

COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
February 21, 2019

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT

Judy Drotman, Chair
Kimberly O'Neil, Vice Chair
Karen Bellessa
Kate R. Garrison
Johnny Tseng
Ronald Johnson
Cynthia Moore

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT

Rick Grady

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC PRESENT

David Evans

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT

Donna Straker

STAFF PRESENT

Shanette Eaden, Housing and Community Services Manager
Natalie Evans, Grants Analyst
Yoko Mizuta, Sr. Administrative Assistant

The meeting was called to order by Chair Judy Drotman in Building Inspections Training Room, 1520 K Avenue at 5:32 PM, Thursday, February 21, 2019. A quorum was present.

COMMENTS OF PUBLIC INTEREST

Council Member, Rick Grady, made greeting to thank commissioners for their hard work.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Vice-Chair, Kimberly O'Neil, made a motion to approve the November 15, 2018, Community Relations Commission meeting minutes. Commissioner Kate Garrison seconded the motion, which passed 7-0.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4

PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF THE 2018 MANDATORY CONSOLIDATED GRANT APPLICATION TRAINING

Housing and Community Services Manager, Shanette Eaden, gave a presentation on the 2019 Mandatory Consolidated Grant Application training, which was offered to the grant applicants at training sessions on January 29 and 30, 2019. There was much discussion.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5

DISCUSSION OF THE 2019 CONSOLIDATED GRANT APPLICATION PUBLIC HEARING AND DELIBERATION PROCESS

Ms. Eaden led a discussion on the 2019 Consolidated Grant Application public hearing and deliberation process, explaining what to expect from the upcoming meetings, as well as application review deadlines. There was much discussion.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 6

Discussion of Commissioner Ethics Training

Chair, Judy Drotman, made a recommendation to postpone discussion of this item as Commissioner Straker was not present this time. The recommendation was granted with no objection.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7

ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

Chair Drotman recommended discussion of Commissioner Ethics Training at a meeting date after funding deliberations. Vice-Chair O'Neil recommended discussion of the adjustment of future application funding, after the funding deliberation meeting.

Commissioner Bellessa made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Garrison seconded the motion, which passed 7-0. Chair Drotman adjourned the meeting at 7:00 PM.

Community Relations Commissioner