

Hampden County Commission on the Status of Women and Girls June Public Meeting Minutes-DRAFT

June 9, 2022 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Online via Zoom: Zoom Meeting Link

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Livestream: Link Please contact hccswg@gmail.com for the meeting password

- **I.** Call to Order and Roll Call- called to order at 6:06 PM Gabrielle did roll call. Present is Gabrielle, Jackie, Shanique, Nikki and Alina. Not present are Tara, Lizzy, Kim and Daisy.
- III. Public Speak Out (15 min.) None present.
- **IV.** No approval of June minutes due to quorum.
- **V.** Featured Guest- Tina Games of MCSW: Shared information on supports that will be made available to the Regional Commissions this year.
- **VI.** Chair Report Gabrielle shared some updates on the upcoming election and encouraged the Commission to step into leadership. Tina Games will support onboarding.
- VII. Vice Chair Report Jackie shared updates on the Prison Moratorium and urged the Commission to sign as supporters. It was confirmed by Tina Games that we can take a stance

VII. New Business

- a. Discussion around aboration rights and access.
 - i. Shanique and Jackie mentioned having featured guests attend to speak to the Commission during the July Meeting.
- b. Abortion and Access and the prioson moretorium will be front and center at the July meeting with Jackie and Shanique constructing statements for the Commission to vote on.
 - b. Next Meeting- June 14, 2022

Planning on meeting in person at the Holyoke Public Library on 7/14/22. The Commission will be on recess in August.

d. MCSW onboarding (orientation) for new regional commissioners will be held during the at some point this summer.

Shanique made a motion to adjourn at 7:07 Nikki seconded, all in favor.