



# MEETING AGENDA

AFRICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION \*VIRTUAL\* MEETING  
Wednesday, March 10, 5:30PM

**Access the meeting via the web:** Open your browser and visit <https://duluthmn.gov/live-meeting> and select 'Duluth African Heritage Commission'.

1. Welcome & Introductions
2. Election of Officers
3. Approve Meeting Minutes for February 10, 2021 (attached)
4. Demographics Report Discussion (attached)
5. Public Comment
  - a. Human Rights Commission (Mark Daniel Hakes, Commissioner)
  - b. Epilepsy Foundation of Minnesota (Lisa Peterson, Regional Outreach Manager)
6. Waabizheshikana Trail Plan/African Heritage historic preservation (City Staff)
7. Old Business
  - Letter on 1/6/21 Events at the Capitol (Commissioner Thornton)
  - Commission awareness (City Staff)
  - BIPOC-owned business list (City Staff)
  - City grants and other funding opportunities (City Staff)
8. Next Meeting Topics (April 14<sup>th</sup>)
9. Announcements
10. Adjourn

The African Heritage Commission will be holding its Meeting by other electronic means pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.021 in response to the COVID-19 emergency. Some members of the Committee will be participating through video conference. Due to the COVID-19 emergency and the closure of City facilities, public comment will not be taken in person. However, members of the public can monitor the meeting and provide public comment on agenda items through WebEx Events. Visit <https://duluthmn.gov/live-meeting> to access the meeting. The public is also encouraged to submit written comment to Ben VanTassel prior to the meeting. Please include "Upcoming African Heritage Commission Agenda" in the subject line, and include your name and address and the agenda item you are speaking to. Please note that all public comment is considered Public Data.