



City of Elkhart
Human Relations

Rod Roberson, Mayor

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

Leticia Najar
Mayoral Appointment
Term:
3/16/2026-12/31/2027

Vacant
Mayoral Appointment
Term:

H. Brent Curry
Council Liaison
Term:
01/01/2024-12/31/2027

Human Relations Commission
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, May 21, 2026 at 9:00 am

MEETING LOCATION:

City Hall-Council Chambers
201 South Second Street
Elkhart, Indiana

PUBLIC VIRTUAL OPTIONS:

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join:

<https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/278417411757380?p=Tqf2k6w0odPwR2yjHH>

Meeting ID: 278 417 411 757 380

Passcode: 4Lj3jV3s

1. Call to Order
2. Welcome to New Commissioner – Leticia Najar
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes
 - a. December 11, 2025
5. New Business
 - a. Fair Housing Cases
 - i. ELK2504 H-D Emotional Support Animal
 - ii. ELK2505 H-R Apartment Application
 - iii. ELK2506 H-D Apartment Renewal
 - iv. ELK2507 H-D Emotional Support Animal
 - v. ELK2508 H-D Administrative Closure
6. Other Business
 - a. Special Meeting in June
7. Chairperson's Remarks
8. Privilege of the Floor
9. Adjournment



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**HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
EXECUTIVE MEETING MINUTES**

Not open to the public

Thursday, December 11, 2025 at 9:00 am
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Members present:

Mary Jo Weyrick
Dana Irving
Melinda Riley

Others present:

Dana Donald
Brent Curry

Others absent:

Rose Rivera (Via Webex)
Mary Kaczka

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 December 11, 2025. The meeting was called to order by Mary Jo Weyrick, Chair, at 9:15 AM in the Annex Conference room, 201 S. Second St., Elkhart, IN 46516.

Motion was made (Irving/Welsh) to adjourn the meeting at 9:33 AM.

Dana Donald, Staff
Human Relations Commission

Mary Jo Weyrick, Chairperson
Human Relations Commission



HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING Minutes
Thursday, December 11, 2025 at 9:30 am
Meeting Location: Municipal Annex Conference Room
201 South Second Street
Elkhart, Indiana

Members present:
Mary Jo Weyrick
Dana Irving
Melinda Riley

Others present:
Dana Donald
Brent Curry

Others absent:
Rose Rivera (Via Webex)
Mary Kaczka

Chairperson Weyrick called the meeting to order at 9:35 a.m.

Floor was open for nominations for Chairperson and Vice Chairperson

A motion was made and seconded (Irving/Riley) to nominate Mary Jo Weyrick as Commission Chairperson. All ayes motion carried.

A motion was made and seconded (Irving/Weyrick) to nominate Melinda Riley as Commission Vice Chairperson. All ayes motion carried.

Approval of Agenda

Chairperson Weyrick asked for a motion to approve the agenda with correction to the date of the Approval of Minutes from November 20, 2025 to November 14, 2025.

A motion was made and seconded (Irving/Riley) to approve the agenda. All ayes motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

Chairperson Weyrick asked for a motion to approve the minutes from November 14, 2025 with correction to Crystal Welsh name being to Members Absent from Others Absent.

A motion was made and seconded (Riley/Irving) to approve the minutes. All ayes motion carried.

FHAP Cases

ELK2503 H D

Motion made and seconded (Irving/Riley) to issue a no probable case finding. All ayes motion carried. Case is closed and dismissed 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.

Chairperson's Remarks

Crystal Welsh resigned from Commission. An outreach and education session is planned for Thursday, February 12, 2025 at noon in the Municipal Annex.

Privilege of the Floor

No comments from Brent Curry- Mr. Curry stated that he's in contact with Ms. Donald when issues are brought to his attention. Ms. Irving asked how are we going on cases. Ms. Donald stated that we have closed four cases and this meets HUD's requirement of investigating four fair housing cases per city population.

Adjournment

There being no further business, a motion was made and seconded (Riley/Irving) to adjourn at 9:49 am.

All ayes motion carried.

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