

CITY OF TERRE HAUTE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

Terre Haute Human Relations Commission

Wednesday, June 25, 2025, Minutes

City Hall, 5:00 PM

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Sandy Mutchler at 5:00 PM.

Present

Present: Director, AT Ryan. Commissioners: President Sandy Mutchler, Amber Stewart, Uzziah Hutchinson, Nichelle Campbell-Miller, Dee Reed, Jacqueline Lower, and Vice President Dana Simons. Non-voting member: Katie Lugar

Absent

Non-voting member: Justin Sears.

Approval of May Minutes

Amber Stewart made a motion to accept the May minutes with the correction of Vice President Dana Simons calling the meeting to order, and Jacqueline Lower seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Director's Report

All commissioners received a copy of the Director's Report. Director Ryan gave updates on ongoing projects and initiatives. A motion to accept the Director's Report was made by Nichelle Campbell-Miller and seconded by Dana Simons. The motion passed.

Old Business

PrideFest 2025 Sponsorship

A discussion took place about the signage of our sponsorship for the 2025 Terre Haute Pride Fest. It was decided that the commission would be recognized as a tier two sponsor. A motion was made to sponsor the Pride fest with a \$3,000 custom sponsorship by Dee Reed and seconded by Amber Stewart. The motion passed.

2026 Budget

Director AT discussed her meeting with the City Controller and agreeing on a draft that maintains our current programming capacity while allowing for modest increases in administrative and event-related support. All commissioners received a copy of the draft budget. Letters can be sent to Director AT before July 7, 2025 in support of this proposal. No action needed.

New Business

2025-2026 Program Planning

Director Ryan proposed that the Commission host a planning retreat to develop our programmatic goals for 2026. At this retreat we would revisit our goals we set in our strategic plan, assess our progress, and determine what we need to do to continue advancing that work.

A poll will be created and sent through email by Director Ryan to choose a potential date for the retreat.

Statements from Commissioners

No comments were made by commissioners.

Statements from Audience on items not on the agenda

No public comments were made.

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn was made by Nichelle Campbell-Miller and seconded by Jacqueline Lower. The motion passed.