



**TO:** Hyun Kim, Interim City Manager  
**FROM:** Nicole Emery, City Clerk  
Chris Bacha, City Attorney  
**COPY:** City Council  
**SUBJECT:** Resolution – Appointing and reappointing individuals to the  
Human Rights Commission – February 24, 2026  
**DATE:** February 13, 2026

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**SUMMARY:**

Appointing and reappointing the following individuals to the Human Rights Commission:

- Appointing Treveon Parish to the “Emerging Leader” position to serve a one-year term, effective March 1, 2026, to expire February 28, 2027.
- Appointing MarcusAntonio Gunn to fill an unexpired term, to expire February 28, 2027.
- Appointing Elliott Winter to fill an unexpired term, to expire February 28, 2027.
- Reappointing Ivan Johnson to serve a three-year term, effective March 1, 2026, to expire February 28, 2029.
- Reappointing Verda Washington to serve a three-year term, effective March 1, 2026, to expire February 28, 2029.

**COUNCIL SPONSORS:**

Council Members Palmer, Rumbaugh, Scott, and Walker.

**STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:**

As the Human Rights Commission (Commission) studies, investigates, and mediates community issues that may result from discrimination, appointing individuals to the Commission best aligns with the strategic policy priority related to strengthening and supporting public safety and human services.

**BACKGROUND:**

At the February 12, 2026, Community Vitality and Safety Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

**ISSUE:**

Positions need to be filled on the Human Rights Commission.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

The Commission will continue to operate without full membership.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Community Vitality and Safety Committee recommends the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.



**FISCAL IMPACT:**

There is no fiscal impact.