

City of San Antonio



AGENDA

Housing Commission Regular Meeting

Wednesday, October 25, 2023

11:30 AM

100 W. Houston St.

The Housing Commission is charged with overseeing and guiding the implementation of San Antonio's Housing Policy Framework. As part of that charge, the Commission helps engage the public on this work.

Commissioners:

Katie Wilson, Chair

Robert Abraham, At Large

Kristin Davila, At Large

Taneka Nikki Johnson, At Large

Crystal Requejo, At Large

Pedro Alanis, San Antonio Housing Trust Appointee

Kammy Horne, VIA Metro Appointee

Michael Reyes, Opportunity Home San Antonio Appointee

Cecilia Garcia Redmond, Greater SATX Appointee

Housing Commission meetings are held virtually and in-person when possible. The public will be able to attend virtually or in-person, subject to occupancy restrictions which vary by location. Links to participate virtually in English or Spanish are available at:

<https://www.sanantonio.gov/NHSD/Coordinated-Housing/Housing-Commission>

Guidelines for participating in Public Comment:

Public comment may be provided in English, Spanish, or another language through any of the following methods:

1. Submit written comments 24 hours before the meeting. Written comments can be submitted multiple ways:

- By email to housingpolicy@sanantonio.gov
- On our webpage at www.sanantonio.gov/NHSD/Coordinated-Housing/Housing-Commission
- By mail or dropped off at the Neighborhood & Housing Services Department, 100 W. Houston.

Written statements can be up to 300 words. Please include your full name, email address, phone number, and the item number you wish to speak on. Comments can be submitted in English, Spanish, or any other language.

2. Leave a voice message by dialing (210) 207-7950 up to 3 hours before the meeting.

Your message can be up to three minutes long and will be played during the meeting. Please include your full name, home or work address, and the item number you wish to speak on, if applicable.

3. Give your comments live during the meeting. Sign up by calling (210) 207-7950 up to 3 hours before the meeting or by attending in person up until the meeting begins.

Please include your full name, phone number to which to call you during the session, and the item number on which you would like to speak. City staff will call you when your item is up for discussion but cannot guarantee a specific time. You will be given up to three minutes to provide your comments.

When providing public comment, please note the following:

- 1) The length of time for public comment is at the Chair's discretion.
- 2) Members of the public may provide comment on any agenda item, consistent with procedural rules governing the Housing Commission Regular Meeting meetings and state law. This means comments must be made in relation to a specific agenda item. When signing up to speak the item number you wish to comment on should be included and comments must be made to the full commission rather than individual members of the commission.

Approval of Minutes

1. Approval of the minutes from the San Antonio Housing Commission meeting on September 27, 2023.

Public Comments

Briefing and Possible Action on the following items

2. Briefing and discussion related to the City's application to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) Pathways to Removing Obstacles grant program. [Lori Houston, Assistant City Manager; Veronica Garcia, Director, Neighborhood and Housing Services Department]
3. Briefing on the Housing Commission Subcommittees' ongoing work [Veronica Garcia, Director, Neighborhood & Housing Services Department]

4. Discussion and possible action on Housing Commission Fiscal Year 2024-2026 goals and priorities [Veronica Garcia, Director, Neighborhood and Housing Services Department]
5. Briefing and possible action related to the creation of a technical working group under the Housing Commission focused on developing recommendations to the Unified Development Code that facilitate the creation of affordable housing near and along transit corridors. [Veronica Garcia, Director, Neighborhood & Housing Services Department]
6. Director's Report: (a) Home Rehabilitation Application Session Update; (b) Housing Assistance Program Update (c) Upcoming meetings. No action will be taken. [Veronica Garcia, Director, Neighborhood and Housing Services Department]
7. Commissioner reports on items of community interests. Reports may include expressions of thanks, congratulations or condolence; information regarding holiday schedules; honorary or salutory recognition of public officials, public employees or other citizens, except for changes in status of a person's public office or public employment; reminders about upcoming events organized or sponsored by the Housing Commission; information regarding social, ceremonial, or community events organized or sponsored by other entities attended or scheduled to be attended by a member of the Housing Commission or City of San Antonio official or employee; or announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety that has arisen after posting of this agenda. No action will be taken. [Housing Commissioners]

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