

MINUTES

ROLL CALL

- A. Present: Ralston Aoki, Kirkeeng, Nailon, Lee, Smith, Dlugose
Excused: Fox, Murphy
City Staff: Brookes, Cllr Greenberg
Guests: 3

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

- A. **Motion** to approve agenda with addition of Vice Chair report: Kirkeeng
Second: Nailon
Motion carried

CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES

- A. Consideration of minutes from HRC meeting of January 29, 2026
- B. **Motion** to approve minutes of 1/29 with updates: Lee
Second: Kirkeeng
Motion carried.

CHAIR REPORT

- A. **Chair** Ralston Aoki: Comment period for gender-affirming care rules ends 2/17. Attended the council meeting last night and recapped the ideas that were shared during meeting of 1/29. Sun Post has asked for a column which Ralston Aoki is working on. Also recommended a town hall meeting for Council & police.

Vice Chair Kirkeeng: 2nd annual Women's History Month is in planning stages. Will honor indigenous women & women who have migrated here. Working with Historical Society. Nailon volunteered to assist.

Parker Flats residents are asking for resources, would be an opportunity for another outreach event.

OLD BUSINESS

- A. Recommendations to Council regarding policies and other action steps to address Operation Metro Surge impacts
- a. Finalize immediate or short-term recommendations and actions
- Ralston Aoki: At Council meeting on 2/10, a separation ordinance was a major discussion point. Residents' input was impactful. A draft ordinance was considered. Goal is to have first reading at next Tuesday's meeting.

Motion to support the adoption of the separation ordinance: Ralston Aoki

Second: Lee

Motion carried.

Regarding a temporary city eviction moratorium: many factors to take into consideration. If it looks viable, HRC may put together proposed language. One option is to consider extending eviction notice period.

City staff are looking into whether City provided sign templates regarding ICE activity in buildings are feasible.

b. Provide updates/action steps on medium/long term recommendations and actions

Policy on aftercare: Police procedures have been modified to require offering assistance after an ICE event.

Immigration law event: Lee and Murphy have gathered information.

Motion to form a subcommittee to plan to hold an educational event on immigration law:

Nailon

Second: Lee

Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

A. Complaint related to Jan. 8th incident at the Robbinsdale Hy-Vee

- Ralston Aoki met with City and County staff today including police to discuss the incident.

B. Need to reschedule February meeting or change location

- Reschedule to 2/24 at 7:00 pm *Moved to Manor Park for 2/26

COMMISSIONER REPORTS

OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

A. 8:23 pm