

Brooklyn Park 
HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
Thursday, September 19, 2024
Brooklyn Park City Hall, Room A203

6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

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A G E N D A

1. Call to Order – Chair waiting Andrea Perez-Maikkula – 6:00 p.m.
2. Roll Call/Attendance – Staff Liaison Marcellus Davis – 6:02 p.m.
3. Approval of Agenda – All – 6:08 p.m.
4. Approval of July Meeting Minutes- All- 6:09 p.m.
5. Finalizing HRC Plan – All – 6:30 p.m.
6. South Cub Foods Closing – 7:45 p.m.
7. City Council Liaison Report – Council Member Christian Eriksen – 7:55 p.m.
8. City Staff Report – Marcellus – 7:58 p.m.
9. Old Business – 7:59 p.m.
10. New Business – 7:59 p.m.
11. Adjournment – All – 8:00 p.m.

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DRAFT MINUTES

Date of Meeting:

Location: City Hall – Room A203

Time Began: 6:09pm

Time Adjourned: 8:00pm

Meeting Attendance—Commissioners							
Member	District	Present		Member	District	Present	
		Yes	No			Yes	No
				Mallory Knipe	East	X	
Andrea Perez-Maikkula	Central	X		Brenda Blackhawk	At-large		X
Lacy Myman	West	X		Kevin Xiong	Central		X
Nehemiah Gurley	Central	X			Emerging Leader		
Vicki Richardson	At-large	X			Emerging Leader		
Jen Best	At-large	X		Valen A.	West		X
Marcellus Davis	City Staff Liaison	X		Council Member Christian Erikson	Council Member Liaison	X	

1. Call to Order – Chair Perez-Maikkula. – 6:09 p.m.
2. Roll Call/Attendance – Staff Liaison Dr. Marcellus Davis – 6:12 p.m.
3. Approval of Agenda – All – 6:13 p.m.
 - I. Motion: Jen; 2nd: Vicki
 - II. All in favor
 - III. Approved
4. Approval of minutes– All – 6:14 p.m.
 - I. Motion: Vicki; 2nd: Nehemiah
 - II. All in favor
 - III. Approved
5. Review of BP 2025 Refresh Meeting (goal is to be approved by Dec.)-All-6:15 p.m.
 - 3 different meetings (252, Blue Line, & 2025 Refresh).
 - 8/15 - East District
 - 8/20 – Central
 - 8/27 - West District
 - Blue Line Meeting (Vicki attended)-All-6:30p.m.
 - Info gathering session, listening to constituents & community members for input.
 - “Blue Line” - 73rd or 85th Ave., whether to go over the road or on the road. No conclusion yet.
 - Anti-Displacement Workgroup (make sure folks don’t get displaced with construction of the light rail).
 - Sept. 9th

- <https://www.brooklynpark.org/city-projects/light-rail-transit/>
 - Municipal Consent - grant “blessing” - by City Council sometime in the Fall 2024.-All-6:45 p.m.
 - 252 Expansion-All-6:55 p.m.
 - Concerns about noise levels, how long, increased environmental effects
 - 4 of MN most deadly accidents (intersections)
6. Next Meeting-All-7:15p.m.
 1. 9/19 - HRC (5:40pm Photo) - Working Session, 1 Agenda Item (Strategic Plan)
 7. Power Privilege & Anti-Racism Symposium (UMN)-All-7:30p.m.
 - September 27 & 28th, 2024
 - Keynotes
 - Dr. Yusef Salaam
 - Monica Clark (CODA)
 - Dr. Nekima Levy-Armstrong
 8. Homeless Youth-All-7:45p.m.
 - To be discussed further at Strategic Plan meeting
 - Reciprocal Relationship (Support for both Seniors & Youth)
 9. 2 Brooklyns, 1 Vision - Next & Final Event for 2024-All- 7:55p.m.
 - 11/12/24 in Brooklyn Park
 - ○ Racial Healing & Racial Justice
 10. City Council Report-Nothing to report
 11. City Liaison Staff Report- Nothing to report
 12. Old Business –
 13. New Business -- none
 14. Adjournment – All – 8:00 p.m.

Submitter: Marcellus Davis