

West Des Moines Human Rights Commission

MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, April 7, 2026: 5:00 – 6:30 PM

LOCATION: WDM Human Services, 139 6th St., West Des Moines, IA

Members of the public wishing to participate in this meeting are also able to do so

*Telephonically via **Teams**, by calling:*

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1. Roll Call
 - a. Commissioner Berkenes
 - b. Commissioner Cole-Duvall
 - c. Commissioner Molyneux
 - d. Commissioner Kakkanad
 - e. Commissioner Morgan
 - f. Commissioner Womble
 - g. Commissioner Rocha-Smith
 - h. Youth Ex-officio (Patton)
 2. Approval of March 2026 meeting minutes
 3. Opportunity for public to address the Commission (5 min per community member)
 4. Complaints Received
 5. Budget Update
 6. New Business
 - a. Annual Retreat- May or June?
 - b. Training with Bethany Snyder
 - c. Discussion/approval- New Urban Experience Media Kit & Hola Iowa Advertising
 - d. New Council Member?
 - e. Proclamations
 - f. New state civil rights law discussion
 - g. New City Council liaison
 7. Old Business
 8. Staff Report
 9. Council Report
 10. Commissioner's and Sub Committee Report
 - a. Commissioner Cole-Duvall & Commissioner Rocha-Smith (Education Sub Committee)
 - b. Commissioner Berkenes & Commissioner Molyneux (Engage Sub Committee)
 - c. Commissioner Al Womble & Commissioner Kakkanad (Connect Sub Committee)
 - d. Commissioner Morgan (Chair Report)
 - e. Youth Ex-officio Kendal Patton (student report)

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