

# HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION AGENDA

Monday, August 26, 2019
5:30 p.m. – Adjournment
City Hall
Executive Session Conference Room (Room 1027)
(This meeting is open to the public.)
301 W. Second St.
Austin, TX 78701

## **CURRENT COMMISSION MEMBERS:**

Sareta Davis, Chair
Kristian Caballero, Vice Chair
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Gourtney Santana
Garry Brown
Alicia Weigel
Nathan White

#### CALL TO ORDER

## 1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

Citizens 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.

#### 2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Consider approval of the minutes from the Human Rights Commission's July 22, 2019 Regular Meeting.

# 3. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Discussion and possible action on a recommendation to City Council regarding human rights abuses on our southern border. (White/Caballero)
- b. Discussion on planning a Public Forum regarding homelessness hosted during a future Human Rights Commission regular meeting or special called meeting. (Caballero/White/Weigel)
- c. Discussion and possible action on a recommendation to City Council regarding funding provided from the Public Safety budget for reforms to emergency mental health crisis response procedures, including first response and 911 call center response. (Weigel/Caballero)
- d. Discussion and possible action on a recommendation to City Council regarding condemnation of non-consensual and medically unnecessary surgeries on intersex persons and affirmation of their body autonomy. (Weigel/Caballero/White)

#### 4. ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

## 5. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Commissioners will report on and discuss the status of the Commission's key priority areas of concern for 2019-2020, including plans and strategies for meeting those key priority areas of concern:
  - i. Institutional Equity
  - ii. Environment & Land Use
  - iii. Health Access & Nutrition
  - iv. Autonomy & Human Rights

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