

**Commission for Women
Department of Administration
May 20, 2020**

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
NEVADA COMMISSION FOR WOMEN
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION
May 20, 2020

The meeting of the Nevada Commission for Women was called to order by Chair Jo Etta Brown at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20, 2020, via teleconference call. **Exhibit A** is the meeting agenda. All exhibits are available and on file in the Department of Administration, Director's Office.

COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT:

Richann Bender
Jo Etta Brown
Durette Candito
Heather Engle
Diane Fearon
Jennifer López
Ann Silver

COMMISSION MEMBERS ABSENT:

Flor Bernal-Gonzalez
Brenda Hughes

D of A STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Molly Walt

OTHERS PRESENT:

Katie Armstrong, Deputy Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

Agenda Item #3 – Public Comment

Chair Jo Etta Brown called for public comment. No public comment was reported.

Agenda Item #4 – FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Review and approval of Minutes from April 7, 2020, Nevada Commission for Women meeting.

Commissioner Diane Fearon made the motion to approve the minutes, Commissioner Heather Engle seconded the motion. Action to approve the minutes passed unanimously.

Agenda Item #5 – FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: To give permission to Vice-Chair Durette Candito to send a letter to Reno, NV's City Manager's Planning Department in support to the National Votes for Women Trail Historical Marker to be installed in Reno, NV, on behalf of the Nevada Commission for Women. The letter will be sent to Claudia Hanson, AICP, Planning Manager, Reno City Manager

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Commissioner Richann Bender made the motion to approve the motion as written, Commissioner Ann Silver seconded the motion. Action to approve the motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Item #6 - FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: To approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$20.00 per month for a Zoom Account. Funding Source: Bank of America Grant

Commissioner Jennifer López made the motion to approve the expenditure. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Durette Candito. Action to approve the motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Item #7 – INFORMATION ONLY – Commissioner Updates

Commission Heather Engle shared a teleconference she attended with Senator Jacky Rosen discussing the increase in domestic violence during the COVID-19 pandemic. Commissioner Engle would like the Commission to think about getting active and being part of the conversation on how to help victims of domestic violence.

Agenda Item #8 – INFORMATION ONLY – New Business/Comments or items of discussion

Commissioner Durette Candito asked that raising the Zoom Account from \$20.00/month to \$40.00/month be an agenda on the Nevada Commission for Women’s June meeting agenda.

Agenda Item #9 – Public Comment

No public comment was reported.

Agenda Item #10 – FOR POSSIBLE ACTION – Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Molly Walt

Molly Walt, Staff, Nevada Commission for Women

Exhibit A	Meeting Agenda
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