

**DRAFT Minutes of the November 22, 2021, Meeting of the
New York City Racial Justice Commission**

A duly noticed meeting of the New York City Racial Justice Commission was held virtually and livestreamed for remote public viewing at 5:00 p.m. on November 22, 2021.

The Chair, Jennifer Jones Austin, was present and presided. Also present were the following Commissioners:

Ana M. Bermúdez

Lurie Daniel Favors

Vice Chair Henry GarridoDarrick Hamilton

Chris Kui

Yesenia Mata

J. Phillip Thompson

Jo-Ann Yoo

Regrets: Commissioners K. Bain and Fred Davie

The Chair acknowledged the presence of a quorum (Chair Austin and Commissioners Bermúdez, Kui, Hamilton, Thompson, and Yoo) to conduct the meeting and called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m.

Chair made welcoming remarks and gave an overview of the agenda for the evening's meeting.

Vice Chair Garrido joined the meeting at approximately 5:11 p.m. and Commissioners Mata and Daniel Favors joined the meeting at approximately 5:12 p.m.

Executive Director Anusha Venkataraman presented an overview of the revised proposals to the Commissioners. Policy Director Jimmy Pan then presented each proposal.

The Commissioners discussed the proposals and timeline to finalize these proposals and the final report.

The Chair asked Commissioners to identify for staff and members of the public the specific issues with the proposals they want to make sure are addressed. The Chair, with the approval of Commissioners, requested that staff organize an additional Commission meeting for November 29th or 30th to allow for further discussion of the proposals.

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 6:52 p.m.

A transcription of the entire Commission Meeting will be prepared and uploaded to <https://racialjustice.cityofnewyork.us/events/>.