



CAMBRIDGE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

Monthly Commission Meeting Minutes

June 11, 2025

Cambridge City Hall, Sophie Room

Agenda

1. Events & Programmatic Updates
 - a. Women & Words, June '25
 - b. Women & Words, September '25
2. New Business
3. Administrative Announcements
 - a. Meeting location & summer schedule
 - b. SharePoint access
4. 50th Anniversary Brainstorming/Planning

Summary

- Events & Programmatic Updates
 - Share the June Women & Words flyer with your networks
 - Moving forward with September's Women & Words topic on menopause. Possibly host a film screening, list of panelists has been developed, will need to update location reservation.
 - Human Services & Veterans Committee's public meeting (5/28) and the Lunch & Learn with HEAT (Human Exploitation Advocacy Team) and My Life My Choice on Commercial Sexual Exploitation & Trafficking provided an overview on understanding the facts versus myths, barriers to accessing services, cultural incompetencies, links to addiction, and power dynamics. Attendee feedback: what is the City thinking about to address immediate and long term solutions?
- Administrative Announcements
 - Send out follow up email to commissioners with instructions on accessing SharePoint and how to access the 50th planning documents.
 - Resume monthly meeting in September
 - Monthly Commission Meeting will no longer be hosted at City Hall, moving to 689 Mass Ave
- 50th Anniversary Planning
 - Idea to add to planning document: Collaborate with CPS to have students enter a competition in (arts, writing, etc.) for an award and/or prize.