

AGENDA
COMMISSION ON CULTURAL DIVERSITY
March 24, 2015
OSCAR YRUN COMMUNITY CENTER
CONFERENCE ROOM
5:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA

ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINUTES OF February 24, 2015

STAFF LIAISON'S REPORT

COUNCIL LIAISON'S REPORT

CHAIRPERSON COMMENTS/REPORT

OLD BUSINESS

1. Cultural Heritage Celebration (Diversity Fair) after action report
 - a. Survey Review
2. Annual Commission Briefing to Council Work Sessions
3. Strategic plan input

NEW BUSINESS

1. Tina Voigt resignation?
2. 2 new applications for review
 - a. Frances Micheau
 - b. Chrysti Lassiter-Jones

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

CALL TO THE COMMISSION

ADJOURNMENT

CITY OF SIERRA VISTA
COMMISSION ON CULTURAL DIVERSITY
Regular Meeting of February 24, 2015
Oscar Yrun Community Center, Conference Room
3020 E. Tacoma St., Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

CALL TO ORDER

AJ Biarni called the meeting of the Commission on Cultural Diversity to order 5:02 p.m.

ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT: AJ Biarni Shaundra McLemore-Sanders
 Gail Houston
 Janet Pressler

MEMBER ABSENT: Tina Voigt Sigrid Limtiaco Celeste Atkins

STAFF LIAISON PRESENT: Lee Elaban

OTHERS PRESENT: Chris Swan
 Chrysti Lassiter-Jones

ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA

Gail made a motion to accept the agenda as written.
Janet seconded the motion.

VOTE: UNANIMOUS

ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINUTES OF February 10, 2015

Shaundra made a motion to accept the minutes.
Celeste seconded the motion.

VOTE: UNANIMOUS

OLD BUSINESS

- 1. Cultural Heritage Celebration (Diversity Fair) progress report**
 - Chris told the members that we currently have 29 countries, 30 from the international students on post and the 5 food vendors have been cleared and are set. The PA system is all squared away. The Mexican Consulate will have representatives at the celebration. There was a brief discussion about the details for set up. Everyone was very happy with the progress and are looking forward to a great day.

- 2. Cultural Heritage Celebration (Diversity Fair) sub-committee report**
 - Gail told the members about the ads that Shaundra recorded for the commander's access channel and the radio. Shaundra told the members that she contacted

Wicked Limits as suggested at the meeting on the 10th and they gave her a good price. She is looking for a Hi Res version of the logo to give them to make the shirts and she will let everyone know what the final draft looks like. She told everyone that if they would like a shirt to let her know and she will place the orders. She will collect the monies when she has a final amount. Donna said she will email a Hi Res version of the new logo to Shaundra.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Annual Commission Briefing to Council Work Sessions

- There was a discussion about the date that we have been assigned to make our presentation. AJ thinks that Gail should make the presentation but Gail declined since she will not be in town on the 20th. AJ stated that he will not be in town on the 20th either. After a brief discussion the members inquired if we could change the presentation day to April 6th. Donna said that she will contact Maria Marsh at the city clerk's office to make the change. There was a discussion about previous reports and what everyone would like to see in this report. The report will be compiled and the members will be able to discuss it at our next meeting on March 24th.

2. Strategic plan input

- Shaundra would like to add the commission's mission/vision to the plan. AJ would like to see the fair mentioned. Gwen told the members that they will need to have a clear and concise recommendation written and submitted to her. She suggested that the recommendation include what the members feel is most important to the city plan.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

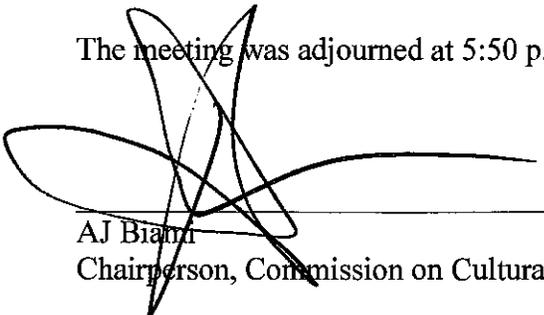
- Chrysti introduced herself to the members. She is retired Army after serving 22 years. She wishes to be more active in the community and has a history as an EEO advisor and would love to be part of this commission.

CALL TO THE COMMISSION

- AJ has a flyer about the upcoming short movies at the college.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:50 p.m.



AJ Biam
Chairperson, Commission on Cultural Diversity



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APPLICATION TO CITY BOARD/COMMISSION

DATE: March 3, 2015
 BOARD/COMMISSION: Commission on Cultural Diversity
 NAME: Frances W. Micheau TELEPHONE: 459-8738 (ONE PER FORM)
(HOME) (WORK)
 E-MAIL ADDRESS: frammich03@yahoo.com
 ADDRESS: 2429 Montano Dr. CITY: Sierra Vista ZIP: 85650
 MAILING ADDRESS: same as above

CITY RESIDENT? yes REGISTERED TO VOTE IN CITY? yes

EDUCATION: Masters degree in Education

OCCUPATION: retired school teacher

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES: (IF RETIRED, INDICATE FORMER OCCUPATION)
Member two club scholarship committees;
President Democratic Women; volunteer voter registration;
volunteer NAMT walk; participated in "hand count" voter
validation in several elections.

QUALIFICATIONS/INTEREST IN BOARD/COMMISSION: I believe that the rich cultural
diversity of our nation makes our country great. Being aware and
utilizing the talents of all members of our community makes our
community stronger. The Commission can help all Sierra Vistas in
this regard and I would like to be a part of that. We can only be a

*better
community
by doing so.*

REFERENCES: 1. Thomas M. Reardon 2051 Piccadilly Ct, SU 459-1476
(NAME) (ADDRESS) (PHONE)
 2. Kenneth H. Austin 2588 Candlewood 234-8977
(NAME) (ADDRESS) (PHONE)

THIS APPLICATION WILL BE KEPT ON FILE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR FROM ABOVE DATE.

AS A CANDIDATE TO A COUNCIL APPOINTED BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE, YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE PRESS AND PUBLIC UPON REQUEST.

Frances W. Micheau
(APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE)

Please return completed application to the city clerk's office - 08/29/05



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APPLICATION TO CITY BOARD/COMMISSION

DATE: 21 JAN 2015

BOARD/COMMISSION: CULTURAL DIVERSITY

NAME: CHRYSITI LASSITER-JONES TELEPHONE: _____ (ONE PER FORM)
(HOME) / (WORK)

E-MAIL ADDRESS: chrysti.lassiter@gmail.com

ADDRESS: 4973 E Cielo Cir CITY: SIERRA VISTA ZIP: 85635

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY RESIDENT? Y REGISTERED TO VOTE IN CITY? Y

EDUCATION: B.S. RELIGION B.A. HISTORY

OCCUPATION: RETIRED ARMY
(IF RETIRED, INDICATE FORMER OCCUPATION)

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES: _____

VOLUNTEER TUTOR, SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER, AND FINANCE COACH AT
SIERRA VISTA 1ST CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

QUALIFICATIONS/INTEREST IN BOARD/COMMISSION: SERVED IN U.S. ARMY AS EQUAL
OPPORTUNITY ADVISOR IN COMMUNITY COMPOSED OF 22K MILITARY MEMBERS, FAMILY AND
CIVILIANS; ORGANIZED AND ORCHESTRATED MANY UNIQUE AND INNOVATIVE ETHNIC AND
SPECIAL OBSERVANCES TO INCREASE COMMUNITY CULTURAL AWARENESS

REFERENCES: 1. NANCY KRIESCI NANCY.KRIESCI@SIERRAVISTA.AZ.GOV (520) 417 6980
(NAME) (ADDRESS) (PHONE)
2. DAMONA McCLAR DAMONA.H.MCCLAR@MAIL.MIL (520) 533-2590
(NAME) (ADDRESS) (PHONE)

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Chrysti Lassiter Jones
(APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE)

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