



RI Commission on Prejudice and Bias  
Meeting Agenda: Wednesday, May 20, 2026, 2:30-4pm  
RI State House, 82 Smith Street, Providence, room 135

**Mission:** To study and report on all forms of prejudice and hatred in RI and to revise and codify, if possible, all laws relating to all forms of prejudice, bias, and hatred.

Any matter listed on this agenda may be acted upon by the RI Commission on Prejudice and Bias.

1. Call to order: Welcome commissioners and guests – Chair
2. Review/approve March 19 meeting minutes – Chair
3. Coordinator updates
  - a. Bureau of Justice Assistance - Hate Crime Training Program
  - b. Reports of hate/bias incidents received
  - c. Financial
4. RICPB House and Senate funding resolutions: [H 8207](#) / [S 2236](#)
5. Immigrant Coalition of RI - Juan Pablo Ocampo, Immigrant Coalition of RI
  - a. [H 7198](#) / [S2047](#) - 364 Day Bill
  - b. [H 7360](#) / [S2045](#) - Protect Our Courts Act
  - c. [H 8347](#) / [S3116](#) - Civil Immigration Enforcement
6. RI Voting Rights Act [H 8334](#) / [S 3143](#) - Jocelyn Foye, Womxn Project
7. Community engagement updates – Law enforcement and community groups
8. Next meeting: Wed. June 17, 2026, 2:30-4pm, RI State House, room 135
9. Adjourn – Chair

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