AGENDA

April 13, 2021
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Dial in – 405-357-8797
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10:05 a.m. Call to Order
• Roll Call
• Introduction by Chair of new Commissioners
• Minutes

10:15 a.m. Any members of the public visiting

10:20 a.m. Fair Housing Month and Guest Briefing by Nancy Goldring, President of the Northeast Towson Improvement Association on East Towson Community

Briefing on the impact of development choices on communities, including, those recognized as inhabited historically by African Americans

What is the balance among affordable housing and equity? As background reading, see, Taylor Deville, Baltimore County Judge Clears Red Maple Affordable Housing Development in East Towson, Balt. Sun, Mar. 9, 2021, https://www.baltimoresun.com/maryland/baltimore-county/bs-md-co-red-maple-approved-20210309-nlhyf244vncpdi3mow6jukckie-story.html
• Introduction of Speaker by Chair
• Presentation by Speaker
• Any action for the Board of Commissioners?

10:45 a.m. Staff Reports
11:15 a.m.  Board Affairs
- Any statement Commissioners want to make during Fair Housing Month (Brief)
- Vote on Board Guidelines Vote on announcement of new Board members
- Old Business
  - Implementation of 2021-24 Strategic Plan
  - Western Maryland Advisory Council: Chair will eventually do a virtual coffee with the Acting schedule chair. Commissioner involvement.
- New Business
  - MCCR housing forums occurring on April 27 and on April 28, 2021
  - Special event related to the Maryland Lynching Memorial Project and the work of the Maryland Lynching Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Placing a marker, on May 8, 2021, in restorative acknowledgement of Mr. Howard Cooper, an African American lynched by a mob in Towson, Maryland.
  - May: Public Service Week
  - July: Board Member Social “Mixer” Appetizers on the Chair at rear lawn of Valley View Inn on Falls Road
  - September Board retreat and officer elections

11:30 a.m.  Executive Session

12:00 p.m.  Adjourn

The Maryland Commission on Civil Rights will hold its next Commission meeting on Tuesday, May 11, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.
Location: To Be Determined

Please check https://mccr.maryland.gov/Pages/Commissioners.aspx for updates

The public is invited to attend and participate. If you require an accommodation to attend the meeting, please submit your request at mccr@maryland.gov.