

Human Relations and Equity Committee Meeting
Madison Heights, Michigan
August 20, 2026

A Human Relations and Equity Committee Meeting was held on Thursday, August 20, 2026 at 6:30 PM at Library - Breckenridge Room, 240 W. 13 Mile Rd.

CALL TO ORDER

at 6:30 p.m. by Vice Chair Brown.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Andrew Attard
Vice Chair Aaron Brown
Teresa Scott
Council Representative Quinn Wright
Student Member Aaron Dockery

Also Present: Vanessa Verdun-Morris, Alternate Staff Liaison

ABSENT

Rebecca Chambliss
Kate Kapas
Tanner Langdon
Ashley Strunk
Council Representative Alternate Emily Rohrbach

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS

Add Council Update as item 7 under New Business.

Motion made by Council Representative Wright, Seconded by Attard. Passed unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Minutes of July 16, 2026

Approve the minutes of July 16, 2026 as written.

Motion made by Attard, Seconded by Scott. Passed unanimously.

MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

No public present.

WORK PLAN ITEMS

2. Revin' in the Heights

Council Representative Wright reported that volunteers are still needed for event day, especially for setup and teardown. Scott volunteered for setup, and Brown and Attard for teardown. A Sign-Up Genius will be sent to gather more help. The event will feature a car limbo, remote RC cars, face painting, and food trucks. The event is HREC's

largest fundraiser, generating \$5,000 last year, with Oakland County as the biggest sponsor, and promotional materials available at City Hall.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

3. Library - Men's Room Review

Mimic the library's board's recommendation to add menstrual hygiene products inside stalls in addition to original location in library restrooms.

Motion made by Attard, Seconded by Scott. Passed unanimously.

4. Officers

Postpone until September meeting.

Motion made by Council Representative Wright, Seconded by Attard. Passed unanimously.

5. Presentation to City Council

Postpone until September meeting.

Motion made by Council Representative Wright, Seconded by Attard. Passed unanimously.

6. Social Media Posts

Volunteers:

Hispanic Heritage Month: Wright

Suicide Prevention Month: Verdun-Morris to assign Hames.

September 7 Labor Day: Brown

9/11: Brown

September 11-13 Rosh Hashanah: Wright

September 20-21 Yom Kippur: Wright

September 25 Michigan Indian Day: Wright will ask Rohrbach.

7. Council Update

Wright reported that three to four people will be assigned to HREC at upcoming council meeting. Scott and Strunk are being reappointed as well. Wright requests that people stepping down from HREC in the future help out by finding replacements and directing them to the application. Flock cameras are being addressed at the next council meeting. Jars originally agreed to host the camera, then later protested the camera. The cameras read license plates and do not automatically share information with federal government.

ADJOURNMENT

at 7:22 pm by Vice Chair Brown.