

## HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

**Section 2-~~524-527~~ 551-552.** The Human Relations Commission shall consist of nine (9) members to be appointed by the Mayor with the consent of the City Council. The members shall be broadly representative of all citizens and shall reflect as far as possible the religious, racial, ethnic and minority groups of the community whose training, interest, background or experience will aid the commission in its work.

1. ~~The function and duties of the Human Relations Commission shall be as follows to promote mutual understanding and respect among all racial, religious, nationality and minority groups and work to discourage and prevent discriminatory practices against any such group;~~
2. ~~Inform itself~~ Become informed on all matters concerning human relations and ~~promote foster~~ programs of community education with the object of improving human relations among all citizens of the community;
3. Review, ~~and study, and assist with~~ complaints, problems and specific situations arising between groups or individuals which result ~~or may result~~ in tensions, discriminations, or prejudice in the city; ~~on account of race, sex, age, color, creed, national origin, or ancestry;~~
4. Cooperate with and advise various groups and agencies ~~of the community, as well as governmental agencies~~ in programs devoted to the improvement of human relations; ~~and the elimination of group prejudices, racial or area tensions, intolerance or discrimination;~~
5. ~~Aid in seeing that no person in this city is deprived of equal services furnished in the city by reason of discrimination or prejudice on account of race, sex, age, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, or being a member of a minority group;~~
6. 5. Inform and make recommendations to the Mayor and City Council concerning any matters ~~or programs~~ brought before the commission for the furtherance and advancement of human relations and at least once a year submit a report of its work;
6. Refer all matters to the police ~~commission department~~ that are within its jurisdiction.

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9 members and 1 City staff member – Meet 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month, 12:15 p.m.,  
City Hall Conference Room