

**APPROVED MINUTES OF THE
COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION
September 21st– 7:00 PM
VILLAGE HALL – ROOM 101**

PRESENT: Commissioners Zapler, Mann; Grimes, Benkert; Kill; King-Bell; Moore; Wiley

ABSENT: None

STAFF: Cedric Melton

CALL TO ORDER: 7:05PM

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Commissioner Mann motioned for agenda approval with Commissioner Wiley providing a second.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Commissioner King-Bell with Commissioner Wiley providing a second.

PUBLIC FORUM: Stephanie Browning of the Disability Access Commission spoke to the group on collaborating with CRC for a Dinner Dialogue focused on residents with disabilities. Further discussion to follow. Anthony Clark of the Suburban Unity Alliance spoke to the group regarding his organization mission and focus. Future collaboration where appropriate was discussed. Drew Clark of the Village's Housing Programs spoke to the group regarding the affordability concern currently in the Village. Mr. Clark took suggestions and ideas from the CRC that he will take back to HPAC for consideration.

DINNER TEAMS: Discussion was held regarding the dinner held at the home of Pat Healey on 9/18/16. Future dinner activity was discussed as well as the next dinner at the Farson Mills Home set for November 13th.

LOVING DAY FILM: Brief discussion was held regarding activity around a red carpet event for the premiere of the film. Commissioner Wiley will update the group on developments.

TERRY KELCHER: Discussion was held regarding the impending visit of Terry Kelcher from Government Alliance on Race and Equality. Visit set for October.

WORKPLAN 2017: Discussion was held regarding the work plan for 2017. Minor changes were added to the plan for 2017.

ADJOURN: Commissioner Mann called for a motion to adjourn with Commissioner Wiley providing a second.