

# Westminster Inclusivity Board

6:00-7:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 12, 2024, Hybrid Meeting

## Meeting Minutes

Present: Seth McGinnis, Rich Chamberlain, Jillian Gibson, Miguel Mendoza-Hall, Justin Davis, Steve Brachman, Michelle Zajic, Donna Johnson

Absent: Megan Peters, Alan Farb, Doug Pfeiffer

Staff / Guests: Kodi Blue Erb, Kate Cook, Amy Rodda

- **Welcome (5 Minutes)**
- **Old Business (15 Minutes)**
  - **Review and Approve Previous Meeting Minutes**
    - Moved: Rich; 2<sup>nd</sup> Miguel; passes unopposed
  - **Building Community/Outreach**
    - **Ambassador program**
    - **Sign Up for Special Events**
      - Come up with running list of IBoard members who can represent the board at city events
        - Cybersecurity concerns – might have to send spreadsheet / list around by email
        - Justin will start it
      - Survey what's happening in your neighborhood
      - Bring inclusivity to people rather than having them come to use for it
      - Miguel is now on Senior Resource Center board & will liaise, arrange a meeting to coordinate, etc.
      - Rich has connections with Growing Home
      - Areas that members are interested in volunteering:
        - Justin – schools, Jeffco arts alliance, education, can help
        - Rich make connections to FRCC
        - Miguel – SRC, police dept
        - Michelle – identifying geographic areas where we have connections, leverage other folks with reach – will share preliminary list
        - Steve – other boards, esp. PRL; staff liaisons will assist
        - Jillian – more information about upcoming events to talk about it at other events
          - 6 month planning agenda on city council site
        - Donna – seniors; can talk to resident life director at Covenant Living
      - Justin will reach out individually to members to get things organized & started
    - **Vary Meeting Locations**
      - Technology challenges for remote attendees
      - Also city staff limitations
      - Still under consideration; send ideas
- **City Council Report (10 Minutes)**
  - ~~Councillor David DeMott~~
  - Brief report from Kodi

- Study session on Westminster hills open space – will pursue keeping space at 470 acres
  - Rocky Mountain airport roundtable has been disbanded; conversations still going on & soliciting community voices
  - Rocky mountain greenway trail study session July 18<sup>th</sup>
  - Budget study session a couple weeks ago; budget process is close to annual now
  - Strategic plan & 5-year CIP are big parts of budget process
  - Contracted lobbyist coming to report July 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Districting – each council member has offered representatives for process led by consultant; recommendations coming in July for ballot in August
  - Proclamations give out Monday
- **New Business (20 Minutes)**
    - Email from Alan – very promising: statement from Pastor Baca from Crossings Church (?) put out statement about welcoming overnight campers / car sleepers in parking lot. Mayor helped facilitate those conversations.
- **Subcommittee Reports/Updates (20 minutes)**
    - Senior Resources Center Subcommittee
      - Miguel sworn in
- **Community Report**
    - What's Happening in the Community?
- **Closure/Reflection (3 minutes)**

**Reminder:** Boards & Commissions Annual Onboarding **June 13, 2024 from 6:00-8:00 p.m.** at Westminster City Hall Council Chambers (4800 W. 92<sup>nd</sup> Ave).