# Notice and Call of a Special Meeting of the Orange County Human Relations Commission

A Special Meeting of the Orange County Human Relations Commission will convene on Thursday, June 13, 2024, at 11:00 a.m., at City Huntington Beach Central Library, 7111 Talbert Ave., Rooms C & D, Huntington Beach, California.

The items of business to be conducted at this meeting are:

As outlined on attached agenda

Opportunity will be provided before or during the consideration of each item of business for members of the public to directly address the Commission regarding that business.

/s/	
JENNIFER WANG	
Chair	

#### AGENDA

### SPECIAL MEETING ORANGE COUNTY HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

Thursday, June 13, 2024, 11:00 A.M.



Huntington Beach Central Library 7111 Talbert Ave., Rooms C & D Huntington Beach, California 92648

\*\*Members of the public may attend and participate remotely by following the instructions below.\*\*

#### JENNIFER S. WANG

Chair

HEATHER CHAPMAN

Vice Chair

**ADELI DURON** 

Commissioner

MICHAEL KENT

Commissioner

NATALIE MOSER

Commissioner

RHONDA SHADER

Commissioner

ADA BRICEÑO

Commissioner

LAUREN JOHNSON-NORRIS

Commissioner

JO-ANNE P. MATSUBA

Commissioner

**REINA OBEID** 

Commissioner

RABBI RICK STEINBERG

Commissioner

Executive Director Norma Lopez Clerk of the Commission Jamie Ross, Deputy

The Orange County Human Relations Commission welcomes you to this meeting. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Commission encourages your participation. If you wish to speak during Open Forum, please complete a speaker request form, available at the entrance of the Multipurpose Room, and return to the Clerk or press \*9 or the "Raise Hand" feature following the Chair's invitation from the public to speak. Once acknowledged and prompted by the Chair or Clerk, you may begin to speak. Except as otherwise provided by law, no action shall be taken on any item not appearing in the agenda. When addressing the Commission, please state your name for the record prior to providing your comments.

The Orange County Human Relations Commission shall not hold a meeting, deliberate, or vote unless the number of members participating constitutes a quorum of the Orange County Human Relations Commission.

#### \*\* INSTRUCTIONS FOR PUBLIC ATTENDING THE MEETING REMOTELY\*\*

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- iPhone one-tap: US: +16699009128, 83663838786# Passcode 775794# or + 16694449171, 83663838786# Passcode 775794# or
- Telephone: Dial (for higher quality, dial a number based on your current location): US: +1 669 900 9128 or +1 346 248 7799 or +1 253 215 8782 or +1 301 715 8592 or +1 312 626 6799 or +1 646 558 8656 Enter Webinar ID: 83663838786 Passcode 775794# (once you enter this code, you should be automatically connected to the call; you will remain on the line until meeting begins) or

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\*\*In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those requiring accommodation for this meeting should notify the Clerk of the Board's Office 72 hours prior to the meeting at (714) 834-2206\*\*

All supporting documentation is available for public review online at: <a href="https://occr.ocgov.com/oc-human-relations-commission">https://occr.ocgov.com/oc-human-relations-commission</a> and in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors located in the County Administration North, 400 W. Civic Center Dr., 6th Floor, Santa Ana, California 92701 during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

#### 11:00 A.M.

- 1. Call the Meeting to Order
- 2. Opening quote/reflection
- 3. Monthly Summary of Commission Activities

#### **OPEN FORUM**

At this time members of the public may address the Commission on any matter within the jurisdiction of the Commission. The Commission or Chair may limit the length of time each individual may have to address the Commission.

#### **HEARING/SPEAKER/PRESENTATION**: (None)

**ACTION ITEMS**: (None)

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**: (None)

#### **INFORMATION ITEMS**: (Items 4-6)

- 4. Commission staff reports
  - a. Hate Prevention Network and upcoming events
  - b. Engagement opportunity: Groundswell Shaping Tomorrow Series information
  - c. County of Orange and Groundswell contract vote 6/25/24
  - d. Pride statement issued
- 5. Update from OC Chiefs and Sheriff
- 6. OCSD Interfaith Council update

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM COMMISSIONERS**

#### **ADJOURNED**

#### **NEXT MEETING:**

July 2024 No Meeting

August 8, 2024 Regular Meeting, 11:00 A.M.

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#### **Orange County Human Relations Commission**



**Commissioners** 

Reina Obeid Rhonda Shader

**Commission Staff** 

Jennifer S. Wang, Chair Heather Chapman, Vice-Chair Ada Briceño Adeli Duron Jo-Anne Matsuba Lauren Johnson-Norris Chief Mike Kent Natalie Moser Rabbi Rick Steinberg

**DATE:** June 13, 2024

LOCATION: Huntington Beach Public Library

7111 Talbert Ave. Huntington Beach, CA (Room C&D)

**TIME:** 11:00 AM

**AGENDA** 

Call the Meeting to Order	Jennifer S. Wang					
2. Opening Quote/Reflection	Heather Chapman					
3. Overview of Monthly Summary of Commission Activities	Ada Briceño					
OPEN FORUM: Members of the Public may address the Commission on human relations issues						

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#### **PRESENTATION**

None

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

None

#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

None

#### **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

- 4. Commission Staff Reports
  - a. HPN & Upcoming Eventsb. Engagement Opportunity: Groundswell Shaping Tomorrow Series Info
  - c. County of Orange x Groundswell Contract Vote June 25th
  - d. Pride statement issued

5. Update from OC Chiefs & Sheriff	Chief Mike Kent
6. OCSD Interfaith Council Update	Rabbi Rick Steinberg
7. Announcements from Commissioners	All Commissioners
8. Adjourn Commission Meeting	Jennifer S. Wang



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#### **MONTHLY SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES: May 2024**

CONTRACT ACTIVITY	12/14/22- 3/31/23	4/1/23- 6/30/23	7/1/23- 9/30/23	10/1/23- 12/31/23	1/1/24- 3/31/24	4/1/24- 6/30/24	TOTAL	GOAL	
A. Organize meetings for the Hate Crime Prevention Network group and lead hate prevention efforts.	3	2	3	1	4	3	16	6	
B. Monitor and offer support when intergroup relations or bias related community conflicts, tension or crisis arise.	3	4	4	1	4	3	19	12	
C. Follow-up on hate activity reports referred from 211-OC.	4	2	5	3	19	0	33	18	
D. Offer listening sessions or restorative community dialogues process to promote respect and understanding to diverse communities and/or to address tension, conflict, or crisis when it arises (i.e., law enforcement, schools, religious institutions,	4	4	2	2	2	1	15	6	
E. Service on advisory committees for local city police departments, as well as assist the Orange County Sherriff's Department, to convene a countywide interfaith Advisory Council	4	3	3	1	2	1	14	12	
F. Deliver multilingual, multicultural, & diverse community-based hate prevention through community outreach, relationship building efforts, collaboration and network meetings, and attending diverse community/law enforcement events	18	6	47	51	74	30	226	150	
G. Provide monthly comprehensive Hate Activity Database & Reporting data reports	3	3	3	3	3	2	17	18	

#### **Contract Activity Examples for this Month**

- Commission staff conducted outreach at Irvine Pride Event, LGBTQ Youth Convening, and Youth Ambassadors Program.
- Commission staff served as a panelist in the Addressing Toxic Masculinity webinar in June.
- Hate Prevention Network working groups continue to meet. The Hate Reduction workgroup has organized an
  event focused on bringing together refugees and members of the Black/AfAm community to share traditions,
  games, and food.
- Commission staff responded to several crisis calls including UCI and North Orange County Community College
  District.
- Commission staff attended the Tustin PD Chief's Advisory Board meeting.



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# **Hate-Motivated Activities in Orange County**



May 2024



#### 8 Total Hate-Motivated Activities Reported

# Out of the 8 hate-motivated activities: 3 hate crime and 5 hate incidents were reported SENTIMENT 12.5%

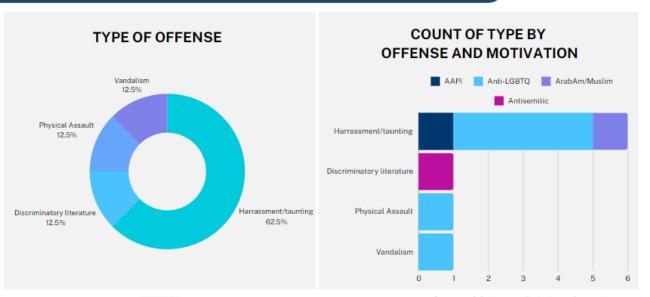
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Religion

Race/Ethnicity/

National Origin

Orientation



Source: OC Human Relations Commission



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