

MONTGOMERY COUNTY ETHICS COMMISSION

Public Meeting, June 10, 2025

Meeting held in person

Minutes

IN ATTENDANCE:

Commissioners: Elizabeth Kellar, Chair Rahul Goel, Vice-Chair Kenita Barrow Eric Gallun

Staff Members: Erin O'Connor, Staff Director/Chief Counsel Hiwote Yohannes, Program Manager

- Item 1. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by the Chair.
- Item 2. The May 2025 meeting minutes were approved as presented.
- Item 3. Ms. O'Connor gave the Commission an update on the annual financial disclosure filing season status of filings. She also discussed upcoming in-person training dates and an effort to coordinate training dates for external personnel at various quasi-governmental organizations.

Item 4. There was no new business

The open meeting adjourned at 7:03 pm to conduct administrative matters.

In the administrative meeting, the Commission approved most of the outside employment requests as presented. One outside employment request was denied by the Commission.

The Commission reviewed and acted on one department-level waiver request and two requests for advisory opinions.

The administrative meeting adjourned at 8:19 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Erin O'Connor Staff Director/Chief Counsel