



**AFRICAN AMERICAN RESOURCE ADVISORY COMMISSION**  
**Regular Meeting – December 3, 2019, 5:30 P.M.**  
**301 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Executive Session Conference Room 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**  
**Austin, Texas 78701**  
**AGENDA**

**BOARD MEMBERS:**

Chair-Daryl Horton, Vice Chair- Marissa Jones, Miriam Conner, Dr. Chiquita Eugene, Clifford Gillard, Cherelle Vanbrakle, Tam Hawkins, Volma Overton, III., Nelson Linder, Greg Smith, Elaina Fowler, Aaliyah Noble, Elton Randel, Ellen Sweets, Rashida Wright

**MEETING CALL TO ORDER**

**1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. Approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting on the October 1<sup>st</sup> meeting

**2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

Any 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.

**3. SPECIAL PRESENTATION, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

- a. kYmberly Keaton, M.L.S., African American Community Archivist & Liberian Austin History Center/Austin Public Library-Growing Your Roots the Inaugural African Genealogy Conference
- b. Early Childhood Council and Success By 6 Strategic Plan – Cathy McHorse Vice President Success By 6 United Way for Greater Austin
- c. Melissa Ayala – Community Engagement & Government Relations Manager – Annual Update on the Waterloo Greenway

**4. WORKING GROUPS – DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION –**

- a. Economic Opportunity and Affordability
- b. Mobility
- c. Safety
- d. Health and Environment
- e. Culture and Life Long Learning
- f. Government That Works for All
  - i. Joint Inclusion Commission
  - ii. Commission Retreat
  - iii. Approval of FY 20 Meeting Calendar

**5. SPECIAL PRESENTATION, THE AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE COMMUNITY UPDATE – DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

- a. The Austin Revitalization Authority – Greg Smith, President
- b. The Greater Austin Black Chamber of Commerce – Tam Hawkins, President and CEO
- c. The Baptist Minister Union – Rev. Daryl Horton, President
- d. The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People – Nelson Lender, President
- e. The Austin Area Urban League – Quincy Dunlap, President and CEO
- f. Cultural Arts – Clifford Gillard

**6. Future Agenda Items**

**7. Announcements**

**January 7 - MEETING LOCATION – City Hall Executive Session 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

*Set agenda items for future meetings, including non-substantive housekeeping matters (such as meeting dates, potential topics, and information and research requests for staff)*

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