



**City of Scottsdale**  
**Human Services Advisory Commission**

Regular Meeting **MARKED AGENDA**

**Thursday, April 9, 2026, 5:30 P.M.**

City Hall Kiva Forum  
3939 N. Drinkwater Boulevard  
Scottsdale, AZ 85251

*As a member of the Scottsdale community, I will genuinely listen; speak respectfully; and be accountable for my words and actions.*

The public will have physical access to the meeting place 15 minutes prior to the meeting.

**Call to Order 5:32 p.m.**

**Roll Call**

**PRESENT: Chair Roger Lurie, Vice-Chair Lee Cooley, Commission Members, Mary Jung, Cynthia Hill, Neal Shearer, Sheila Roe, and Carlee Shexnayder**

One or more members of the public body may be attending the meeting by telephone, video, or internet conferencing, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431(4)

**Public Comment**

Citizens may address the members of the Human Services Advisory Commission during Public Comment regarding non-agendized items, and on agendized items when the item is presented. Arizona law prohibits the Commission from discussing or taking action on an item that is not on the prepared agenda. Citizens may submit one Request to Speak "Public Comment" card per meeting to City Staff. Public testimony is limited to three (3) minutes per speaker. Written Public Comment cards may be submitted to City Staff at any time for agendized or non-agendized items. Cards submitted after public testimony has begun will be provided to the Commission at the conclusion of that item.

**Minutes**

**Approval of the March 26, 2026 Regular Meeting Minutes**

**Commission Action:** Discussion and action (roll call vote)

**APPROVED: 7-0 by roll call vote; Commissioner Roe motioned; 2<sup>nd</sup> Commissioner Jung; Chair Lurie, Vice-Chair Cooley, Commissioners Jung, Hill, Shearer, Roe, and Shexnayder voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes**

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### **1. Scottsdale Cares Communication Strategy**

Holly Peralta, Interim Senior Director of Public Affairs and Communications, will provide a presentation on the communication strategy for Ordinance 4699 relating to the voluntary billing donation program known as Scottsdale Cares to \$2 per meter per month billed.

**Commission Action:** Information and discussion

### **2. Rental Initiatives Supporting Education (R.I.S.E)**

Mary Witkofski, Interim Human Services Director, Sue Oh, Human Services Manager, and Chad Beougher, Housing Supervisor, will provide a presentation on the R.I.S.E Program, a new tenant based rental assistance program in partnership with Scottsdale Unified School District.

**Commission Action:** Information and discussion

### **3. Identification of Future Agenda Items**

The Human Services Advisory Commission may suggest items they wish to be placed on a future agenda, but the Human Services Advisory Commission may not discuss, deliberate, or take legal action on any matter in the "Identification of Future Agenda Items" unless the specific matter is properly noticed for legal action.

**Commission Action:** Possible motion to agendaize matter(s) for future discussion and possible action – **No action taken**

### **4. Adjournment 6:12 p.m.**

Motion to adjourn the meeting

**Commission Action:** Action (roll call vote)

**APPROVED: 7-0 by roll call vote; Commissioner Shearer motioned; 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Chair Cooley; Chair Lurie, Vice-Chair Cooley, Commissioners Jung, Hill, Shearer, Roe, and Shexnayder voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes**

