



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION Agenda

DATE: Wednesday, August 15, 2012
TIME: 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: City Concourse, North Terrace Room 209
202 C Street, San Diego, 92101
MEETING: Number 244

5:30 p.m. **WELCOME**

Roll Call
D/A Approve Minutes of July 18, 2012 Commission Meeting
Non-Agenda Public Comment

5:40 p.m. D/A **PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION**

Student Safety and Prevention
Becky Phillpott, Program Manager, Dropout Prevention
San Diego Unified School District

Campus Civility Project
Steven Dinkin, President, National Conflict Resolution Center

Employment Non Discrimination Act Documentary
Lisa Kove, Executive Director, DOD Fed Globe

Resolution regarding Proposition 34 - Death Penalty Repeal
Gary Lynn, Community Volunteer

6:40 p.m. D/A **ACTION AGENDA**

New Business

1. Proposed changes to San Diego Municipal Code Article 6 Division 9: Human Relations Commission
2. Proposed protocol for Human Relations Commission media response
3. Proposed protocol for Human Relations Commission presentations
4. Proposed plan for response to crisis situations when Executive Director is not available

Old Business

1. Update from HRC 2012 Priority Committees
Hate Motivated Behavior – Gagandeep Kaur, Chair
Education – Commissioner Mitz Lee, Committee Chair
Immigrant Rights – Vice Chair Mark Dillon, Committee Chair
Access Issues – Commissioner Lorena Slomanson, Committee Chair
Special Projects – Commissioner Mary Alcock, Committee Chair
Media and Communications – Joel Trambley, Committee Chair
Outreach and Advocacy – Chair Bruce Abrams, Committee Chair
2. Review of proposed guidelines for excused absences

INFORMATION AGENDA

7:00 p.m. D

Chair’s Report

1. “Peace and Tolerance for All”-- Candlelight Vigil for Victim and Families of Oak Creek Sikh Temple sponsored by the Sikh Foundation San Diego

7:10 p.m. D

Commissioners’ Reports

7:25 p.m. D

Executive Director’s Report

1. “Healing Our Community” – Neighborhood Dialog Sunday, August 12, 2012 in City Heights to develop strategies for addressing the devastation of gun and gang violence

7:30 p.m.

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Next Meeting will be September 19, 2012

Santa Fe Room, Balboa Park Club, Pan American Road, Balboa Park, San Diego

D/A - Discussion/Action, D – Discussion only

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