

Meeting Minutes

Human Relations Commission

Regular Meeting

June 11, 2025 | 4:00 p.m.
ASU Chandler Innovation Center
249 E. Chicago St., Chandler, AZ 85225



Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chair Maxwell at 4:06 p.m.

Roll Call

Commission Attendance

Chair Erica Maxwell
Vice Chair Kriti Agarwal
Commissioner Betty Ramirez
Commissioner Garry Ong
Commissioner Kent Lane
Commissioner Joacim Mattison
Commissioner Pamela Morris
Commissioner Jevan Bremby
Commissioner Tony Pham
Commissioner Shauna Risinger

Staff Attendance

Tadd Wille, Assistant City Manager
Niki Tapia, DEI Officer
Adrianna Erickson, DEI Coordinator
Dara Gibson, DEI Specialist
CC Cantabrana, Management Assistant

Commissioners Absent

Commissioner Omar Rodriguez

Guests

Taylor Ducklow, Facilitator

Scheduled and Unscheduled Public Appearances

None

Consent Agenda Motion and Vote

None

Action Agenda

Election of New Chair and Vice Chair Positions

The Commission held a vote for new Chair and Vice Chair positions. Vice Chair Kriti Agarwal was nominated for Chair, with the motion made by herself and seconded by Commissioner Kent Lane. Commissioner Garry Ong nominated Commissioner Betty Ramirez for Vice Chair, with the nomination seconded by Vice Chair Kriti Agarwal. Both motions passed unanimously.

Selection of Review Committees

There was a call for the selection of review committees for the Diversity Education Mini-Grants (going forward to be called the YouthSpark Education Grant) and the Event Sponsorship Grant (going forward to be called the Community Threads Grant). Commissioner Shaunna Risinger nominated Commissioners Kent Lane and Jevan Bremby to serve on the YouthSpark Committee, with the nomination seconded by Vice Chair Kriti Agarwal. Vice Chair Agarwal then nominated Commissioners Pam Morris, Kent Lane, and Shaunna Risinger to serve on the Community Threads Committee, seconded by Commissioner Betty Ramirez. Both motions passed unanimously.

Discussion

Taylor Ducklow facilitated a presentation to support the HRC Strategic Plan, focusing on how to work collaboratively, continuing best practices for serving the community, and build the vision of the Commission.

Member Comments/Announcements

Calendar

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 20, 2025, at 6 p.m., in the Chandler City Council Chambers, 88 E. Chicago St., Chandler, AZ

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 6:03 p.m.



CC Cantabrana, Recording Secretary



Erica Maxwell, Chair