CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION MEETING

CITY OF DAVENPORT, IOWA

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2017; 12:00 PM

CITY HALL CIVIL RIGHTS CONFERENCE ROOM

- I. Roll Call
- II. Approval of Agenda
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - A. July Minutes 2017
- IV. Directors Report
 - A. Case Status Report
 - B. Director's Report
- V. New Business
 - A. Quad Cities Native American Coalition
- VI. Old Business
 - A. Closed Session
- VII. Public Comment and Presentation
- VIII. Adjourn
 - IX. Next Meeting

Department:
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8/8/2017

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July Minutes 2017

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DAVENPORT CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION

Minutes of Regular Meeting July 11, 2017

The Davenport Civil Rights Commission (DCRC) met at 12:04 p.m. Tuesday, July 11, 2017, in the first floor conference room at the Davenport City Hall. President, Tim Hart's presided.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Tim Hart Nicole Bribriesco Ledger Nora Dvorak Susie Greenwalt

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT:

Helen Roberson Judy Shawver Clyde Mayfield

OTHER PERSONS PRESENT:

Susan Weir

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

On motion by Nora Dvorak, seconded by Nicole Bribriesco Ledger, the agenda was approved by all commissioners present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

On motion by Nora Dvorak, seconded by Susie Greenwalt, the minutes of the regular meeting of June 13, 2017 were approved. All commissioners voted yes.

NEW BUSINESS:

A. Wage Increase- On motion by Tim Hart, seconded by Nicole Bribiesco-Ledger, the Commission approves a wage increase for the Director comparable to other management staff in the City. All commissioners voted yes.

OLD BUSINESS:

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR:

The Director updated the Commission on the case previously slated to be rescheduled for public hearing, the Respondent has submitted the compliance documentation for the relief in the public interest provision under the agreement, and the case has been closed.

The Director updated the Commission on the upcoming outreach initiatives with the Quad Cities Deaf Club, staff and members will meet with local first responders to discuss effective

communication with community members who are deaf or hard of hearing. The initial planning meeting is scheduled for July 25, 2017 at 1:00 p.m.

The Director updated the Commission on the status of a Commissioner concern regarding accessibility. The Director will submit documentation to the Commissioners for review at the August meeting.

The Davenport Community Advisory Panel will review the findings of the DPD racial profiling study on July 17, 2017 at LULAC, the meeting is scheduled from 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Maria Dickmann is hosting a community policing event at Beyond the Baseline on July 27, 2017 from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Motion to accept the Director's report was made by Nora Dvorak, seconded by Nicole Bribriesco Ledger. Motion passed with all commissioners voting yes.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Susan Weir, a candidate for the fourth ward council seat introduced herself to the Commission.

At 12:37 pm motion to adjourn was made by Susie Greenwalt, seconded by Nicole Bribiesco-Ledger. Motion passed with all commissioners voting yes, the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Latrice Lacey, Director.

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Case Status Report

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Case status Report July 2017

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Informal Case Information

Monthly						
Area Filed Closed						
Housing	0	0				
Total	0	0				

Year to Date						
Area Filed Closed						
Housing	13	14				
Total	13	14				

Overall total active informal complaints: 0

Formal Case Information Identified this Month

Areas Filed			
Area	Count		
Credit	0		
Employment	10		
Education	0		
Housing	2		
NJ EEOC Referral	1		
Public Accommodation	0		
Transit Title VI	2		
Total	15		

Areas Closed			
Area	Count		
Credit	0		
Employment	2		
Education	0		
Housing	0		
NJ EEOC Referral	2		
Public Accommodation	2		
Transit Title VI	1		
Total	7		

Basis Filed (Monthly)							
Basis	Cnt	Basis	Cnt	Basis	Cnt	Basis	Cnt
Age	0	Pregnancy	0	Creed	0	National Origin	1
Retaliation	6	Gender Identity	0	Mental Disability	1	Race	5
Religion	0	Age under 40	0	Physical Disability	7		
Sex	6	Retaliation-ADA	0	Familial Status	0		
Sex Orientation	0	Color	0	Marital Status	0		

Trigger Events Filed (Monthly)							
Trigger	Cnt	Trigger	Cnt	Trigger	Cnt	Trigger	Cnt
Demotion	0	Terms	5	Advertising	0	Fail To Hire	0
Negative Treatment	3	Accessibility	0	Harassment	1	Fail To Promote	1
Racial Harassment	0	Fail to Lend/Appraise	0	Eviction	0	Fail To Rent	1
Sexual Harassment	0	Steering/Redlining	0	Equal Pay	3	Fail To Serve	1
Termination	3	Discipline	1	Fail to Accom/Mod	1		





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CLOSED - Disposition of formal complaints

Disposition of formal complaints (Monthly)			
Disposition	Count		
Lack of Interest			
Interrogatories not Returned	0		
Did not respond/attend appointment	2		
No Jurisdiction			
Statute of limitations	0		
Prima Facia not met	0		
Outside geographical jurisdiction	0		
NJ Referred to EEOC	0		
Insufficient # employees	0		
No Basis	2		
No Area	1		
Dismiss lack of subject matter	0		
Satisfactorily Adjusted	0		
Settlement	0		
Right to sue letter issued	0		
No Probable Cause	0		
Mediation Settlement	1		
Jurisdiction waived	0		
Fact do not support claim	1		
Does not warrant further actions	0		
Conciliation	0		
Complaint Withdrawn/Duplicate	0		
Commission Final Decision	0		
Conciliation Failed	0		
Total Dispositions	7		

Disposition of formal complaints (Annual	l)
Disposition	Count
Lack of Interest	
Interrogatories not Returned	0
Did not respond/attend appointment	7
No Jurisdiction	
Statute of limitations	1
Prima Facia not met	0
Outside geographical jurisdiction	1
NJ Referred to EEOC	8
Insufficient # employees	0
No Basis	4
No Area	3
Dismiss lack of subject matter	1
Satisfactorily Adjusted	0
Settlement	2
Right to sue letter issued	0
No Probable Cause	20
Mediation Settlement	18
Jurisdiction waived	0
Fact do not support claim	6
Does not warrant further actions	1
Conciliation	1
Complaint Withdrawn/Duplicate	1
Commission Final Decision	1
Conciliation Failed	0
Total Dispositions	75

Summary: Previous Open: 103 (+) New Open 15 (-) Closed 7 (=) Total Open 111

Probable Cause (Monthly) = 1 (Annual) = 3

Pending Complaints

Open Complaints By Year			
Description	Count		
Total number for year 2014	4		
Total number for year 2015	25		
Total number for year 2016	41		
Total number for year 2017	41		
Total	111		

Complaint By Status			
Status	Count		
Initial Investigation 3	1		
Elected District Court	0		
Court on Appeal	1		
Commission Review	0		
Public Hearing Decision Pending	0		
Public Hearing Pending	0		
PC/Conciliation	3		
Final Review	12 2 17		
Final Investigation	2		
Intermediate Investigation	17		
Mediation	12		
Mediation/Intermediate Invest.	0		
Initial Investigation (2)	45		
Initial Investigation	8		
Initial Review / Screening	10		
Opened	0		
Total	111		





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Staff Presentation Information

Monthly Presentations						
Presentation type Count Hours People						
Community	4	10.3	517			
Total	4	10.3	517			

Year to Date Presentations					
Presentation type	Count	Hours	People		
Community	20	46.3	1207		
Respondent Training	8	16.5	386		
Total	28	62.8	1593		

Mediation and Settlement Information

Mediation & Settlement		
	Month	YTD
Held with no resolution	1	6
Closed with resolution	1	20

Monthly		
Resolution	Count	
Monetary Settlement	1	
No Resolution	1	
Reinstatement	0	
Specific Performance	0	
Policy Change	0	
Training	0	
Total	2	

Year to Date		
Resolution	Count	
Monetary Settlement	12	
No Resolution	6	
Reinstatement	0	
Specific Performance	6	
Policy Change	1	
Training	1	
Total	26	

Total monthly settlement amount: \$500.00

Total yearly settlement amount: \$41,182.00

Referrals

Referral Distribution					
	Month	YTD		Month	YTD
ICRC	0	6	IDHR	1	1
Other	0	2	HUD	0	1
Help Legal	2	5	NAACP	0	0
ADA project	0	0	IA Citizen's Aid	0	3
Other City Departments	7	20	Bettendorf Human	0	1
DPD Internal Affairs	0	1	US Dept of Labor	0	3
Attorney Disciplinary Office	0	0	Attorney Referral	3	9
Scott Cty & Cthouse	1	4	Landlord Association	0	0
			Total	14	56





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Status of Complaints by Number and Year

Case Listing for 2014		
PA-0100-0008-14	Final Review	
ED-0109-0002-14	PC/Conciliation	
H-0123-0026-14	Court on Appeal	
PA-0132-0011-14	Final Review	
Case Listi	ng for 2015	
E-0002-0001-15	PC/Conciliation	
E-0017-0005-15	Final Review	
E-0030-0014-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0038-0017-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0051-0024-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0054-0026-15	Final Review	
PA-0067-0011-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0076-0037-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0077-0038-15	Initial Investigation 3	
E-0078-0039-15	Intermediate Investigation	
PA-0082-0015-15	Initial Investigation	
E-0087-0043-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0088-0016-15	Initial Investigation	
E-0096-0045-15	Final Review	
E-0100-0047-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0101-0048-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0102-0049-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0103-0050-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0110-0054-15	Final Review	
ED-0118-0002-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0119-0019-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0120-0060-15	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0133-0025-15	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0143-0067-15	Final Review	
E-0149-0070-15	Final Review	
Case Listi	ng for 2016	
E-0015-0004-16	Final Review	
E-0022-0008-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0024-0009-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0027-0010-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0031-0014-16	Initial Investigation (2)	





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Case Listing for 2016		
E-0035-0017-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
H-0037-0004-16	Final Investigation	
H-0038-0005-16	Final Investigation	
E-0040-0018-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0052-0023-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0053-0024-16	Intermediate Investigation	
PA-0054-0006-16	Initial Investigation	
E-0060-0026-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0063-0027-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0064-0028-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0072-0031-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0076-0035-16	Final Review	
H-0081-0010-16	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0084-0038-16	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0085-0039-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0086-0040-16	PC/Conciliation	
E-0088-0042-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0089-0008-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0094-0044-16	Intermediate Investigation	
PA-0098-0009-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0100-0046-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0107-0050-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0110-0052-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0117-0011-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0118-0012-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0120-0056-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0121-0057-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0125-0059-16	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0128-0061-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0129-0062-16	Final Review	
E-0133-0064-16	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0135-0066-16	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0139-0069-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0141-0070-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0143-0071-16	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0145-0073-16	Initial Investigation (2)	





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Case Listing for 2017		
E-0003-0002-17	Final Review	
E-0007-0005-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0009-0007-17	Intermediate Investigation	
PA-0011-0001-17	Initial Investigation	
E-0012-0009-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0015-0011-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0017-0012-17	Intermediate Investigation	
E-0022-0013-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
H-0026-0001-17	Mediation	
E-0027-0015-17	Initial Investigation	
PA-0029-0006-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
PA-0030-0007-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0031-0016-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0033-0017-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0037-0020-17	Mediation	
E-0040-0021-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0043-0022-17	Mediation	
E-0046-0023-17	Mediation	
TR-0052-0002-17	Mediation	
E-0053-0025-17	Mediation	
E-0055-0026-17	Mediation	
H-0056-0005-17	Initial Investigation	
E-0058-0028-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0060-0029-17	Initial Investigation (2)	
E-0062-0031-17	Mediation	
E-0063-0032-17	Mediation	
E-0064-0033-17	Mediation	
E-0066-0034-17	Mediation	
H-0067-0043-17	Initial Review / Screening	
E-0068-0035-17	Initial Review / Screening	
H-0069-0006-17	Initial Review / Screening	
NJR-0070-0013-17	Initial Review / Screening	
E-0071-0036-17	Initial Review / Screening	
E-0072-0037-17	Initial Investigation	
E-0073-0038-17	Mediation	
E-0074-0039-17	Initial Review / Screening	
E-0075-0040-17	Initial Review / Screening	





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Case Listing for 2017	
E-0076-0041-17	Initial Review / Screening
E-0077-0042-17	Initial Review / Screening
TR-0079-0005-17	Initial Review / Screening
E-0080-0043-17	Initial Investigation

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Director's Report

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DIRECTOR REPORT FOR THE DAVENPORT CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION FOR July 2017

I. CASE STATUS

- 1. No "right to sue" letters were issued in July.
- 2. During the month of July, one public accommodation case settled in mediation. No housing cases settled in mediation during the month of July. No employment cases settled in mediation during the month of July.

II. OTHER ACTIVITY

- 1. Director conducted training on barriers to opportunity in collaboration with Iowa Legal Aid.
- 2. Director met with the Special Projects Coordinator for the Monsoon United Asian Women of Iowa to discuss the upcoming expansion of the organizations programs to Davenport.
- 3. Director conducted three Fair Housing trainings and outreach activities in the parks.
 - a. Cork Hill Park July 24, 2017
 - b. Emeis Park July 25, 2017
 - c. Goose Creek Park July 26, 2017
- 4. Director attended the Civil Service meeting.
- 5. Director attended the EEOC FEPA Conference.
- 6. Director attended event hosted by Alderwoman Dickmann on Community Policing at Beyond the Baseline.
- 7. Housing Analyst provided fair housing information to landlords.
- 8. Housing Analyst answered contractor questions regarding FHA design and construction requirements.
- 9. Housing Analyst presented fair housing module for Police Department's all day Landlord Education Assistance Program for Davenport apartment owners and managers.
- 10. Housing Analyst provided fair housing information to a tenant regarding an assistance animal.
- 11. Housing Analyst answered contractor questions regarding FHA design and construction requirements.
- 12. Investigative Paralegal conducted ADA plan reviews.
- 13. Investigative Paralegal met with builders regarding ADA plan reviews.
- 14. Investigative Paralegal, Investigator and EEOC investigator conducted joint interviews on the DCRC initiated employment case.

III. OLD BUSINESS

- 1. School supply drive
- 2. Commissioner concern

IV. NEW BUSINESS

1. Update on pending litigation

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