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City of Brookings
Meeting Agenda
Human Rights Commission

Brookings City & County
Government Center
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Wednesday, April 9, 2025

5:30 PM

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1. Call To Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
 - a. Corrections to New Business
 - i. \$150 not \$200 to Call to Freedom
 - ii. Eagleshield will poll members to identify new meeting date
4. Public Comment
 - a. Brookings Area Indivisible asked if HRC could hold an Active Bystander Intervention training as soon as possible to educate people on peaceful rallies and marches.
5. New Business
 - a. Bystander to Upstander training (Nedlund)
 - b. Stickers (Bell)
6. Old Business
 - a. Meeting schedule (Eagleshield)
 - b. HRC membership (Bell)
 - c. Budget (Bell)

7. Reports

a. Liaisons

- i. Brookings Police Department
- ii. Brookings School District
- iii. SDSU
- iv. CLEAR
- v. SDSU SA
- vi. LGBTQ+

b. Task Forces

- i. PEAK campaign
- ii. DEI Initiative

c. Working Groups

- i. Legislation
- ii. Social Media/Communication
- iii. LGBTQ Awareness
 1. Pride
- iv. Inclusivity/Community Outreach
- v. Training
 1. Human trafficking debrief
- vi. Complaint Process
- vii. Africans in the Diaspora Culture Awareness
 1. Juneteenth
- viii. Indigenous Peoples
 1. Arts Festival

8. Action Items

9. Adjournment

Human Rights Commission Members: Rhiannon Nedlund, VACANT, Carla Gatzke, Keely Eaglesheild, Dianne Nagy, Nieema Thasing, Denia Warne, and Nicholas McNab; College Student Representative: VACANT, SDSU Liaison: Marjoanne Collins, Harley Fischer, Brookings School District Liaison: Michelle VandeWeerd; County Appointment: VACANT; LGBTQ Liaisons: Erin Lavender-Stott; Police Liaisons: Brookings County Sheriff's Department Marty Stanwick, SDSU Police Department Chief Timothy Heaton, Brookings Police Department Chief Michael Drake. City Staff: Casey Bell Human Resources Director.

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