



Human Rights Commission Agenda

Thursday, December 17, 2020 6:30 pm

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1. **CALL TO ORDER:** Chair
Opening Remarks, Announcements and Agenda Review/Additions
Approval of November 19, 2020 Meeting Minutes (5 minutes)

2. **Reports and Comments:** All
Public Comment (15 minutes)
HR Commission Member Reports (10 minutes)

3. **Action and Discussion Items:** All
 - a. Town Responses to Inequities: (20 minutes)
 - i. Town Council's Resolution Affirming the Town of Amherst's Commitment to end Structural Racism and Achieve Racial Equity for Black Residents
 - ii. Update on Community Safety Working Group
 - iii. Community outreach survey prepared by Jennifer Moyston

4. **Upcoming events:** All
Town celebration of Kwanzaa; Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.; Chinese New Year; Black History Month; 2020 HRC Retreat; Delegation of Calendar Events (20 minutes)

5. **Topics the Chair did not reasonably anticipate 48 hours in advance of the meeting** Chair

6. **Adjourn** Chair

The Amherst Human Rights Commission invites members of the public to its meetings. We set aside time at the beginning of each meeting for the public to address us, and we appreciate the thoughts and feedback we receive from the community. Because of our obligations under the Open Meetings Law, all of the work of the Commission can only be done when we are together in our public meetings. For this reason, we cannot respond to the public comments we receive in real time, and we must limit the public comment to a defined time on our meeting agenda. We also welcome feedback via email, HumanRights@amherstma.gov.