

Diversity Council
Meeting Agenda
June 22, 2021 at 6:30 PM
Virtual Meeting-
Via Zoom

Attendees: Mohammad Aziz ; Jeff Israel; Alicia Washington;
Erica Pearson Sandra Bogdanski; Leah Burnett; Scott Rosado

Public Attendees: N/A

Absent: Daniel Mina; Alice Ferguson; Mohammad Aziz

1. Call to Order
 - Jeff Israel called the meeting into order at 6:35pm
2. Introductions
 - N/a
3. Review and approve minutes from April & May 2021
 - Leah motioned to accept the April meeting minutes, Sandra second. Motion passed
 - Alicia motioned to accept the May meeting minutes, Jeff second. Motion passed.
4. Public Participation
 - There were no participants from the public
5. New Business
 - a. Sub Committees - Alicia, Scott
Marketing & Communications – Nothing new to report, subcommittee will be dissolved
Programs & Outreach & Fundraising -
6. Discussion
 - Words/ Systemic- Racism-Anti-Diversity:
Mayor would like to have a community conversation. The conversation will be divided into 3 groups, Police, Education & Engagement. Diversity Council would be in charge of the Engagement group. Last year the Council had a small part in this event, by taking down information from attendees. The reason for this Community Conversation is to have the community address any issues that may be occurring within the community. The event will be held at Rockwell Park.
 - Alicia brought up some ideas the Council should work on; focusing on inequities in the city, support Alice in moving the declaration along, develop a calendar that will keep track of all the DEI events. Work towards getting a member from every Department in the city. Make sure that there are best practice relative to DEI within city departments. Try and reduce pop-up events that should be part of the Diversity Council. There should be a role for every member in the council.
7. Adjournment
 - Leah motioned to adjourn at 7:40pm, Sandra second.

- Alicia motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:40pm,
Erica second.

Respectfully submitted,
Patricia Ochoa
Secretary