



City of Elkhart
Human Relations

**HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

Thursday, September 25, 2025 at 9:30 am

Meeting Location: Municipal Annex Conference Room
201 South Second Street
Elkhart, Indiana

Mary Jo Weyrick
Mayoral Appointment
Term:
10/28/2021-12/31/2021

Dana Irving
Mayoral Appointment
Term:
01/01/2021-12/31/2022

Melinda Riley
Mayoral Appointment
Term:
1/1/2025-12/31/2027

Crystal Welsh
Mayoral Appointment
Term:
11/20/2017-12/31/2020

Vacant
Mayoral Appointment
Term:

H. Brent Curry
Council Liaison
Term:
01/01/2025-12/31/2025

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MEETING NUMBER: 2305 664 4585

PASSWORD: MEET

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1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
 - a. February 27, 2025, Minutes
 - b. May 22, 2025, Minutes
4. Other Business
 - a. Next meetings
 - i. November 20, 2025 @ 9:00 am and 9:30 am
 - ii. December 11, 2025 @ 9:00 am and 9:30 am
5. Chairperson's Remarks
6. Privilege of the Floor
7. Adjournment



HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION EXECUTIVE SESSION Minutes

Thursday, February 27, 2025

LOCATION: 201 South Second St., Annex Conference Room

Members Present:	Mary Jo Weyrick Crystal Welsh Dana Irving Melinda Riley	Others Present:	Dana Donald (Staff) Brent Curry (Council Liaison) Rose Rivera (Attorney)
		Members Absent	Mary Kaczka Patty Gorostieta

Pursuant to Indiana Code IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(1),(7), the City of Elkhart's Human Relations Commission met in an executive session on **February 27, 2025**. The meeting was called to order by Mary Jo Weyrick, Chair, at 9:04 AM in the Annex Conference room, 201 S. Second St., Elkhart, IN 46516.

Fair Housing Case:
ELK2403
ELK2404

Motion was made (Welsh/Irving) to adjourn the meeting at 9:31 AM.

Dana Donald, Staff
Human Relations Commission

Mary Jo Weyrick, Chairperson
Human Relations Commission



HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
REGULAR SESSION Minutes
Thursday, February 27, 2025
LOCATION: 201 South Second St., Annex Conference Room

Members Present: Mary Jo
Weyrick
Crystal Welsh
Dana Irving
Melinda Riley

Staff Present: Dana Donald
Rose Rivera
Brent Curry

Staff Absent: Mary Kaczka
Patty Goroslieta

Chairperson Weyrick called the meeting to order at 9:32 a.m.

Approval of Agenda

Chairperson Weyrick asked for a motion to approve the agenda.
A motion was made and seconded (Welsh/Irving) to approve the agenda. All ayes motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

Chairperson Weyrick asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the January 23, 2025, meeting.
A motion was made and seconded (Irving/Welsh) to approve the minutes. All ayes motion carried.

New Business

A motion was made and seconded (Welsh/Irving) to approve the contract for Doneisha Posey as Administrative Law Judge for one year on an as needed basis. All ayes motion carried.

A motion was made and seconded (Irving/Welsh) to proceed with fair housing billboards and to enter into a contract with LAMAR. All ayes motion carried.

Fair Housing Cases

- ELK2403 H-N.O., F.S. – Close and dismiss case with prejudice due to a No Probable Cause finding. This determination is final and subject only to judicial review in accordance with the provisions of Indiana Code 4-21.5-5 as amended.

A motion was made and seconded (Welsh/Irving) to accept the No Probable Cause finding. All ayes motion carried.

Other Business

Human Relations Commission meeting –Next scheduled meeting is March 27, 2025, at 9:00 am and 9:30am

HUD FHEO wants Commissioners to engage in fair housing training. Fair Housing Center of Central Indiana will be hosting their 13th Annual Fair Housing Conference which will be virtual. We are permitted to use Training Funds, but I will still need to send a specific email to HUD about the training and who all will be attending from our agency.

Ms. Donald will email the information to the Commissioners to see who is available. Commissioner Welsh asked if lunch could be provided from our donation account. Ms. Donald stated that she would ask about that.

Chairperson's Remarks

Privilege of the Floor

Adjournment

There being no further business, a motion was made and seconded (Welsh/Irving) to adjourn at 9:42 am.

All ayes motion carried.

ATTEST:

Mary Jo Weyrick, Chairperson
Human Relations Commission

Dana Donald, Staff
Human Relations Commission



HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION EXECUTIVE SESSION Minutes

Thursday, May 22, 2025

LOCATION: 201 South Second St., Annex Conference Room

Members Present:	Mary Jo Weyrick Dana Irving Melinda Riley	Others Present:	Dana Donald (Staff) Brent Curry (Council Liaison) Rose Rivera (Attorney)
		Members Absent	Mary Kaczka Crystal Welsh

Pursuant to Indiana Code IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(1),(7), the City of Elkhart's Human Relations Commission met in an executive session on **May 22, 2025**. The meeting was called to order by Mary Jo Weyrick, Chair, at 9:06 AM in the Annex Conference room, 201 S. Second St., Elkhart, IN 46516.

Motion was made (Irving/Riley) to adjourn the meeting at 10:15 AM.

Dana Donald, Staff
Human Relations Commission

Mary Jo Weyrick, Chairperson
Human Relations Commission