

Town of Hamilton
Meeting Minutes

Board/Committee Name: Hamilton Human Rights Commission

Date of Meeting: July 20, 2022

Wednesday, 5:00pm–July 20, 2022

This meeting was held in the Memorial Room at Hamilton Town Hall

The Public was welcomed to participate via Zoom

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83997956108?pwd=UTJlQjVyMjM3MUERZDZlFb0VrcE5SQ09>

Date of Acceptance:

Attendees: Maya Beach, Anne Brady, Jamie Knudsen, Alaina Walsh, Theresa Woodbury, Joe Domelowicz

Absent: Jared Hughes, Nancy Stehfest, Russ Stevens

1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order by Chair Brady at 5:02 PM

2. Public Comment

No public comment at this time.

3. Consent Agenda

No Discussion

Motion: *To approve consent agenda*

Made by: T. Woodbury

Seconded by: J. Knudsen

Result: On a roll call vote, the motion passed.

4. Debrief on June events

Discussion regarding creating document to help with planning June flag raisings in the future. M. Beach and A. Walsh have drafted a document. Chair Brady and A. Walsh pointed out it would be better to hold Juneteenth Flag raising on a day other than the 19th to avoid conflict with other scheduled events.. Chair Brady pointed out there is community interest in attending flag raising

5. Commission openings

One application has been received for position of community member. J. Knudsen will reach out to Housing Authority regarding open position. Discussed ways to advertise openings more widely on the Commission by refreshing the website, social media as well as word of mouth. The Community applicant will be invited to the August meeting.

6. Town Swearing-in Process Discussion

7. Discussion of potential quick response team

Motion: *To table discussions of the Town Swearing in process and the discussion of potential quick response team.*

Made by: Joe Domelowicz

Seconded by: J. Knudsen

Result: On a roll call vote, the motion passed.

8. Check in on Patton Park Master Planning/Reflection and Sensory Garden

No substantive updates on Patton Park Master Planning/Reflection & Sensory Garden

9. New Business for Future Meetings

Maya volunteered to do sample posters/advertisements for events

Will return to remote hearings

Will review table agenda items

10. Adjourn

Motion: *To Adjourn (5:50 PM)*

Made by: J. Knudsen

Seconded by: A. Walsh

Result: On a roll call vote, the motion carried unanimously.

Documents Discussed at Meeting

- Draft Meeting Minutes of 06-15-2022 HRC Meeting

Minutes prepared by: *Nancy Stehfest respectfully submitted as approved at 08-17-2022 meeting.*
Nancy Stehfest, Clerk

