

NYC Racial Justice Commission Public Meeting Wednesday, October 26, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The New York City Racial Justice Commission will hold a public meeting at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 26, 2022. The Commissioners and staff will discuss the three racial justice ballot questions that will appear on the November 8th ballot with the intention to educate New Yorkers on the questions and encourage voter turnout.

The meeting will be held in-person at the following physical address:

City Hall Park Meeting Location: Jacob Wrey Mould Fountain 43 Park Row New York, NY 10038

The meeting will be livestreamed at the below internet address:

- Videoconference on Zoom: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87892081518
- Dial-in: +1 646 558 8656 and enter webinar ID: 878 9208 1518
- Livestream available at: <u>on.nyc.gov/racialjusticemeeting</u>

This meeting is open to the public. The public will have the opportunity to observe the Commission's discussions, but not testify before it.

What if I need assistance to observe the meeting?

American Sign Language interpretation will be provided. Members of the public may request additional language interpretation services and/or other accessibility requests by 10:00 a.m. on October 24, 2022 by emailing the Commission at <u>racialjustice@charter.nyc.gov</u> or by calling (718) 354-1918 and leaving a voicemail. Possible virtual accommodations also include live captioning, audio description (if



applicable), and accessible electronic documents/PowerPoints. All requests will be accommodated to the extent possible.

About the Racial Justice Commission

The New York City Charter provides the structure of City government and key powers of City elected officials and agencies. The Racial Justice Commission is empowered with the authority of a charter revision commission, which is a temporary commission that reviews the entire Charter and puts its amendments before the voters. The Racial Justice Commission is also empowered to recommend other proposed policy and programmatic changes that are not included in its amendment proposals. This work is necessary because systemic racism has been and continues to shape our reality.

The Racial Justice Commission seized the transformative potential of this moment in history and in December 2021, proposed ballot measures incorporating structural changes and significant policy reforms intended to advance racial justice and equity and begin to dismantle structural racism for all New Yorkers. It is now charged with educating voters about those proposals in advance of the November 2022 election.