Domestic Violence Commission Regular Meeting

October 8, 2025 | 9:00 a.m.
Desert Botanical Gardens
1201 North Galvin Parkway
Phoenix, AZ 85008



Commission Members

Beth Brizel
LaTisha Codkind
Dawn Curtis
Jaime Fernandez
Chelsea Grieve
Salina Imam
Michael Morris
Megan Perez
Lizette Roeder
Dr. Ruth Tan Lim
Sharon Tipton

Alternate Commission Members

Aleshia Fessel
Lisa Gasiorowski
Samantha Hinchey
Gretchen Long

Pursuant to Resolution No. 4464 of the City of Chandler and to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Domestic Violence Commission and to the general public that the Domestic Violence Commission will hold a REGULAR MEETING open to the public on Wednesday, October 8, 2025, at 9:00 a.m., at Desert Botanical Gardens, 1201 North Galvin Parkway Phoenix, AZ 85008.

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Agendas are available in the Office of the City Clerk, 175 S. Arizona Avenue.

Domestic Violence Commission
Regular Meeting Agenda - October 8, 2025

Call to Order/Roll Call

Unscheduled Public Appearances

Members of the audience may address any item not on the agenda. State Statute prohibits the Board or Commission from discussing an item that is not on the agenda, but the Board or Commission does listen to your concerns and has staff follow up on any questions you raise.

Action Agenda

1. Approval of Domestic Violence Commission Minutes
   Motion to approve Domestic Violence Commission Minutes of September 10, 2025

2. 2026 Domestic Violence Commission Regular Meeting Calendar
   Motion to approve 2026 Domestic Violence Commission Regular Meeting calendar

3. 2026 Domestic Violence Commission Community Outreach Subcommittee Meeting calendar
   Motion to approve the 2026 Domestic Violence Commission Community Outreach Subcommittee Meeting calendar

Discussion

4. Strategic Plan for the Domestic Violence Commission
   Discussion of a 5-Year Strategic Plan for the Domestic Violence Commission

Member Comments/Announcements

Calendar

5. Next Domestic Violence Commission Regular Meeting is November 12, 2025 at 9:00am
   Next Domestic Violence Community Outreach Subcommittee Meeting is November 12, 2025 at 10:00am

Adjourn

ITEM 1

Domestic Violence Commission **Police**

Date: 10/08/2025
To: Domestic Violence Commission
From: Katie Cain, Victim Services Senior Program Manager
Subject: Approval of Domestic Violence Commission Minutes

Proposed Motion:

Motion to approve Domestic Violence Commission Minutes of September 10, 2025

Attachments

DV Commission September 2025 Minutes

Meeting Minutes
Domestic Violence Commission Regular Meeting

September 10, 2025 9:00 a.m.
Council Chambers Conference Room
88 E Chicago Street
Chandler AZ 85224

Call to Order
The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair Curtis at 8:59 a.m.

Roll Call
Commission Attendance
Chair LaTisha Codkind
Vice Chair Dawn Curtis
Commissioner Beth Brizel
Commissioner Chelsea Grieve
Commissioner Salina Imam
Commissioner Michael Morris
Commissioner Megan Perez
Commissioner Lizette Roeder
Commissioner Ruth Tan Lim
Commissioner Sharon Tipton

Staff Attendance
Katie Cain – Staff Liaison/Chandler Victim Services

Absent - Excused
Commissioner Jaime Fernandez

Guest
Eric Martinez – La Frontera

Scheduled Public Appearances
1. Matt Polowski Chandler Family Crimes Detective, will introduce himself and his role in the Police Department – Unable to attend this meeting

Unscheduled Public Appearances
Eric Martinez Intern with La Frontera Trauma & Healing

Action Agenda and Discussion
2. Motion to approve DV Commission Minutes of August 13, 2025.

Motion: Commissioner Morris
Seconded: Commissioner Tipton
Unanimous approval, 10-0

3. Motion to approve DV Subcommittee Minutes of August 13, 2025.
Motion: Commissioner Roeder
Seconded: Commissioner Brizel
Unanimous approval 10-0

Discussion

4. Domestic Violence Annual Awareness Event on September 23,2025 “From Connection to Control:” The Misuse of Technology as a Tactic of Domestic Violence.
Update given on progress and final details of the event. Currently, we have 126 attendees.

5. Domestic Violence Awareness Proclamation- City Council Meeting September 18, 2025 @ 6pm. Members of the Commission will be in attendance for this meeting.

6. Strategic Planning Retreat – October 8, 2025 Desert Botanical Garden
Discussion on goals and objectives for the next 5 years

Member Comments/Announcements

Sahara Program Event will be September 20th. DV Commissioners are invited to attend.
Thrive Gala Event November 8th 2025 6-10pm

Calendar

Next Regular Domestic Violence Committee meeting on October 8, 2025, Desert Botanical Garden 9am-2pm
Next Community Outreach Subcommittee meeting on November 12, 2025
at 10:00 a.m. at the City Council Chambers Conference Room.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 10:02 a.m.

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Katie Cain, Staff Liaison LaTisha Codkind, Chair

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Date: 10/08/2025
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From: Katie Cain, Victim Services Senior Program Manager
Subject: Strategic Plan for the Domestic Violence Commission

Proposed Motion:

Discussion of a 5-Year Strategic Plan for the Domestic Violence Commission

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