

**AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
WEDNESDAY, March 23, 2011
7:00 P.M.**

Council Chambers
34009 Alvarado-Niles Road
Union City, CA 94587

I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

II. ROLL CALL: Chairperson Harper, Vice Chair Pettey, Commissioner Abanico, Commissioner Cheema, Commissioner Hsu, Commissioner Kaur, Commissioner Smeester

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Minutes from the February 23, 2011 meeting

IV. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – (This is an opportunity for persons to speak on items not listed on the agenda. According to the California Government Code, the Commission is prohibited from taking any immediate action on an item which does not appear on the agenda.)

V. PUBLIC HEARINGS

VI. WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

VII. PRESENTATIONS

Rich Degree (?) – Review City budget/cuts

**VIII. Update on HRC Retreat
Revised Mission:**

Human Relations Commission promotes and helps create a vibrant community in which every individual may live, learn, work, and flourish.

Focus for 2011: Improve quality of life in Union City. Each commissioner will be more involved throughout the community, specifically with youth, inter-faith, elder care, safety, public health, support services, and sister cities. Each commissioner will report each meeting on his/her area of community involvement with a goal to determine what is the biggest hindrance related to the quality of life in Union City – and how can we (HRC) help fix it.

Future Speakers to participate at the HRC meetings will be from Mid-Pen, City Staff, New Haven School District, FAJ, YVPIP, FRC, and Life Eldercare

IX. Old Business

***Business Cards/Photos for New Commissioners**

***Budget Update (Meaure UU, AA, CalGrip)**

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X. NEW BUSINESS

Community Involvement

- Commissioner Reports

- Youth
 - YVIP (Harper)
 - Youth Commission (Cheema, Abanico)

- Community Outreach
 - 1st Annual HRC Community Event (Kaur)
 - Inter-faith (Cheema)
 - Resources/events (Abanico)
 - Equity Task Force (Pettesy)
 - Kids Zone (Smeester)

- Safety, Public Health, Support Services
 - Family Resource Center (Hsu)
 - Tiburcio Vasquez Health Center (Pettesy)
 - Alameda County Public Health Commission (Hsu)
 - Alameda County Hep B Initiative (Pettesy)
 - Life Eldercare (Pettesy)
 - Disabilities, Family Support (Smeester)

HRC Planning

- HRC Pamphlet and Web Page (Hsu)
- Budget Restoration Recommendations to City Council

XI. FUTURE AGENDA

XII. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

XIII. GOOD OF THE ORDER

XIV. NEXT HRC MEETING – APRIL 27, 2011

XV. ADJOURN

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