



RACE RELATIONS COMMISSION Minutes: May 6, 2021 6:00 pm
City Hall – First Floor Banquet/Conference Room 212 SW 9th Street

- I. Call meeting to order- Roll Call 6:04
Onreka Johnson, Alexandria Kalldin, Benjamin Llamas, Christopher Foster, Jacobi Crowley, Joe Williams, Mary Fountain, Wyonna Alberty
Present after roll call: Stephanie Jenkins, John Dunaway
Guests: Will Scott, Jr. President of NAACP Lawton Chapter
- II. Verify posting of meeting
Possible Action: Set next meeting date and adjourn the meeting.
Meeting posting verified by Onreka Johnson
- III. Establish quorum (9)
Possible Action: Set next meeting date and adjourn meeting or continue to discuss non action items
Quorum not established at the time of meeting opening. Continued to discuss non action items.
- IV. Welcome/Introductions
- V. Establish Vice-Chair, Secretary
Possible Action: Nominate and Motion to approve chair, vice chair and secretary.
No action/no discussion
- VI. Establish committee assignments for voting members
Possible Action: Nominate and motion to approve chair, vice-chair, and secretary.
No action/no discussion
- VII. Discuss and establish sub-committees
Possible Action: Nominate and Motion to approve chair, vice chair and secretary.
Discussion:
 1. Committee reviewed the four areas of focus and target goals.
 2. Each member was asked to identify two focus areas of interest for discussion and the next meeting during the sub-committee selections.Action Taken: None
- VIII. Discuss current and future initiatives.
Possible Action: Motion to approve future initiatives
Discussion:
 1. The possible collaborative project is a community resource fair. The primary goal would be to link residents to the resources in the community. The secondary goal would be to provide a survey to get a snapshot that will identify the needs in the community. With the data collected, the committee could possibly partner with an agency/individual to create a database that captures demographics, needs, and other identifiers that will help to connect residents and resources.
 2. Begin developing a marketing strategy to brand and present committee to the community. This would include but not limited to highlighting each committee member on social media, creating a logo, and media kit.
 3. Members will look on different media sites to identify what is already scheduled in the community for the months of August and September to help identify a possible date for the community resource fair. Committee will work on ideas for timeline to plan for the event, when the event will take place, who will be at the resource fair, where the event will take place, etc.Action Taken: None
- IX. Announcements
None
- X. Adjournment: 7:07 pm
- XI. NEXT MEETING: June 3, 2021, 6pm