

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION



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Regular Meeting ~Agenda~

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Tuesday,
August 18, 2026

4:00 PM

Mayor's Conference Room
206 E. 3rd St.

WELCOME AND ATTENDANCE

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Mission of the Human Rights Commission

It is the duty of the Commission to affirm, encourage, and initiate programs and services within the city designed to eliminate discrimination, improve human relations, and effectuate the spirit and intent of applicable human rights legislation. In these efforts, the Commission may enlist the support of community groups and public agencies.

2. Approval of Minutes for July 21, 2026 (ACTION ITEM)

Minutes presented for approval.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or take such other action deemed appropriate.

3. Review of Calendar (ACTION ITEM)

Review of upcoming meetings and events.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Add/edit items to the calendar; or provide staff with further directions.

4. Budget (ACTION ITEM)

A vote will be taken to approve up to \$250 for sponsorship of a Social Justice Forum event.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Vote to approve an amount up to \$250 for this sponsorship; or take such other action deemed appropriate.

5. Citizen's Survey (ACTION ITEM)

Vote to include two questions in the cities biennially survey to the community to assess as a benchmark of community perceptions and provide an evaluation of the municipal services.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Select two questions to submit to the City of Moscow; or take such other action deemed appropriate.

6. The "Longest Table" Dinner Sponsorship (ACTION ITEM)

A vote will be taken to use funds, up to \$1250.00, of the remaining Fiscal budget.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Vote to ask for approval to use funds, up to \$1250.00, for The "Longest Table" Dinner; or take such other action deemed appropriate.

7. Request a Fourth Location to Vote (ACTION ITEM)

Current locations: Hamilton Indoor Recreations Center, Latah County Fair Exhibit Building, and University of Idaho Student Recreation Center.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: A vote to send a letter to the Moscow City Council, requesting that they petition Latah County officials for a fourth voting location in Moscow to minimize long lines and waiting times; or take such other action deemed appropriate.

8. Public Comment and Response to Previous Comments (limited to 10 minutes)

Members of the public may speak to the Commission regarding matters NOT on the agenda or currently pending before the Commission. Please state your name and city of residence for the record and limit your remarks to three (3) minutes.

REPORTS

1. Latah County Human Rights Task Force – United Community Coalition Report- Muneta
2. Staff Liaison update- Dahlinger
3. Social Justice Forums- Smiley-Kallas and Argersinger
4. Juneteenth- Argersinger and Jensen
5. Rural Welcoming Initiative- Argersinger
6. Report on Hate Incidents / Moscow as an Inclusive Community- Dahlinger

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

ADJOURN

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