

# Special Meeting of the Downtown Austin Community Court Advisory Board

**February 4, 2022**

## **Downtown Austin Community Court Advisory Board to be held February 4, 2022 with Social Distancing Modifications**

Public comment will be allowed via telephone or in-person. **All speakers must register in advance (February 3, 2022 by noon).** All public comment will occur at the beginning of the meeting.

To speak remotely at the **February Downtown Austin Community Court Advisory Board Meeting**, members of the public must:

- Call or email the board liaison at **512-974-1260** or [edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov](mailto:edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov) no later than noon, (the day before the meeting). The information required is the speaker name, item number(s) they wish to speak on, whether they are for/against/neutral, and a telephone number or email address.
- Once a request to speak has been called in or emailed to the board liaison, residents will receive either an email or phone call providing the telephone number to call on the day of the scheduled meeting.
- Speakers must call in at least 15 minutes prior to meeting start in order to speak, late callers will not be accepted and will not be able to speak.
- Speakers will be placed in a queue until their time to speak.
- Handouts or other information may be emailed to [edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov](mailto:edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov) by Noon the day before the scheduled meeting. This information will be provided to Board and Commission members in advance of the meeting.

## **Reunión del Downtown Austin Community Court Advisory Board 4 de Febrero de 2022**

La junta se llevará con modificaciones de distanciamiento social

Se permitirán comentarios públicos por teléfono o en persona. Todos los oradores deben registrarse con anticipación (**03 de Febrero** antes del mediodía). Todos los comentarios públicos se producirán al comienzo de la reunión.

Para hablar de forma remota en la reunión, los miembros del público deben:

- Llame o envíe un correo electrónico al enlace de la junta en 512-974-1260 or [edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov](mailto:edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov) a más tardar al mediodía (13 de Febrero antes de la reunión). La información requerida es el nombre del orador, los números de artículo sobre los que desean hablar, si están a favor / en contra / neutrales, y un número de teléfono o dirección de correo electrónico.
- Una vez que se haya llamado o enviado por correo electrónico una solicitud para hablar al enlace de la junta, los residentes recibirán un correo electrónico o una llamada telefónica con el número de teléfono para llamar el día de la reunión programada.
- Los oradores deben llamar al menos 15 minutos antes del inicio de la reunión para poder hablar, no se aceptarán personas que llamen tarde y no podrán hablar.
- Los oradores se colocarán en una fila hasta que llegue el momento de hablar.
- Los folletos u otra información pueden enviarse por correo electrónico a [edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov](mailto:edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov) antes del mediodía del día anterior a la reunión programada. Esta información se proporcionará a los miembros de la Junta y la Comisión antes de la reunión.



## **DOWNTOWN AUSTIN COMMUNITY COURT ADVISORY BOARD**

### **Special Called Meeting**

**FEBRUARY 4, 2022 AT 8:00 AM  
ONE TEXAS CENTER, STE 125, TRAINING ROOM  
505 BARTON SPRINGS RD  
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78704**

Some members of the COMMISSION/BOARD may be participating by videoconference

### **CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS:**

*Darilynn Cardona-Beiler, Chair*  
*Lea Downey Gallatin, Vice Chair*  
*Kergin Bedell*  
*Jason English*

*Kate Garza*  
*Nicole Golden*  
*Susan Requejo*

*Jocelyn Schwartz*  
*Seneca Savoie*  
*Andrew Williams*

## **AGENDA**

THERE MAY BE DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS.

### **CALL TO ORDER**

### **CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The first five (5) 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.

### **1. APPROVAL OF REGULAR MEETING MINUTES FOR JULY 16, 2021**

### **2. AUSTIN HOMELESSNESS SYSTEM CLIENT FEEDBACK**

Individuals sharing first-hand account regarding their experiences being served through Austin's homelessness system. Speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will be allowed a three minute allotment to provide their feedback to the Board.

### **3. NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Expand the jurisdiction of Downtown Austin Community Court. (Cardona-Beiler/Downey Gallatin) Jaclyn Gerban, Assistant City Attorney.
- B. Adopt 2022 Meeting Schedule

#### **4. OLD BUSINESS**

- A. Status of DACC operations during COVID-19, changes in operations, any new trends noticed. Cardona-Beiler/Downey Gallatin) – Robert Kingham, Court Operations Manager, Downtown Austin Community Court (DACC)
  - i Rapid Rehousing efforts, staffing and housing placement
  - ii Court dockets
  - iii DACC facility update
  - iv Violet Keep Safe Program

#### **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- A. Update on Intensive Case Management program evaluation project
- B. Update on homelessness mapping initiative

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The City of Austin is committed to compliance with the American with Disabilities Act. Reasonable modifications and equal access to communications will be provided upon request. Meeting locations are planned with wheelchair access. If requiring Sign Language Interpreters or alternative formats, please give notice at least 2 days (48 hours) before the meeting date. Please call [Edna Staniszewski](mailto:Edna.Staniszewski@austintexas.gov) at Downtown Austin Community Court, at (512) 974-1260, for additional information; TTY users route through Relay Texas at 711.

For more information on the Downtown Austin Community Court please contact Edna Staniszewski at (512) 974-1260 or at [edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov](mailto:edna.staniszewski@austintexas.gov).