

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN PHIL MENDELSON
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**

on

PR 25-941, “Commission on Health Equity Delia L. Houseal Reappointment Resolution of 2024”

PR 25-942, “Commission on Health Equity Austin Hicks Chikwendu Appointment Resolution of 2024”

PR 25-943, “Commission on Health Equity Dr. Nura Green Lane Appointment Resolution of 2024”

PR 25-944, “Commission on Health Equity Kimberly Burrowes Appointment Resolution of 2024”

PR 25-945, “Commission on Health Equity Nakeisha Neal Jones Appointment Resolution of 2024”

PR 25-946, “Commission on Health Equity Yvonne Garces Appointment Resolution of 2024”

on

**Wednesday, October 30, 2024 at 10:00am
Council Hearing Room 412 (Track B)
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
DC Council Website (www.dccouncil.gov)**

Council Chairman Phil Mendelson announces a public roundtable before the Committee of the Whole on **PR 25-941**, the “Commission on Health Equity Delia L. Houseal Reappointment Resolution of 2024,” **PR 25-942**, the “Commission on Health Equity Austin Hicks Chikwendu Appointment Resolution of 2024,” and **PR 25-943**, the “Commission on Health Equity Dr. Nura Green Lane Appointment Resolution of 2024,” **PR 25-944**, the “Commission on Health Equity Kimberly Burrowes Appointment Resolution of 2024,” **PR 25-945**, the “Commission on Health Equity Nakeisha Neal Jones Appointment Resolution of 2024,” and **PR 25-946**, the “Commission on Health Equity Yvonne Garces Appointment Resolution of 2024”. The roundtable will be held at **10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 30, 2024.**

The stated purpose of PR 25-941 is to reappoint Dr. Delia L. Houseal to the Commission on Health Equity as a voting member. The stated purpose of PR 25-942 is to appoint Austin Hicks Chikwendu to the Commission on Health Equity as a nonvoting community advisory member. The stated purpose of PR 25-943 is to appoint Dr. Nura Green Lane to the Commission on Health Equity as a nonvoting community advisory member. The stated purpose of PR 25-944 is to appoint Kimberly Burrowes to the Commission on Health Equity as a voting member. The stated purpose of PR 25-945 is to appoint Nakeisha Neal to the Commission on Health Equity as a voting member. The stated purpose of PR 25-946 is to appoint Yvonne Garces to the Commission on Health Equity as a nonvoting community advisory member. Chairman Mendelson introduced each of these six nominations on September 16, 2024. Each voting member nomination is for a 3-year term to expire July 7, 2027. Each nonvoting community advisory member serves at the pleasure of the Council. The purpose of the roundtable is to receive testimony from public witnesses, as well as the nominees, as to their fitness.

Those who wish to testify about this legislation must register using the Council's Hearing Management System at <https://lims.dccouncil.gov/hearings> by **5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 28, 2024**. **Testimony is limited to four minutes.** Witnesses who anticipate needing spoken language interpretation, or require sign language interpretation, are requested to inform the Committee office of the need as soon as possible but no later than five business days before the proceeding by emailing cow@dccouncil.gov. We will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, although alternatives may be offered. Requests received in less than five business days may not be fulfilled. Witnesses will receive instructions on how to participate by Zoom prior to the hearing. If you have additional questions, please contact Christian A. Washington, Special Counsel, at (202) 724-8083 or cow@dccouncil.gov.

Public witnesses may participate virtually via the Internet on the Zoom Video Conference platform. Testimony should be submitted through the Council's Hearing Management System in advance of the hearing. Testimony will be publicly accessible upon Committee review. If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Statements for the record should be submitted through the Hearing Management System or left by voicemail by calling (202) 430-6948 (up to 3 minutes which will be transcribed). The record will close at 5:00 pm on Wednesday, November 13, 2024.