

# City of San Antonio

# Legislation Details (With Text)

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Ordinance

In control: Community Health and Equity Committee

On agenda: 8/7/2020

**Title:** A briefing on a draft resolution declaring racism a public health crisis, created in collaboration with

Metro Health and Council District 2 and Council District 7. [David W. McCary, Assistant City Manager,

Zan Gibbs, MPH, Chief Equity Officer]

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**DEPARTMENT**: Office of Equity

**DEPARTMENT HEAD**: Zan Gibbs, Chief Equity Officer

**COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED**: Citywide

**SUBJECT**: Draft Public Health Resolution

#### **SUMMARY:**

A draft resolution regarding racism as a public health crisis will be reviewed by the Community Health and Equity Committee.

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The draft resolution was created in response to the need to address racism as a public health emergency based on the racial disparities seen in the COVID-19 pandemic.

#### **ISSUE:**

The draft resolution aims to address racism as a public health emergency based on the racial disparities seen in the COVID-19 pandemic.

#### **ALTERNATIVES:**

This item is for briefing purposes only.

#### FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact at this time.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

This item is for briefing purposes only.

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