



City of Davis
Human Relations Commission Minutes
Monday, October 22, 2018

1. Call to Order & Roll Call

Members Present: Allen, Clinton, Madden, O'Rourke-Powell, Roland

Members Absent: Alam, Davis, Mosley

Others Present: Partida (Mayor Pro Tem), Snow (DJUSD Ex-Officio), Dyer (Staff)

2. Approval of Agenda

Clinton moved and Roland seconded approval of the agenda as presented. The motion passed as follows:

AYES: Allen, Clinton, Madden, O'Rourke-Powell, Roland

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Alam, Davis, Mosley

3. Brief Announcements from Staff, Commissioners and Liaisons

- Allen announced a community wide survey put out in conjunction with Yolo Healthy Aging Alliance. Results will determine priority for fund allocation.*
- Partida announced that the Upstander Carnival was very successful. The change in location to Central Park during the Farmers Market was a positive one and increased attendance.*
- Dyer announced the success of the annual Davis Neighbors Night Out event.*
- Allen announced a fundraiser for Yolo County Healthy Aging Alliance to be held on October 25.*
- Partida announced that the Davis Police Department will be holding an "Introduction to the Davis Police Department" community conversation on October 25 at 6:30 p.m.*

4. Public Comment

None.

5. Consent Calendar

Roland moves with second by Clinton approval of the minutes from the September 27, 2018 meeting. Motion passed as follows:

AYES: Allen, Clinton, Madden, O'Rourke-Powell, Roland

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Alam, Davis, Mosley

6. Regular Items

- A. Request for Collaboration in Response to Recent Hate Crimes.** *In response to a request to the Human Relations Commission to collaborate with Bet Haverim on ideas, programs or policies that intend to deter hate crimes, the commission spent time*

determining what first steps should be. Thoughts included how to build an inclusive community, what are the elements of a welcoming community, developing a communication strategy, advertising the Human Relations Commission and creating a sub-committee to.

Madden moved with second by Roland to develop a subcommittee to study the HRC role of hate incidents in Davis with a scope to:

- 1. Identify other organizations and agencies working in this space and call for a meeting to discuss what City can do.*
- 2. Create protocol for response and outreach/education plan.*

The subcommittee to be made up of Madden, Roland and Snow.

Motion passed as follows:

AYES: Allen, Clinton, Madden, O'Rourke-Powell, Roland

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Alam, Davis, Mosley

B. Davis Downtown Plan. *The City is in the process of planning for the future of downtown and looking to the community to participate in creating a 2040 Vision for Downtown Davis. Community members and commissioners are being asked to provide feedback on the current stage of the process. The Commission discussed thoughts on the a new vision for downtown and responded with feedback.*

- Universal Design*
- Cultural Inclusivity*
- Affordability*
- Diversity of Businesses*
- Diversity of Business Owners*
 - Focus on women and minority owned businesses*
 - With flexibility to encourage different businesses by including room for pop up retail and co-working spaces*
- Gender Inclusive Signage*
- Cultural and Language Inclusivity*
 - Room for cultural activities*
- Community Shared Space & Gathering Plaza*
- Design to include use multigenerational needs including looking at how youth use alleys, walkways, etc. differently than adults.*

C. Martin Luther King Celebration Subcommittee Appointment. *The Commission discussed MLK celebration planning subcommittee for the event held on January 21, 2019. No subcommittee was determined at this time. Suggestions for speakers included putting something out via social media, reaching out the Parents of African American*

Children group and reaching out the to Black Student Union at Davis Senior High School.

7. Future Agenda Items

Update from newly formed subcommittee.

8. Commission and Staff Communications

Snow announced that non-profit groups should not have a charge from Peach Jar, which is the new communication tool through Davis Joint Unified School District for flyer distribution.

9. Adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m. to the next regularly scheduled meeting of Thursday, January 24, 2019.

*Respectfully Submitted,
Carrie Dyer
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