Members present: Aaron Richman, Elizabeth O’Callahan, Edward Robinson, Tracey Weeden, Robyn Kennedy, Jacqueline Yang, Lilian Chukwurah

Staff: Jayna Turchek

1. Call to order and introductions
A quorum was established and Chairperson Richman officially called the meeting to order at 6:24 pm. Commissioners introduced themselves. The Chairperson welcomed the Commissioners and those present.

2. Approval of January 7th, 2019 meeting minutes
   • Commissioner Robinson motioned to approve. Commissioner Weeden seconded.
   • Motion passed with all in favor

3. Old Business:
   A. Planning for Eleanor Hawley Human Rights Award (Saturday February 23rd, 2019)

   Selection of awardee
   • 5 nominations were received for this award cycle
   • Commissioners ranked and voted for each nominee, with two nominees receiving equal votes.
   • After a run-off, Commissioners selected Al Green, Director of Ministry, Lgbt Asylum Task Force Hadwen Park Church

   Award program
   • Commissioner Weeden facilitated conversation about the details of the award ceremony
   • Chairperson Richman will be sure to thank Cafe Reyes
   • Prior to Ceremony:
     o Vice Chairperson Yang will be at registration table
     o Clerk O’Callahan will be inside to assist people to their tables
   • Mayoral Proclamation
     o Bill Coleman offered advice as to the wording and process for the mayoral proclamation
     o Chairperson Richman and Director Turchek will work on together
Mr. Coleman also recommended investigating the possibility of using a projector to display a video of tribute to Eleanor Hawley

Additional notes:

Notes on order of activities:
- 10:15 Maritza welcomes everyone to space
- Chris Robarge of ACLU will speak
- Clerk O'Callahan will facilitate activity, then introduce Chairperson Richman
- Chairperson Richman will then introduce Claudia Quintero
- Claudia Quintero will speak for a few minutes and introduce keynote, Debbie Hutchinson
- Keynote
- Vice Chairperson Yang will thank participants for attending in closing remarks

B. Update on survey of community meetings
Clerk O'Callahan gave a brief update on the remaining meetings to be surveyed and discussed next steps

- Data from Neighborhood Watch Meeting Surveys is anticipated to:
  - Allow successes for individual NWM to be replicated and standardized
  - Inform Additional Opportunities for HRC support
  - Inform Additional Dialogue with the WPD
  - Inform Rationale for HRC Recommendations

C. Follow up discussion on Worcester Tree Initiative Environmental Justice concerns
See minutes from 10/15/2018

- Tabled for future meeting allowing for adequate discussion time

D. Discussion of support for Model Ordinance for Community Control Over Police Surveillance (CCOPS)

- See minutes from 8/16/2018 & 1/7/2019 for prior discussion on the proposed CCOPS Ordinance
- After a brief discussion, commissioners decided to wait to see the final wording on the proposed ordinance before signing on support

4. Next meeting (March 4th, 2019): City Hall, Esther Howland Chamber
- St. Patrick’s Day Parade - March 10th
- Line up in front of Applebee’s at 11:30

5. Adjournment at 8:07 PM