

# Prince George's County Human Rights Commission

**Monday, April 25, 2022**  
Zoom Meeting of the  
Prince George's County  
Human Rights Commission

## **ATTENDEES:**

### **Commissioners:**

**Charlene Proctor, Chair**  
**Felicia Sadler, Vice-Chair**  
**Nathaniel Bryant**  
**Adonna Bannister Green**  
**Llamilet Gutierrez**  
**Sylvia Johnson**  
**Ademola Oduyebo**  
**Andrea Price-Carter**  
**Joseph Reed**

**Keisha Garner, Counsel to the Commission**

### **Excused:**

**Wade Woolfolk, Secretary**  
**Wendi Howard**

## **Staff:**

**Renée Battle-Brooks**  
**Executive Director**

**Kyla Hanington**  
**Clerk to the Commission**

**Jose Villegas**  
**Senior Investigator**

## **ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**

1. Call to Order – The Chair called the meeting to order at 5:36 pm. Chair Proctor called role of the Commissioners. As Secretary Woolfolk absent, the Chair asked for a volunteer to serve as Secretary for this meeting. Commissioner Reed volunteered and served as acting Secretary.
2. Adopt Agenda – The Chair called for a review of the agenda. Corrections were noted. The agenda was adopted as written with the noted changes.
3. Approval of Minutes of the **March 25, 2022** meeting. The Chair called for a review of the minutes. Hearing no corrections or objections, the minutes were adopted as written.
4. **REPORT OF THE CHAIR**

The Chair noted the confidentiality provision that governs matters before the Commission and reminded Commissioners of the need to safeguard the confidentiality of

encouraged all Commissioners to take the training if their schedules allowed, noting she had taken it previously and found it full of important information. In response to a question, the Executive Director said she expected the log-in links for that training approximately a week before the training.

The Chair asked for an update regarding meeting format for Commissioners. The Executive Director said that she would like the Commission to continue meeting virtually; it is both safer in regards to the pandemic and is proving to be more efficient. She noted in person meetings were scheduled to begin at 6:30 pm but often did not begin timely as people struggled to get to Upper Marlboro through traffic. The virtual format allows for more timely meetings as well as fewer office resources, thus being more efficient in several ways. She said the meetings will continue virtually through this Fiscal Year if not through the calendar year.

## **6. CASES SCHEDULED FOR PUBLIC HEARING**

**HRC Case No.: HRC20-1002**  
**EEOC Charge No.: 12H-2021-00002**  
**Yolanda Davis-Barker v Denison Landscaping**  
**Investigator Langston Clay**

**Panel Members: Commissioner Oduyebo as Panel Chair, Commissioner Reed, Commissioner Price-Carter. Commissioner Howard as alternate.**

Originally scheduled for public hearing April 6<sup>th</sup> and April 12, 2022, following a motion and subsequent order, this matter is then scheduled for public hearing June 28<sup>th</sup> and June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022. A Motion to Dismiss was before the Commission in Closed Session.

**FEPA Charge No.: HRC21-0202**  
**EEOC Case No.: 531-2020-02614**  
**Teonna Marshall v Seafood Fusions, Inc (aka Hook and Reel, Inc.)**  
**Investigator Langston Clay**

**Panel Members: Commissioner Bryant as Panel Chair, Commissioner Johnson, Vice-Chair Sadler. Secretary Woolfolk as the alternate.**

This matter has been set for Public Hearing on May 11 and May 16, 2022.

## **7. CASE STATUS UPDATE - NONE**

## **8. APPEAL HEARING**

Below is an update of petitions for judicial review of Commission decisions before the Circuit Court of Prince George's County.

**Henry Lewis v Board of Education of Prince George's County**

By unanimous vote, the meeting was adjourned.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph S. Reed". The signature is written in black ink and extends to the right with a long horizontal stroke.

Commissioner Reed  
Acting Secretary