Allegheny County Human Relations Commission

Minutes of August 4, 2021

Date/Time: August 4, 2021 at 8:30 a.m.

Location: Virtual Via Zoom

I. Call to order: 8:34 a.m.

Commission members present

Arthur Pang Nicola Henry-Taylor Marlin Woods William Price Betsy Magley

Staff members present

Ellen Buannic, Employee Relations Coordinator

- II. Guests: none
- III. Approval of Minutes: A motion to approve was made with changes and carried unanimously.
- IV. Chairperson Update: Chairperson Price discussed current vacancies. Additionally, two (2) members are actively seeking public office, presenting challenges to a full commission in the near future. Need to follow up on appointment expirations and send an update to the Executive for new appointments. Commissioner Henry-Taylor suggested someone contact the Executive's Chief of Staff and Chairperson Price stipulated he will do so today.

Chairperson has contacted school districts regarding the Diversity event. All districts are overwhelmed with return to school regarding COVID-19 protocols. It was suggested to move the event to later in the year or Spring.

V. Staff and Committee Reports:

Law Department: none

Human Resources: Ms. Buannic had no updates at this time.

Committee Reports: No committee reports at this time.

- VI. Community Events: none
- VII. Announcements and Open Floor:
- VIII. Adjournment: A motion was made by Commissioner Pang to adjourn at 8:48 a.m. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Woods and carried unanimously.