

Iowa Civil Rights Commission Agenda

Friday, September 24, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

Room B50, Grimes State Office Building

400 E 14th St.

Des Moines, IA 50319

- I. Roll Call
- II. Recognition of Staff, Public, Press, and Commissioners
- III. Approval of Minutes from May 14, 2021, Meeting
- IV. Approval of Minutes from July 9, 2021, Meeting
- V. Introduction of New Commissioner Gina Battani
- VI. Director's Report
 - a. Office Updates
 - b. Status of Permanent Executive Director Search
 - c. Status of Federal Contracts
 - i. See Meeting Materials: EEOC Numbers and HUD Numbers
 - 1. EEOC Numbers to Date (11 Months)
 - 2. HUD Numbers to Date (2 Months)
 - d. Employee Updates
- VII. Budget Update from CFO Marie Agey
- VIII. Litigation Update – Assistant Attorney General Katie Fiala
- IX. Outreach Update – Anne Johnson
 - a. Recent Outreach
 - i. Training to Department of Public Safety
 - 1. August 20, 2021: Microaggressions ii. World Food & Music Festival - September 18, 2021
 - b. Upcoming Outreach
 - i. Latino Heritage Festival - September 25, 2021
 - ii. CelebrAsian - October 1-2, 2021
 - iii. Iowa City Pride – October 2 iv. Latino Resource Fair – November 6
- X. Discussion of future State Fair Outreach
- XI. Continued Discussion on Retention and forming Commission Work Group
 - a. Review Sample Work Group Outline
 - b. Voting on Creation of Retention Workgroup
- XII. Discussion on other possible Workgroups
- XIII. Discussion on Mandatory Vaccinations/Masking Requirements
- XIV. Commissioner Mandsager response to July 21, 2021, Article

- XV. Commissioners' Reports
 - a. Commissioner Justin Johnston
 - b. Commissioner Sam Kooiker
 - c. Commissioner Patricia Lipski
 - d. Commissioner Dennis Mandsager
 - e. Commissioner Marcelena Ordaz
 - f. Commissioner Holly White
 - g. Commissioner Gina Battani

XVI. Closed Session pursuant to Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)a. To review or discuss records which are required or authorized by state or federal law to be kept confidential or to be kept confidential as a condition for that governmental body's possession or continued receipt of federal funds.

XVII. Public Comment

XVIII. Next Meeting(s)

XIX. Adjournment

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