

**WASHINGTON STATE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
COMMISSION MEETING
AUGUST 24, 2017 @ 5:30PM
711 CAPITOL WAY, STE. 402
OLYMPIA, WA 98504**

MINUTES

ATTENDANCE

Commissioners: Charlene Strong, Chair; Clarence Henderson, Commissioner; Skylee Sahlstrom, Commissioner; Lenore Three Stars, Commissioner.

Absent: Guadalupe Gamboa, Commissioner.

Staff: Sharon Ortiz, Executive Director; Cheryl Strobert, Deputy Director; Scott Douglas, Assistant Attorney General; Karen Craig, Commission Clerk.

OPENING AND WELCOME

Chair Strong called the meeting to order at 5:39 PM.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

MEETING MINUTES

Chair Strong made motion to approve July 27, 2017 meeting minutes; Commissioner Henderson seconds; motion carried.

CASE CLOSURES

Director Ortiz reported a case that was pulled prior to the meeting: Cerda-Bautista v. Leonetti Cellar.

Director Ortiz went over case findings that had corrections made to them prior to the meeting:

Hayek v. Kay and Associates Inc.	DeLong v. The Lighthouse Inc.
Hayes v. Hou	Garcia-Hurtado v. Arnada Abbey
Vazquez v. Morita	Estcoto Fiallos v. Ballard Annex Oyster House
Herrera v. Basic American Foods	Skelton v. WA ST Dept. of Corrections

Chair Strong made motion to approve remaining cases; Commissioner Henderson seconds; motion carried.

AAG UPDATES

AAG Douglas reported that he will no longer be the primary advisor for Washington State Human Rights Commission, but he will remain as a back-up advisor. AAG Sharon James will be the primary advisor for Washington State Human Rights Commission effective September 1, 2017.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:58 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Craig
Commission Clerk