

1. Call to Order: 9:34 am
 - a. Commission members present
 - i. Arthur Pang, Chairperson
 - ii. Kellie Ware, Esq., Vice Chair
 - iii. Leslie Paul Jamerson
 - iv. Tanya Vokes
 - v. J. Nicole Rhodes
 - b. Staff members present
 - i. Ellen Buannic, Employee Relations Coordinator
 - ii. Jake Lifson, Assistant County Solicitor
2. Introduction of Guests: None
3. Approval of Minutes: Chairperson Pang made a motion to approve or edit August minutes, and the motion carried. Motion to approve September minutes was made and carried.
4. Chairperson's Update: The interview process for the Executive Director position is completed. A strong pool of candidates was interviewed.
5. Staff and Committee Reports
 - a. Law Department: Attorney Lifson provided an update the motion to dismiss draft to be completed and submitted to Motions Commissioner Rhodes/
 - b. Human Resources Department: none
6. Strategic Initiatives and Process Improvement: Many of the initiatives pending the commencement of the Commission's Executive Director.
7. Community Events: Kelly Strahorn theater announced ticket sales for November's Sweetwater event. Confluence Ballet has an upcoming performance.
8. Announcements and Open Floor: Tess Dally has requested that a representative from the ACHRC attend an upcoming City-County Task Force on Disabilities meeting to share information about the commission's work and explore potential cases where support may be needed. These meetings are held on the third Monday of each month from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Arthur Pang will attend the next meeting if his schedule permits.
9. Adjournment: Commissioner Vokes made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:45 a.m., seconded by Commissioner Jamerson. The Chairperson called for an Executive session immediately following adjournment.

Review Group #1

Arthur Pang, and J. Nicole Rhodes

Allegheny County Human Relations Commission
Minutes of September 3, 2025
Date/Time: September 3, 2025, at 9:30 AM
Location: via webconference

Review Group #2

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

Motions Commissioner

J. Nicole Rhodes