

SUBMISSION – DAVID GRANT

ITEM 20 - EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE - SEPTEMBER 17, 2024 - HUMAN RIGHTS
COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL – 2023 ANNUAL WORKFORCE DIVERSITY REPORT

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Committee you want to address

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20 HRC

Support or oppose recommendations

I am opposed to the recommendations

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Comments

When this committee was first proposed, it seemed like a good idea to advise Council on any violations of our human rights. In the years since then, it has lost track of that purpose. It's reports are completely silent on actual human rights violations involving city hall. It has become a place to advocate for diversity targets. It ignores the fact that folks in some demographic groups have preferences that differ from "the average". This committee is now committed to the violation of some of the basic rights of people in Winnipeg. For these and other reasons, you should consider renaming it the DEI Committee of Council. You are all committed to transparency and plain language. This change would help fulfil those promises.

I consent to being contacted to participate in potential public engagement related to this matter.

No