



City of Sunnyvale

Meeting Minutes

Human Relations Commission

Thursday, March 14, 2024

7:00 PM

Online and Bay Conference Room (Room
145), City Hall, 456 W. Olive Ave.,
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

CALL TO ORDER

Vice Chair Syquia called the meeting to order at 7:18 p.m.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

Vice Chair Syquia lead the salute to the United States Flag.

ROLL CALL

Present: 3 - Vice Chair Nenuca Syquia
Commissioner Claudia Camacho
Commissioner Maria Paulina Zapata
Absent: 1 - Chair Venkata Siva Ramisetty

Chair Ramisetty's absent is unexcused.

Staff Liaison Perdomo-Arciniegas (absent).

Council Liaison Sell (present).

PRESENTATION

A [24-0483](#) Bay Area Jewish Coalition Presentation

Members of the Bay Area Jewish Coalition (BAJC) presented recent events impacting the Jewish community to raise awareness about their experiences. They provided advice to the Human Relations Commission and shared resources to help advise the council on raising awareness to the Jewish community.

Staff Liaison Sell thanked the members of BAJC for their bravery and presenting useful resources and information to the Human Relations Commission.

B [24-0484](#) Women's History Month Recognition

Staff Jaqui Guzman Deputy City Manager informed the commission that the council does have a recognition award that council presents to different groups throughout

the year. The discussion to plan and award different group or individuals has been tabled due to city council already having this award.

C [24-0485](#) Civility Roundtable Discussion

Staff Jaqui Guzman gave advise to the commission regarding the Civility Roundtable Discussion and the timeline it would take to host an event. The commissioners discussed and shifted their focus on having an event regarding bullying and harassment for all ages. The logistics and planning for event will be discussed at a later meeting.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Oral Communications opened at 9:16 pm

Zoom participant Christine Fitzgerald commented on worldly translation service and expressed her gratitude on the accessibility that it provides to the community.

Public Comment closed at 9:19 pm

CONSENT CALENDAR

Public Comment opened at 9:19 pm

No speakers.

Public Comment closed at 9:20 pm

Vice Chair Syquia moved and Commissioner Zapata seconded the motion to approve the Human Relations Commission Special Meeting Minutes of February 14, 2024. The motion carried by the following vote:

1 [24-0482](#) Approve the Human Relations Commission Special Meeting Minutes of February 13, 2024

Approve the Human Relations Commission Special Meeting Minutes of February 13, 2024 as submitted.

Yes: 3 - Vice Chair Syquia
 Commissioner Camacho
 Commissioner Zapata

No: 0

Absent: 1 - Chair Ramisetty

NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS**-Commissioner Comments**

Commissioner Zapata spoke about the job fair hosted by Sunnyvale community service.

-Staff Comments

none.

INFORMATION ONLY REPORTS/ITEMS**ADJOURNMENT**

Vice Chair Syquia adjourned the meeting to order at 9:24 p.m.