

**City of Redlands
Human Relations Commission
Special Meeting
Council Chambers, Civic Center
35 Cajon Street, Redlands, CA 92373
July 6, 2026
6:30 – 7:30 pm**

Commissioners: Chairperson Vanessa Aranda, Vice Chairperson Germaine Miles, Secretary Emma Bernstein, Treasurer Daniela Ramirez-Ponce, Ken Ford, Erin Stepien, and Louisa Amis.

Council Liaisons – Mayor Mario Saucedo, Mayor Pro Tem Marc Shaw **Staff Liaison** – Sarah Redinger

A. Call to Order – Attendance

B. Reading of Committee Mission and Purpose

C. Public Comment

At this time, the Human Relations Commission will provide an opportunity for the public to address them on any subject, within the jurisdiction of the Human Relations Commission, which is not already scheduled on this agenda. However, any matter that requires action will be referred to staff for a report and possible action at a subsequent Human Relations Commission meeting. Please limit your comments to three (3) minutes.

D. Approval of the Minutes from Meeting on June 8, 2026

E. New Business

1. Report from Chairperson Aranda on her meeting with Mayor Mario Saucedo regarding Human Relations Commission goals.
2. Report from Event Cosponsor Ad Hoc Subcommittee and discussion and possible action regarding ideas for Human Relations Commission participation and promotion of upcoming City events.
3. Discussion and possible action to create an ad hoc subcommittee to plan a Human Relations Commission-sponsored student essay and art contest.
4. Discussion and possible action on creation of an ad hoc subcommittee to create a theme and a set of questions, schedule, and structure for community outreach listening campaign. This includes discussion and possible action on thematic dialogue panels for future Human Relations Commission meetings which may be included in the listening campaign subcommittee or a separate subcommittee.
5. Discussion and possible action for the Human Relations Commission to host a table at the Redlands Saturday Morning Market once per month with no more than three Human Relations Commission members attending on a rotating basis.
6. Discussion and possible action to invite students from different Redlands high schools to a future Human Relations Commission meeting to give input on matters relating to fostering mutual respect and understanding with regard to race, religion, national origin, age, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, disability or other minority affiliation.

7. Discussion and possible action on an ad hoc subcommittee to create a publication with government resources and established local community resources related to Human Relations Commission goals, such as unity, cultural understanding, anti-racism, and anti-bigotry.

F. Old Business

G. Treasurer's Report

H. Staff Report

1. Report on the possibility of using existing City survey technology to run a Human Relations Commission community survey.

I. Commissioners' Reports

J. Council Report

K. Adjournment

The next meeting will be held on September 14, 2026.

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