

Allegheny County Human Relations Commission  
Minutes of October 5, 2016 Meeting  
Date/Time: October 5, 2016 at 8:30 a.m.  
Location: Conference Room 1, Allegheny County Courthouse  
First Floor  
436 Grant Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

I. Call to order: 8:40 a.m.

Commission members present  
Mary Gibson, Vice Chairperson  
Jessica McCurdy (via phone)  
William Price  
Dan Styche

Staff members present  
Holly Grabowski, Employee Relations Coordinator, Department of Human Resources

II. Introduction of Guests: Chairperson Broadus recognized and welcomed  
Joe Catanese, Director of Constituent Services and Government Relations, Office of  
County Council

III. Approval of Minutes of the September 30, 2016 meeting: Commissioner Styche made a  
motion to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Price and  
carried unanimously.

IV. Chairperson Update: Vice Chairperson Gibson announced that Chairperson Broadus would  
not be in attendance and that she would be leading the meeting.

Vice Chairperson Gibson stated that she attended an Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing  
Task Force meeting and reported that they are still in “set-up mode” but have created sub-  
committees on different protected areas such as race, gender, community outreach, etc. She  
signed up for the Community Outreach sub-committee and announced that they are looking  
for others to get involved. She offered to cycle off with other Commissioner members who  
might be interested in joining.

V. Staff and Committee Reports:

Law: Ms. Liebenguth was not present at today’s meeting. Commissioner Price stated that  
they do not have a job description for the Conflict Counsel position and he will follow up  
with Ms. Liebenguth.

Commissioner Price reported that he was prepared to discuss his recommendations for the  
motion summaries and thought them to be straight forward. Since members of the  
Compliance Review Committee Group two were not present he would present to Group one  
directly following the meeting.

VI. Community Events:

Commissioner Styche presented a listing of eleven school districts that will be participating in the ACHRC Diversity Luncheon - Community Outreach Welcome Meeting. The event will take place on Thursday, October 27, 2016. He provided the districts with a broad overview but would like to be able to provide specifics details. Thoughts would be to include group nominations i.e., clubs in addition to individual nominations, transgender bathrooms, etc. Vice-Chairperson Gibson said it would also be an opportunity to let the community know that the ACHRC exists, that there is an ordinance in place, and that complaints can be filed with the Commission.

Commissioner Styche invited anyone who would like to see a particular school district attend that wasn't on the list to either reach out themselves or let him know and he would contact them.

VII. Adjournment: A motion was made by Vice Chairperson Gibson to adjourn at 8:57 a.m. The motion was seconded by Commission Styche and carried unanimously.