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Workforce, Education, and Equity Committee

**February 8, 2021
9:00 AM**

The Workforce, Education, and Equity Committee meeting will be held by videoconference. The meeting will be broadcast live on Spectrum Cable Channel 16 and online at bit.ly/cityofdallastv.

The public may also listen to the meeting as an attendee at the following videoconference link: <https://dallascityhall.webex.com/dallascityhall/onstage/g.php?MTID=eb3253bbd1df0bd8d8b3ddb5e665fcbc4>

2021 CITY COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS

COUNCIL COMMITTEE	
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Atkins (C), Blewett (VC), Gates, McGough, Narvaez, Resendez, West	ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY Narvaez (C), West (VC), Atkins, Blackmon, Gates
GOVERNMENT PERFORMANCE AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT Mendelsohn (C), Gates (VC), Bazaldua, McGough, Thomas	HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS SOLUTIONS Thomas (C), Mendelsohn (VC), Arnold, Blackmon, Kleinman, Resendez, West
PUBLIC SAFETY Gates (C), Kleinman (VC), Arnold, Bazaldua, Blewett, McGough, Medrano, Mendelsohn, Thomas	QUALITY OF LIFE, ARTS, AND CULTURE Medrano (C), Atkins (VC), Arnold, Blewett, Narvaez
TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE McGough (C), Medrano (VC), Atkins, Bazaldua, Kleinman, Mendelsohn, West	WORKFORCE, EDUCATION, AND EQUITY Thomas (C), Resendez (VC), Blackmon, Kleinman, Medrano
AD HOC JUDICIAL NOMINATING COMMITTEE McGough (C), Blewett, Mendelsohn, Narvaez, West	AD HOC LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS Johnson (C), Mendelsohn (VC), Atkins, Gates, McGough
AD HOC COMMITTEE ON COVID-19 RECOVERY AND ASSISTANCE Thomas (C), Atkins, Blewett, Gates, Mendelsohn, Narvaez, Resendez	

(C) – Chair, (VC) – Vice Chair

Call to Order**MINUTES**

1. [21-232](#) Approval of the January 11, 2021 Workforce, Education, and Equity Committee Meeting Minutes

Attachments: [Minutes](#)

BRIEFING MEMORANDUM WITH ACTION

2. [21-238](#) Workforce: Workforce Development Collaborations to Maximize Engagement and Efficiency
[Dr. Eric Anthony Johnson, Chief of Economic Development and Neighborhood Services; Robin Bentley, Interim Director, Office of Economic Development]

Attachments: [Memorandum](#)

3. [21-237](#) Equity: Upcoming Office of Equity and Inclusion Agenda Item to Authorize the Execution of a Safe Network Agreement with the Vera Institute of Justice, Inc.
[Christina da Silva, Welcoming Communities and Immigrant Affairs Officer, Office of Equity and Inclusion]

Attachments: [Memorandum](#)

BRIEFING ITEMS WITHOUT ACTION

- A. [21-233](#) Equity: Overview of the Office of Equity and Inclusion
[Liz Cedillo-Pereira, Chief of Equity and Inclusion, City Manager's Office; Dr. Lindsey Wilson, Equity Officer, Office of Equity and Inclusion; Barksdale Haggins, Fair Housing Administrator, Office of Equity and Inclusion; LaToya Jackson, Human Rights Officer, Office of Equity and Inclusion; Genesis D. Gavino, Resilience Officer, Office of Equity and Inclusion; Christina da Silva, Welcoming Communities and Immigrant Affairs Officer, Office of Equity and Inclusion]

Attachments: [Presentation](#)

ADJOURNMENT

EXECUTIVE SESSION NOTICE

A closed executive session may be held if the discussion of any of the above agenda items concerns one of the following:

1. seeking the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation, settlement offers, or any matter in which the duty of the attorney to the City Council under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with the Texas Open Meetings Act. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.071]
2. deliberating the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.072]
3. deliberating a negotiated contract for a prospective gift or donation to the city if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.073]
4. deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee unless the officer or employee who is the subject of the deliberation or hearing requests a public hearing. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.074]
5. deliberating the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.076]
6. discussing or deliberating commercial or financial information that the city has received from a business prospect that the city seeks to have locate, stay or expand in or near the city and with which the city is conducting economic development negotiations; or deliberating the offer of a financial or other incentive to a business prospect. [Tex Govt. Code §551.087]
7. deliberating security assessments or deployments relating to information resources technology, network security information, or the deployment or specific occasions for implementations of security personnel, critical infrastructure, or security devices. [Tex Govt. Code §551.089]