



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

**HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
Agenda**

DATE: Wednesday, July 18, 2012
TIME: 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: Balboa Park Club, Santa Fe Room
Pan American Road, Balboa Park, San Diego
MEETING: Number 243

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

Roll Call
D/A Approve Minutes of June 20, 2012 Commission Meeting
Non-Agenda Public Comment

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

Benhur Michael, Personal Journey from Eritrea to San Diego

5:55 p.m. D/A **ACTION AGENDA**

New Business

1. Discussion of proposed Hate Motivated Behavior/Crime Protocol

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. Report from Southern California Convening of California Association of Human Relations Organizations (CAHRO) on July 17, 2012
2. Report on meeting with staff from Supervisor Chair Roberts' and Supervisor Cox's Office regarding CalFresh Program on July 17, 2012

7:10 p.m. D Commissioners' Reports

7:25 p.m. D Executive Director's Report

1. Panel discussion at San Diego Public Library: Three Women, Three Faiths, Three Choices to Cover, July 11, 2012

7:30 p.m. ADJOURN

Next Meeting will be August 15, 2012
Council Chambers, City Administration Building, 202 C Street, San Diego, 92101

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

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