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## Human Relations Commission 2024 Monthly Meeting Schedule\* and Notice of Executive Sessions

The 2024 Elkhart Human Relations Commission (HRC) meeting schedule and Executive Sessions (closed to the public) prior to the public meetings.

The purpose of the Executive Sessions is to discuss confidential Fair Housing complaints. Pursuant to the Code of Federal Regulations 24 CFR Part 8.56(c)(2), "Confidentiality. The responsible civil rights official shall hold in confidence the identity of any person submitting a complaint, unless the person submits written authorization otherwise, and except to the extent necessary to carry out the purposes of this part, including the conduct of any investigation, hearing, or proceeding under this part."

Pursuant to Indiana Code IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b) Executive sessions may be held only in the following instances:

- (1) Where authorized by federal or state statute
- (7) For discussion of records classified as confidential by state or federal statute

Discussion of Fair Housing complaints meets the Indiana Code criteria to hold an Executive Session, as the identity of the complainant shall be held in confidence, per 24 CFR Part 8.56(c)(2).

The schedule for the 2024 HRC meetings is as follows:

All meetings are held in the Conference Room, Municipal Annex, 201 S Second Street, Elkhart.

Executive Session (closed to the public): 9:00 am \*\*

Public Meeting: 9:30 am\*\*

- January 25, 2024
- March 28, 2024
- May 23, 2024
- July 25, 2024

- September 26, 2024\*\*
- November 21, 2024\*\*
- December 12, 2024\*\*

\*In addition to this schedule, special meetings can be scheduled or meetings can be canceled with a 48-hour notice

\*\* New Time