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### Workforce, Education, and Equity Committee

June 8, 2020

9:00 AM

## Public Notice

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The Workforce, Education, and Equity Committee meeting will be held by videoconference. The meeting will be broadcast live on Spectrum Cable Channel 95 and online at [bit.ly/cityofdallastv](https://bit.ly/cityofdallastv).

The public may also listen to the meeting as an attendee at the following videoconference link: <https://dallascityhall.webex.com/dallascityhall/onstage/g.php?MTID=ef435572f994d67a4ab8104a1459f9951>

## **2020 CITY COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS**

<b>COUNCIL COMMITTEE</b>	
<b>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</b> Atkins (C), Blewett (VC), Gates, McGough, Narvaez, Resendez, West	<b>ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY</b> Narvaez (C), Atkins (VC), Blackmon, Blewett, Gates
<b>GOVERNMENT PERFORMANCE AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT</b> Gates (C), Mendelsohn (VC), Arnold, Bazaldua, Kleinman, Narvaez, Thomas	<b>HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS SOLUTIONS</b> West (C), Thomas (VC), Arnold, Blackmon, Kleinman, Mendelsohn, Resendez
<b>PUBLIC SAFETY</b> McGough (C), Arnold (VC), Bazaldua, Blewett, Medrano, Mendelsohn, Thomas	<b>QUALITY OF LIFE, ARTS, AND CULTURE</b> Arnold (C), Gates (VC), Atkins, Narvaez, West
<b>TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE</b> Kleinman (C), Medrano, (VC), Atkins, Bazaldua, Blewett, McGough, West	<b>WORKFORCE, EDUCATION, AND EQUITY</b> Thomas (C), Resendez (VC), Blackmon, Kleinman, Medrano
<b>AD HOC JUDICIAL NOMINATING COMMITTEE</b> McGough (C), Blewett, Mendelsohn, Narvaez, West	<b>AD HOC LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS</b> Johnson (C), Blackmon (VC), Atkins, Gates, Mendelsohn
<b>AD HOC COMMITTEE ON COVID-19 ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND ASSISTANCE</b> Thomas (C), Blackmon, Atkins, Bazaldua, Kleinman, Medrano, West	<b>AD HOC COMMITTEE ON COVID-19 HUMAN AND SOCIAL RECOVERY AND ASSISTANCE</b> McGough (C), Mendelsohn, Arnold, Blewett, Gates, Narvaez, Resendez

(C) – Chair, (VC) – Vice Chair

Note: A quorum of the Dallas City Council may attend this Council Committee meeting.

**Call to Order****MINUTES**

- A. [20-1192](#) Approval of the May 11, 2020 Workforce, Education and Equity Committee Meeting Minutes

**Attachments:** [Minutes](#)

- B. [20-1194](#) Approval of the May 28, 2020 Special Called Workforce, Education, and Equity Committee Meeting Minutes

**Attachments:** [Minutes](#)

**BRIEFING ITEMS**

- C. [20-1195](#) Understanding and Addressing the Digital Divide
- a. Community Broadband Solutions in Response to COVID-19 and Beyond  
[Jordana Barton, Senior Community Development Advisor, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas; Dottie Smith, President, Commit Partnership; Jack Kelanic, Chief Technology Officer, Dallas Independent School District; Drexell Owusu, Senior Vice President, Education and Workforce, Dallas Regional Chamber]
  - b. City of Dallas Internet Equity Initiatives  
[Liz Cedillo-Pereira, Chief of Equity and Inclusion; Laila Alequresh, Chief Innovation Officer; Genesis Gavino, Resilience Officer, Office of Resilience; William Snead, Assistant Director, Information and Technology Services]

**Attachments:** [Presentation A](#)  
[Presentation B](#)  
[Presentation C](#)

**BRIEFING MEMORANDA**

- D. [20-1196](#) 2020 Census Update  
[Brett Wilkinson, Director, Office of Strategic Partnerships and Government Affairs]

**Attachments:** [Memorandum](#)

- E. [20-1197](#) Update on City of Dallas Ongoing Efforts to Address COVID-19 Health Access Disparities  
[Liz Cedillo-Pereira, Chief of Equity and Inclusion]

**Attachments:** [Memorandum](#)

**ADJOURNMENT**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION NOTICE**

A closed executive session may be held if the discussion of any of the above agenda items concerns one of the following:

1. seeking the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation, settlement offers, or any matter in which the duty of the attorney to the City Council under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with the Texas Open Meetings Act. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.071]
2. deliberating the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.072]
3. deliberating a negotiated contract for a prospective gift or donation to the city if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.073]
4. deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee unless the officer or employee who is the subject of the deliberation or hearing requests a public hearing. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.074]
5. deliberating the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.076]
6. discussing or deliberating commercial or financial information that the city has received from a business prospect that the city seeks to have locate, stay or expand in or near the city and with which the city is conducting economic development negotiations; or deliberating the offer of a financial or other incentive to a business prospect. [Tex Govt. Code §551.087]
7. deliberating security assessments or deployments relating to information resources technology, network security information, or the deployment or specific occasions for implementations of security personnel, critical infrastructure, or security devices. [Tex Govt. Code §551.089]