

City of Racine

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Affirmative Action and Human Rights Commission

Thursday, October 10, 2024 4:30 PM City Hall, Room 207

Call To Order

PRESENT: 5 - Rashanda Cainion, Roy Carter, Sam Peete, Barbara Farrar and Mary

Coleman

EXCUSED: 3 - Don Nielsen, Carmen Lassiter Ayers and Samantha Altamirano

Approval of Minutes for the May 9,2024 Meeting

Approval of Minutes for May 9, 2024 meeting – Motion by Roy Carter, 2nd by Barbara

Farrar All Aye

Approved

0593-24 Subject: February to June Hiring Report

0593-24 February to June Hiring Report – Motion by Roy Carter, 2nd by Barbara Farrar

All Aye

Approved

0911-24

0911-24 Fair Housing Report Q2-3 2024 - Motion by Mary Coleman, 2nd by Roy Carter

All Aye

Approved

0916-24

0916-24 July – September Hiring Report – Motion by Roy Carter, 2nd by Barbara Farrar

All Aye

Approved

Election of Secretary

pending

Subject: Chair Update

Chair update – Alder Peete spoke about the apartment building on Washington that had the fire. There's an agreement with a developer so the burned building will be replaced. A percentage of the units will be low income. It had become a low income

building over time, but it will now be mixed.

Additional comments

Additional comments – Commission member Mary Coleman asked about the purpose of the Affirmative Action/Human Rights Commission meeting. She asked if we could meet virtually until the purpose is worked out. Commission member Roy Carter would like to go back to helping with Housing complaints and disadvantaged people being taken advantage of and are afraid to speak up. Alder Peete stated that he would speak with the City Administrator and the City Attorney to get some guidance on Zoom meetings and to update the municipal code related to the commission.

Next Meeting Date:November 14, 2024

meeting was cancelled

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

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