



**MAYOR'S COMMITTEE FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES (MCPD)**  
**REGULAR MEETING**

**AGENDA**

**May 10, 2019**

**5:00 pm in City Hall Board and Commission Room 101  
301 West Second Street  
Austin, TX 78701**

**CURRENT COMMISSION MEMBERS:**

Jonathan Franks, Chair  
Rachel Gandy, Vice-Chair  
Taurean Burt  
Joey Gidseg  
Diane Kearns-Osterweil  
Chris Masey

Robin Orlowski  
Danny Saenz  
Emily Shryock  
Deborah Trejo  
Sarah Webb

**CALL TO ORDER**

**1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Consider approval of the minutes from the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities April 12, 2019, Regular Meeting.

**2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION:** Each speaker signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will be called in order of sign-up and will be allowed three minutes to speak about items posted or not on the agenda

**3. NEW BUSINESS:**

- 3A. Discussion/Update on recommendations for The City of Austin 2020 Budget and next steps (Advocacy) – Vice-chair Gandy, Full Committee
- 3B. Discussion and possible action to confirm members of Disability Employment Award working Group – Chair Franks, vice-chair Gandy
- 3C. Discussion and possible action to establish frequency of reports regarding the Joint Inclusion Committee – Commissioner Trejo, vice-chair Gandy
- 3D. Discussion and possible action regarding MCPD support for the Joint Inclusion Committee Resolution – Commissioner Masey, Commissioner Orlowski
- 3E. Discussion of access to legal representation for low-income persons with disabilities – commissioner Gidseg, commissioner Kearns-Osterweil

- 3F. Discussion of remote access to City Council meetings – commissioner Orlowski, commissioner Kearns-Osterweil
- 3G. Discussion of recommendation regarding Equity Office increasing response to disability issues – Commissioner Orlowski, commissioner Gidseg

#### **4. COMMISSIONER BRIEFINGS**

- 4A. Report on April meeting of the Joint Inclusion Committee by Commissioner Orlowski and Commissioner Gidseg

#### **5. STAFF BRIEFING**

- 5A. Report on the City of Austin ADA Program Office by David Ondich, ADA Program Administrator

#### **6. COMMISSIONER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

#### **8. ADJOURNMENT**

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