


<h1>MINUTES</h1>	July 14 th , 2022 At 12:00 pm	 CITY OF SIOUX FALLS
Human Relations Commission Meeting	Commission Room 1st Floor—City Hall 224 West Ninth Street Sioux Falls, South Dakota	

Commissioners	Present	Commissioners	Present	Staff	Present
Shaku Bannister	Video	Anny Libengood		Sharla Svennes	x
Tony Burke - Secretary	Video	Megan Myers	Video	Lyndsey Meier	
Elmar Delibasic	x	Justine Schoolmeester – Vice-chair		Catherine Schlimgen	
Karen Gourley		Kassidi Smith	x	Angelica Cruz - Intern	x
Megan Grode-Wolters - Chair	x	Nassir Yeman			
Dawn Marie Johnson	Video				

Due to lack of immediate quorum, Chair asked presenters to begin at 1:05.

Guest Speakers: Michelle Erpenbach & Roger Jacobs – Thrive Housing Action Team

- Collective Impact work - Cradle to Career – access to over 200 volunteers
 1. Kid Link - Out of School Eco-system around the schools – 20% in school/80% out of school = how to assist/could be a touch point for HRC – family night – parent education piece on Tuesday nights
 2. Food Security – 4-point increase in Food Insecurity; systemic problem; access to transportation – [link for report](#)
 3. Affordable Housing – Presentation on Housing
 - One Roof – Community Action Team-Case Management
 - Creation of a housing trust fund i.e., Rapid City Strategic Housing – unencumbered funds; easier access
 - Attempting to create a Housing Portal/Housing Navigation Tool
 - Creating coalitions of the willing to work collaboratively
 - What are the barriers to get affordable housing? Funding, political will, neighborhood acceptance

CALL TO ORDER

A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order at 1:02.

Motion made by Commissioner Burke, seconded by Commissioner Delibasic to approve agenda. **Carried.**

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM JUNE 2022 MEETING

Motion made by Commissioner Delibasic, seconded by Commissioner Burke to approve minutes from June 9th, 2022, meeting. Not minor edit approval of minutes motion was for May. **Carried.**

PUBLIC INPUT

No public input.

Due to presentation duration, Chair and Commission agreed to move all remaining business to the August 2022 meeting.

NEXT MEETING

August 11th, 2022 – 12:00 pm

ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Commissioner Delibasic, seconded by Commissioner Burke to adjourn the meeting. **Carried**
Meeting adjourned at 1:06 pm.