



**HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION  
MEETING AGENDA  
May 18, 2022 - 5:00 PM  
Hjemkomst Center - Auditorium**

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The Moorhead Human Rights Commission welcomes and encourages public input on issues listed on the agenda or of general community interest, time and Council permitting. Speakers are limited to 3-minute presentations. Citizens wishing to address the Human Rights Commission regarding a specific agenda item will be afforded an opportunity during the discussion of that item. Citizens wishing to speak on matters not listed on the agenda will be afforded the opportunity to do so under the heading "Citizens Addressing the Commission," usually scheduled at the beginning and end of the agenda. Each person requesting the opportunity to speak is asked to fill out a "Request to Speak Form."

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- 1. **Call to order** \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. **Land Acknowledgement** \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. **Roll call** \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. **Approval of Agenda/Minutes** \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. **Citizens to be heard** \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. **Law Enforcement Update** \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. **Guest Speaker - Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women - Representative Ruth Buffalo** \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. **Subcommittee Reports** \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. **Reports/Announcements/Upcoming events** \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. **New business** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Public Comment Line:** 218.299.5001 (to speak on an agenda item or as a citizen to be heard)

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Land Acknowledgement Moorhead MN

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.

## **Agenda Item 5.**

### Human Rights Commission - Disclosure

Everyone is welcome to share their thoughts and concerns as we work together to make Moorhead a more welcome and inclusive community. The Human Rights Commission would like to advise those who participate in commission meetings of the Commissions role and authority in the community, as it may influence how we are able to respond.

Persons having human rights complaints are welcome to share their concerns at Commission meetings but must refrain from naming individuals. The Human Rights Commission does not have authority to address human rights complaints and we are not be able to respond directly regarding specific discrimination claims. The Commission is happy to assist with public education about human rights, fairness, equity and inclusion. We may also help direct individuals to resources. However, specific claims of discrimination should be referred to the Minnesota Department of Human Rights where the appropriate legal authority exists.