

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING

URBANA HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

DATE: Wednesday, January 9, 2019

TIME: 5:30 p.m.

PLACE: City Council Chambers

400 South Vine Street Urbana, Illinois 61801

Rigberg Baker, Lolita Dumas

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT: Briana Donald, Samuel Byndom, Carol Bradford, Daniel Larson

STAFF PRESENT: Vacellia Clark, Preston James, Monique James,

1. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, AND DECLARATION OF QUORUM

a. Vice Chair Resnick called this meeting of the Urbana Human Relations Commission to order at 5:32 p.m. Roll was taken. A quorum was present.

Peter Resnick, Lisa Mosley, Stacie Burnett, Katalyna Thomas, Frances

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MEMBERS PRESENT:

a. Mrs. Mosley made a motion that the Commission approve the agenda as presented. Ms. Thomas seconded the motion. Vice Chair Resnick called for a voice vote. The motion carried.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- a. December 12, 2018 Meeting
 - i. Mrs. Mosley made a motion that the Commission approve the draft minutes of the December 12, 2018 meeting as presented. Mrs. Rigberg-Baker seconded the motion. Vice Chair Resnick called for a voice vote. The motion carried.

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

a. No public participation

5. OLD BUSINESS

a. Discuss donation to the Canaan Development Foundation for the Safe House. Mrs. Rigberg-Baker made a motion that the Commission approve a \$500 dollar donation to The Canaan Development Foundation for the Safe House Ms. Dumas seconded the motion. Vice Chair Resnick called for a voice vote. The motion carried. It was also requested that we invite someone from the foundation to come to a meeting and discuss what all programs they offer.

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

a. No new business.

7. STAFF REPORT

- a. Approval of EEO Workforce Statistics
 - **i.** The EEO Workforce Statistics were reviewed and staff recommendations for approval were as follows:
 - 1. Davis-Houk Mechanical
 - a. Recommend 2 years
 - 2. Waters mowing Services.
 - a. Recommend 2 years

Ms. Clark gave a brief presentation to the Commission regarding the workforce statistics for each contractor/vendor, all of which were renewals of previous certifications. Ms. Clark addressed comments and questions from the Commission. Mrs. Mosley made a motion that the Commission approve Davis-Houk Mechanical for six months and Waters Mowing Services for two years with a letter asking Davis-Houk come to a meeting and explain their hiring practices Ms. Burnett seconded the motion. Vice Chair Resnick called for a voice vote. All were in favor. The motion carried unanimously.

b. HRO Activity Report

i. Ms. Clark presented the monthly activity report to the Commission. Comments and questions from the Commission were addressed by Ms. Clark during the course of this presentation.

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS

a. No announcements

9. ADJOURNMENT

a. There being no further business to come before the Commission, Vice Chair Resnick declared the meeting to be adjourned at 5:47 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Monique James Recording Secretary