Erie County Human Relations Commission (ECHRC) - Commissioners Meeting

Notes – September 28th 2021

Call to Order/Roll Call:

The Meeting was called to Order by chair Mary Jo Campbell via zoom at 6:04 PM.

Commission Members Present: Chair Mary Jo Campbell Vice Chair Kathryn DiVittorio, Secretary Christine Mitchell, Jeff Pinski.

Commission Members Not Present: John Steiner, Michael Martin, Dana Williams, Marc Blount, Caitlyn Strohmeyer

ECHRC Staff Present: Wayne Harbison.

County Council Ellen Schauerman.

Minutes will be approved next time due to no quorum.

Public Comment none

Director's Report:

We still have 10 cases. We had one abbreviated hearing at the end of June that settled. We will have a hearing October 20th.

Chair Report / Commissioners Comment(s): Chair Campbell discussed the bylaws and a session with Ellen Schauerman and Doug Smith final updates sent. We did have a hearing in June that was settled right before the hearing. We have a hearing October 20th. Commissioners Campbell, DiVittorio and Mitchell will be the panel with Commissioners Pinski and Strohmeyer as observers

Old Business: In person discussed with the recent trends due to advertising we will monitor and continue zoom and we will allow in person option if conditions permit. Zoom meetings will continue will revisit in November for 2022 schedule. Wayne Harbison will send out information for the annual report. We had several disruptions and people kicked off and having to rejoin due to the explosion at 10th and State

New Business:

Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 p.m.