

Pursuant to ARS § 38-431.06, notice is hereby given to the members of the Tucson Commission on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Issues and to the general public that the Tucson Commission on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Issues will hold the following meeting, which will be open to the public:

## Tucson Commission on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Issues Meeting Notice

The Tucson Commission on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Issues will conduct a regular meeting
Thursday, June 23, 2022, 6:30PM

Meeting Held Virtually Via Zoom at this link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85195205476?p wd=Hk1pUBBrFwQT1oE15wOqLHbX01 TPXe.1

## **AGENDA**

- 1) Call to Order / Roll Call
- 2) Approval of Previous LAR/Meeting Minutes
  - a) <a href="https://www.tucsonaz.gov/clerks/boards?run=pastLAR&board=40">https://www.tucsonaz.gov/clerks/boards?run=pastLAR&board=40</a>
- 3) Introduction of Commission Members, Pronouns shared as comfortable.
- 4) Call to Audience (3 min. each)

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- 5) Anti-LGBTQ Legislation ACTION ITEM
  - a) Thank you to Mx. Santa Cruz and Ward 1 staff for travelling to the Arizona Capitol to negotiate and protest.
  - b) Update on legislation.
  - c) Calling for stronger advocacy from Mayor and Council regarding legislation targeting LGBTQ+ communities in Arizona.
- 6) Report from Comm. Loya: Commission Name Change Update
- 7) Report from Comm. Molina: Human Relations Commission Update
- 8) Report from Comm. Webb: Fast-Track Cities Initiative Update

- 9) Report from TBD: LGBTQ+ Hate-Motivated Violence Task Force ACTION ITEM
  - a) Do we have capacity for this?
  - b) New lead needed.
- **10) Report from Comm. Webb:** Chairperson Updates.
  - a) Please continue to refer interested folks to apply, as this will help us fill remaining Commissioner seats and the 4 non-voting advisory seats on the GLBT Commission.
- **11**) Website to Apply:
- i. https://www.tucsonaz.gov/clerks/bcc-application-form
- **12)** Recruitment/Retention Update:
  - a) Open Seats (4 Seats):
    - i) Ward 1
    - ii) Ward 6
    - iii) 2 Seats Mayor and Council (At-Large)
      - (1) 3 applications currently received, no action by Mayor and City Council to appoint.
      - (2) Over 100 days for the appointment of Dr. Lewis, despite multiple requests to City Clerk's Office and Ward 1 Office.
  - b) Resignations:
    - i) Comm. Molina
    - ii) Comm. Maaske
    - iii) Comm. Webb resignation as Chairperson effective end of July 28<sup>th</sup> Commission Meeting.
  - c) Commissioner Development and Education
    - i) Open Meeting Law
      - (1) For Appointed Commissioner Review:

        <a href="https://www.tucsonaz.gov/files/clerks/pdf/2021\_Open\_Meeting\_Law\_BCC\_webpage.pdf">https://www.tucsonaz.gov/files/clerks/pdf/2021\_Open\_Meeting\_Law\_BCC\_webpage.pdf</a>
    - ii) Needs/Suggestions?

a) Approved Calendar of GLBT Commission Meetings:

March 24, 2022

April 28, 2022

May 26, 2022

June 23, 2022

July 28, 2022

August 25, 2022

September 22, 2022

October 27, 2022

November 17, 2022

December 15, 2022

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- 13) Arizona State Senate Republican Caucus Statement Released June 14, 2022 entitled "Senate Republicans Fight Back Against the Sexual Perversion Children Are Being Exposed To" ACTION ITEM
  - a) Press Release: <a href="https://www.azsenaterepublicans.com/post/senate-republicans-fight-back-against-the-sexual-perversion-children-are-being-exposed-to">https://www.azsenaterepublicans.com/post/senate-republicans-fight-back-against-the-sexual-perversion-children-are-being-exposed-to</a>
    - i) Aims to ban minors from drag shows.
    - ii) Blatant homophobia and transphobia:
      - (1) Conflates sexual orientation and gender identity support and resources with sexual perversion.
- 14) Roe V. Wade Discussion and Commission Action ACTION ITEM
- 15) Commissioners Summary of Current Events information only.
- 16) Future Agenda Items information only.
- 17) Adjournment.