



# Village of Hanover Park Police Department

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## VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK CULTURAL INCLUSION AND DIVERSITY COMMITTEE/COMMISSION

### REGULAR MEETING

Village Hall – Room 123  
2121 Lake Street  
Hanover Park, IL 60133

Tuesday, May 21, 2019  
6:15 p.m.

### MEETING MINUTES

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL

Took place at 6:27 p.m.

**PRESENT:**      **Committee Members:** Sharmin Shahjahan, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Grace Khan, Victoria Akinde

**ABSENT:**      **Committee Members:** James Kemper, Debra McDonald, Ray Alvarez

**OTHER:**      Dennis Haffron, Roberto Sepúlveda, Adelita Molina Zeier, Barry Kurcz (Staff Liaison)

#### 2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda motioned to accept the agenda:

Voice Vote:

Sharmin Shahjahan accepted

Grace Khan seconded the acceptance

All Ayes

Motion carried

#### 3. PRESENTATIONS/ REPORTS:

3-a. Adelita Zeier from Streamwood Community Relations Committee was introduced. Adelita explained that she recently became the Chair of her Committee and was in attendance to learn the dynamics of the Committee and how to run the meeting. Eira explained the dynamics of CIDC.

3-b. Dennis Haffron provided information on Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE's). Information included a brochure and a brief video. Dennis explained that ACE's is the study of how adverse childhood experiences impact people as adults with negative health outcomes. He suggested that we need to find a way to deal with ACE's on an institutional level.

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Approval of April 16, 2019 Meeting Minutes

Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda motioned to approve the minutes:

Voice Vote:

Grace Khan accepted

Victoria Akinde seconded the acceptance

All Ayes

Motion Carried

**5. ACTION ITEMS**

**5-a. MLK Build Up Day recap**

Eira mentioned that we had volunteers from the high school. Grace added that there were about 30 staff and officials. She mentioned that the area was confusing, and you almost had to drive to each site. It was suggested that it would be helpful to serve whatever food is there immediately. The Committee was appreciative of PW Director Moore's efforts during the event. There were 71 volunteers and \$557.03 was spent on the event.

**5-b. Stakeholder's Meeting**

Discussion over time and date took place. June 11<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup> was determined with networking starting at 5:30pm and the program beginning at 6pm.

Eira identified 3 choices which included US Census, Veteran's Outreach and follow up of Leader's Reception from last Fall. After discussion, it was determined to focus on a follow up from last Fall's Leader's Reception to include the diverse aging population outreach. Discussion of what to call the topic took place. The main concept was growing old and being valued or validated.

Eira and Sharmin to work on topic and flyer. Sponsors and volunteers discussed. CIDC e-mail distribution list to be used for invitees---invitation via E-vites using both text and e-mails. Eira to send out e-mail with meeting specifics early next week.

Menu same as Leader's Reception with only changes being cheesecake instead of tiramisu and fried chicken instead of kebobs. Fruit and veggie tray from Sam's Club.

**6. TOWNHALL SESSION:**

Persons wishing to address the public body must register prior to Call to Order. Please note that public comment is limited to 5 minutes per speaker.

None

**7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):**

None

**8. NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):**

8-a. Eira announced getting a \$34,000 grant from the Secretary of State to be used for immigrants to access government programs. This will be additional funds for cultural competency education. In addition, this grant is for a Youth Ambassadors Program to provide high school and college age youth an opportunity to meet Village representatives and learn about local government. Youth would work on various projects and/or events with the hope of identifying leaders who grow into volunteers on committees or future leadership roles in government.

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 7:54 pm, a motion was made by Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, accepted by Victoria Akinde and seconded by Grace Khan.

Voice Vote:

All Ayes

Motion Carried