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**MINUTES FOR:  
MID-CITY LOCAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE  
January 22, 2007**

<b>LHRC Members:</b> Dani Vedros, Vice-Chair Richard Thompson, Secretary Chris Padilla  Absent: Clifford Hoffman, Chair	<b>Staff &amp; Programs</b> T. Neumann; T W Neumann & Associates Patricia Coale, Andrea Long, Natasha Fedyszyn-Carr; Child and Family Services (In-Home Services, Sponsored Placement- Adults, Sponsored Placement- Children (Temp) Corey Brooks; Community Solutions Amanda Grizzard; Restorer of Broken Walls Betty Gray Hanson, Jo-Ann Taalib; Alternative Family Treatment Services, Inc. (Temp) Rizal Cruz, Dely Soriano; AJ&T Group Home Myra Gonzalez; Prosperity Holmes, LLC (Temp) Deolinda Morris, Barbara Simpson; Jamurbei, LLC (Temp) Julie Phillips, Shelly Banks; Choice, Inc. Stewart Prost, Advocate, Office of Human Rights
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Meeting convened at 4:45 PM by Ms. Vedros. The minutes for the last meeting 10-23-06 were read and approved. There was an introduction of all in attendance.

Programs gave their reports: There were no incidents or allegations to report during the past quarter from the programs in attendance and there have been no significant changes in the present programs with the following exceptions: AJ&T is adding a second location and Choice, Inc. has had its license revoked and is in the process of relocating its clients. Jamurbai, LLC and Prosperity Holmes, LLC requested reaffiliation and removal of their suspension from the LHRC.

**New Business:**

**Child and Family Services ( Sponsored Placement- Children; Temp) , and Alternative Family Treatment Services (Temp)**

A motion was made and seconded: That the Mid-City LHRC continues to accept affiliation of Child and Family Services, Sponsored Placement- Children and Alternative Family Treatment Services for another 90 days pending their receiving licenses from DMHMRSAS. Passed

**Prosperity Holmes, LLC (Temp) and Jamurbei, LLC (Temp)**

A motion was made and seconded: That the Mid-City LHRC renew temporary affiliation for 90 days for Prosperity Holmes, LLC (Temp) and Jamurbei, LLC (Temp).

**Choice, Inc. (Temp)** requested continued temporary continued affiliation with the Mid-City LHRC until the program withdraws. A motion was made and seconded: That the Mid-City LHRC accept temporary affiliation of Choice, Inc. for 90 days. Passed

**Report from the Advocate:** Mr. Prost noted that the new proposed HR Regulations are available at [www.dmhmrzas.virginia.gov](http://www.dmhmrzas.virginia.gov) and that the hearings have been held throughout the state and pending final review they will probably go into effect later this year.

He also offered training for the Committee Members and it was decided the the Members would come for training at 3pm prior to the next scheduled meeting.

A motion was made for the LHRC to go into executive session in order to interview a prospective LHRC Member. Passed. The meeting reconvened in open session at 5:07 and a motion was made and seconded that Mr. Cristaldo Padilla be recommended to the SHRC as a Member of the Mid-City LHRC. Passed.

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 PM.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The next regular quarterly meeting of Mid-City LHRC is scheduled for,

**Monday, April 23, 2007 at 4:00 PM at  
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**Planned Dates for upcoming meetings are: (times and places to be determined):**

**July 23, 2007**