

Seattle Human Rights Commission
Meeting Minutes
Thursday February 4th, 2015, 6:00–8:00 p.m.
City Hall - Boards and Commissions Room

Commissioners Present: Sarah Bishop, Jason Poydras, Amy Huang, Margaret Babayan, Danielle Wallace, Lara Diaconu,, Ken Nsimbi, Edlira Kuka, Marcel Baugh

Commissioners by Phone: None

Commissioners Absent: Onya Robertson, Julianna Tesfu, Ashley Miller

SOCR Staff Present: None

Welcome and Introductions

Call to Order: The meeting is called to order by Danielle Wallace

Public Comment: None

Approval of Minutes: Minutes for December and January approved with edits

- Motion to approve by Margaret Babayan; seconded by Sarah Bishop

SOCR Report Brenda not present for SOCR update

Finalizing Co-Chair Transition and Vote Margaret presents on new elections

- Commission voted to select Marcel Baugh as third Co-Chair

Executive Team Update:

- Mapping Our Community Connections: How can the commission align our work with community members? Co-chairs discussed ways to do strategic planning through creating a map of our networks, individual and human rights commission networks, to strengthen cross collaboration and hone in on community engagement strategies
- A spreadsheet will be created as a strategy to conduct future outreach and allies for the commission; start by brainstorming within each taskforce and thinking about issue areas that will be addressed to strengthen capacity.