



AGENDA
CITY OF SAN DIEGO
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION (HRC)
MEETING NO. 201



DATE: Wednesday, February 18, 2009
TIME: 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: Santa Fe Room, Balboa Park, San Diego

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- 5:30 p.m.** **Roll Call**
Discussion/Action – (D/A)
Public Comment
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
D/A Approval of minutes – January 21, 2009
- 5:45p.m** **D/A** **Old Business**
- 5:50 p.m.** **D/A** Chair’s Report
- 6:00 p.m** **D/A** Executive Director’s Report
- 6:05 p.m.** **D/A** **Committee Reports – (written reports, verbal requests for support /action only).**
1. **Hate and Violence Prevention** (Commissioners B. Abrams,)
 - United for a Hate-Free San Diego
 - Safe Passage (Commissioner Williamson)
 - Hate crimes update
 2. **Immigration** (Chair Dillon)
 - Immigrant Rights Consortium
 3. **Educational Disparities** (Chair J. Abrams)
 - Education Consortium update
 4. **Criminal Justice System Disparities Committee**
 - Death Penalty and Racial Disparities
 5. **Legislative Update**
 - Harvey Milk Nonfiscal Holiday
- 6:25 p.m.** **D/A** **OPEN DISCUSSION – COMMISSION RESTRUCTURE - CHAIR RAMIREZ**
- What must our priorities be? -- immediate (30- 90 day), long-term actions,
 - What materials/resources/support will be needed for actions discussed above?
 - What specific actions must each Commissioner commit to completing?
 - What permanent changes might be necessary? For example:
 1. mandatory meetings with Mayor/Council,
 2. Commissioner-initiated e-mails for information-sharing,
 3. Establish Communications Committee to assist in writing of letters, articles, proclamations, newsletter and website content etc.,
- 7:10 p.m.** **D/** **Commissioner Reports**
7:30 p.m. **Adjourn**

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