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## Human Rights Commission Agenda

**Date:** Wednesday, Oct 20, 2021

**Time:** 8:00 PM- 10:00 PM

**Location:** Conducted by Remote Participation

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When: Oct 20, 2021 08:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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<https://www.mass.gov/doc/open-meeting-law-order-march-12-2020/download>

### Agenda

1. Remote Meeting Notice and Land Acknowledgement (5 min)
2. Review of Minutes (5 min)
3. Review of Sept Community Input (1 min)
4. Co-chair Report (10 min)
  - a. Robbins Library Event – Mar 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm
    - i. Volunteers needed
  - b. Remote Participation Study Committee Inquiry
    - i. Form to gather information to help guide practices and policies for remote participation in Town meetings after the current Covid restrictions are lifted
  - c. Addressing Hate in Our Communities on Tuesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 3:30pm: Attorney General's Office

- i. Register via email
  - d. Joint Meeting with Chief of Police and Town Manager
    - i. Matthew Shephard Foundation Training: expect 4 seats
      - 1. Nov 11 – 12pm
- 5. DEI Division updates (10 min) - Jillian
  - a. Introduction to Margaret Credle Thomas - APS DEI Director
  - b. Update on re-precincting
  - c. ACAC fall residency – Chanel Thervil
- 6. Working Group Q&A (10 min)
  - a. Schools and Education
  - b. Outreach/Events
    - i. Gun buy-back recap
  - c. Communications
  - d. Housing
  - e. IPD
    - i. Celebrating Indigenous Peoples' Day
- 7. MAHRC – Commissioner Pusey (1 min)
- 8. Chief's Advisory Council – Commissioner Grossman (1 min)
- 9. Civilian Review Board Exploratory Committee – Commissioner Rogers (15 min)
  - a. Interim Report Discussion
- 10. Potential Statements
  - a. MA Indigenous Legislative Agenda – Commissioner Soneja (15 min)
- 11. Community Input (15 min)
- 12. Incidents (10 min)
  - a. Ottoson graffiti – Commissioner Soneja
  - b. Lawn sign stolen – Commissioner Carey/Carney
- 13. Announcements (5 min)
  - a. Retreat update
  - b. Sign-ups for Jan-Jun 2022 (Coffee chats and incident reporting)
  - c. Kick-off for 2022 Co-Chair Candidates
  - d. Coffee Chats
    - i. Oct – Commissioner Brown/Rogers
    - ii. Nov – Commissioner Carey/Horowitz
  - e. Incident Handling
    - i. Oct – Commissioner Carey
    - ii. Nov – Commissioner Carney

**Next meeting:** November 20, 2021, 8:00 pm, Remote Participation.

Anyone needing accessibility information or other assistance to attend this meeting should contact Jillian Harvey, [jharvey@town.arlington.ma.us](mailto:jharvey@town.arlington.ma.us). This meeting is open to all interested individuals.