thompson

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

The Commission may discuss and take action on the following agenda items:

1. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Commission may announce it will go into executive session, if necessary, pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, to receive advice from legal counsel on matters specifically listed on this agenda (Private consultation with legal counsel – Section 551.071). The Commission may not conduct an executive session without the prior approval of the city attorney.

a. Discuss legal issues related to a complaint filed on September 28, 2016 by Nathan Wiebe in his capacity as Chief of Investigations, Office of the City Auditor, against Elizabeth Spencer alleging violation of Section 2-7-64 (Disclosure of Conflict of Interest). (Private consultation with legal counsel – Section 551.071 of the Government Code).

2. PRELIMINARY HEARING

a. Conduct a preliminary hearing under Section 2-7-45 of the City Code to consider a complaint filed on September 28, 2016 by Nathan Wiebe in his capacity as Chief of Investigations, Office of the City Auditor, against Elizabeth Spencer alleging violation of Section 2-7-64 (Disclosure of Conflict of Interest).

3. GENERAL CITIZEN COMMUNICATION

The first five speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allotted three minutes to address the Commission regarding items not posted on the agenda.

- 4. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES FROM THE NOVEMBER 9, 2016 REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING
- 5. OLD BUSINESS
- 6. NEW BUSINESS
- 7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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For additional information regarding the Ethics Review Commission, please contact Deputy City Attorney Deborah Thomas at (512) 974-2172 or Division Chief Jerikay Gayle at (512) 974-6485.