



**MINUTES OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
HJEMKOMST CENTER AUDITORIUM - 202 1ST AVE N.
October 15, 2025 - 5:00 PM**

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

Roll call of the members was made as follows:

Present (4): Evett Ellis, AnnaPoorna Rajesh, Siham Amedy, Sebastian McDougall

Absent (2): Jenifer Cannon, Trenton Gerads

2. Land Acknowledgement

We, the Moorhead Human Rights Commission, collectively and with gratitude, acknowledge the sacred land the City of Moorhead is built upon. We acknowledge the people who have resided here for generations and recognize that the spirit of the Dakota, Ojibwe, Metis and all Indigenous Communities permeates this land. The contribution of the Indigenous people shall not be forgotten nor will the success that is achieved by the People of the land. We will continue to educate, advocate, honor and unite for Indigenous people of this land.

3. Approval of Minutes

A. September 17, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Motion to Approve made by Evett Ellis and seconded by AnnaPoorna Rajesh.

For 2: Siham Amedy, Sebastian McDougall

Against 0: None

Abstain/Recuse 0: None

Motion Passed

4. Guest Speaker

Markus Krueger presented to the Human Rights Commission on Pangea. November 15.

5. Community Partners

6. Citizens To Be Heard

7. Law Enforcement Update

8. Regular Business

9. Subcommittee Reports

A. Education and Outreach

Commissioners Aranda and Ellis discussed wanting to have an informal event where community members can come and discuss topics and or issues related to human rights. It was decided that this event "Cookie with a Commissioner" would take place on Thursday November 13.

B. Events

C. Awards

10. Reports/Announcements/Upcoming Events

11. New Business

Commissioner Aranda commented that at the next meeting there should be a discussion on day of the month and time of the HRC meeting, just to make sure 5pm on the third Thursday is the best time for everyone.

A. Pangea

Commissioners discussed hosting of the hospitality room for Pangea. Staff Liaison stated she would be sending out a doodle sign up for volunteers to host the room.

12. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 06:13 PM.