



CITY OF ELLENSBURG

Date of Meeting

Time of Meeting

Place of Meeting

Minutes of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Commission Meeting

April 12, 2022

3:00 PM

Council Conference Room, 501 North Anderson St.

Ellensburg, WA 98926

And remotely via Zoom

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Roll Call Present: Mayra Colazo, Kandee Cleary, Tylene Carnell, Teresa Divine, Daniel Amos, Sara Omrani and Nancy Goodloe (Chair)

Absent: None.

Also present: Nicole Klauss, Public Information Officer (Recording Secretary); Lisa Young, HR Director; and 1 member of the public.

2. Approval of Agenda

Commissioner Carnell moved to approve the agenda as presented. **Motion Approved 4-0.**

3. Approval of Minutes from March 8, 2022 Meeting

Commissioner Omrani moved to approve the March 8, 2022 minutes. **Motion Approved 4-0. Abstention: Cleary & Carnell**

4. Proclamations

The Commission discussed upcoming May proclamations including Asian American Heritage Month and Jewish American Heritage Month. The Commission will send name suggestions to Goodloe.

5. New Business

a. Select Representative To Serve On Unity Park Stakeholder Group

Commissioner Divine will be the representative, and Commissioner Colazo will be the backup.

b. Discuss DEI Commission Budget

A subcommittee will review the listening tour notes and action items, and will develop a framework for funding recommendations. Commissioner Amos and Carnell will be on the subcommittee.

c. Ellensburg Make Music Day Call To Artists

Klauss requested the commission share the call to artists with our networks.



d. Day of Action Report

Commissioner Divine is working on this. It will include an exhibit at the Museum of Culture & Environment showcasing activists in the community. Day of action is May 12. Will include workshops, roundtables with activists, and a walk downtown to Unity Park with speakers.

e. Discuss Work Plan

Chair Goodloe talked about the work plan. Each subcommittee will meet before the May 10, 2022 meeting and come back with a report on where they are.

6. Subcommittee Reports

None.

7. Commission Member Reports

Chair Goodloe said Race Amity Day that was being planned for May is on hold now.

Commissioner Colazo said Central Washington Disability Resources is hosting a children's day at Hal Holmes on Friday. CWDR is hiring right now for an office administrator and veteran coordinator.

8. Staff Report

Klauss provided the staff report:

- Interview process for member in progress – 2 applicants
- July 5 City Council Study Session will likely have a boards/commissions training with Ann MacFarlane from Jurassic Parliament. 6 p.m. tentatively

9. Public Comment

Chair Goodloe called for public comment. There was none.

10. Review Next Meeting/Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 4:22 p.m.

Nicole Klauss

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