



CITY OF SOMERVILLE
RACIAL AND SOCIAL JUSTICE DEPARTMENT
SOMERVILLE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

Monthly Meeting

Wednesday , April 29, 2026

Time: 6:30 P.M. (Virtual Meeting)

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AGENDA

1) Welcome

- a) Call to Order
- b) Attendance and Roll Call; Confirm quorum and note participants.
- c) Confirm Notetaker
- d) Approve minutes

2) Old Business

- 2.1) HRC Report Update (Due June, 2026)

3) New Business

- 3.1) Review updates from Subcommittees
 - Information & Advocacy
 - Compliance and Training
 - Update on Wage Theft Training (Held April 15th)
 - Promotion of City Diversity
 - Interfaith Council Update
 - Additional volunteer needed
 - Rights Violation Response
 - Update on discussions with RSJ regarding Complaints Process & Complaints Data
 - Interviews & response related to Jan 27th Incident in front of SHS
 - Administration Subcommittee
 - HRC Fundraising Opportunities



- Grants & Donations

3.2) Discussion on Transformative Justice

4) Closing

4.1) Future Agenda Items

Commissioners may identify topics for future agendas with no discussion or deliberation

Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 27, 2026 at 6:30pm

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