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Iowa Civil Rights Commission Agenda

Friday, April 21, 2023, at 1:15 p.m.
Grimes State Office Building, Room B50
400 E 14th St.
Des Moines, IA 50319

- I. Roll Call
- II. Recognition of Staff, Public, and Press
- III. Recognition of Commissioner Lipski's Service
- IV. Approval of Minutes from March 24, 2023, meeting.
- New Business
- V. Public Comment (oral or written)
- VI. Announcement of New Director
- VII. Legislative Update – Sarah Vanderploeg
 - a. Discussion by Commissioners as to the legislative work/direction of the Commission
- VIII. Mediation Update – Mat Gore
- IX. Letter of Support - League of Iowa Civil Human Rights Organization
- X. Discussion on election of officers
- XI. Discussion and vote on whether to review the damage award in *Iowa Civil Rights Commission, ex rel Kristi McMillin v. Teresa Roby* pursuant to Rule 4.23(2), which says "The commission may initiate review of a proposed decision on its own motion at any time within 60 days following the issuance of such a decision."
- Standing Business
- XII. Director's Report
 - a. Update on Anniversary of Landmark Iowa Cases and other outreach-
 - i. Locations for popups – Lee County
 - ii. Prof. Sharon Wood to present a History 101 Lunch and Learn about *Coger* on June 22, 2023 at noon.
 - iii. Black Law Student Association Gala
 - b. DIAL Merger: Meetings/townhall, inventory, and smartsheets
 - c. Staff and Commissioner Update
 - i. Adrienna Sanchez, Bryan Garner, and Natalie Sherman.
 - d. U.S. Commission on Civil Rights-Rulemaking
 - i. Jacob Bennington to update on rulemaking process and status
 - ii. Any follow up discussion and recommendations on Recommendations of Iowa Advisory Committee to the US Commission on Civil Rights
 - e. Federal contract update
- XIII. Commissioners' Reports
 - a. Commissioner Sam Kooiker
 - b. Commissioner Patricia Lipski
 - c. Commissioner Dennis Mandsager
 - d. Commissioner Marcelena Ordaz
 - e. Commissioner Holly White
- XIV. Set Next Meeting
- XV. Adjournment

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