

Allegheny County Human Relations Commission

Minutes of December 3, 2025

Date/Time: December 3, 2025, at 9:30 AM

Location: via webconference

1. Call to Order: 9:35 am
 - a. Commission members present
 - i. Arthur Pang, Chair
 - ii. J. Nicole Rhodes
 - iii. Tanya Vokes
 - iv. Leslie Paul Jamerson
 - b. Staff members present
 - i. Ellen Buannic, Employee Relations Coordinator
 - ii. Jake Lifson, Assistant County Solicitor
 - iii. Joe Saldutte. Employee Relations Coordinator
2. Introduction of Guests: None
3. Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Rhodes motioned to approve October and November meeting minutes. Chairperson Pang seconded the motion. The motion carried without objection.
4. Chairperson's Update: The Executive Director search begins again.
5. Staff and Committee Reports
 - a. Law Department: no news on Executive Director search. Two cases pending need determination. One should be dismissed due to jurisdiction conflict.
 - b. Human Resources Department: none
6. Strategic Initiatives and Process Improvement: Chairperson confirmed that the date/time of the Commission's meeting still is convenient for all members. No objections.
7. Community Events: Giving Tuesday was yesterday, December 2. Food Banks and Housing Shelters are in need due to cuts in funding. August Wilson Holiday party is December 13 from 12-4 PM.
8. Announcements and Open Floor: none
9. Adjournment: Commissioner: Meeting adjourned at 9:47.

Review Group #1

Arthur Pang, and J. Nicole Rhodes

Review Group #2

Leslie Paul Jamerson, Tanya Vokes, and Kellie Ware, Esq.

Motions Commissioner

J. Nicole Rhodes