



December 6, 2017 Meeting Time: 6:00PM

## Upper Level, City Council Chambers 57 E First St

Board Members: Cliff Moon, Chair Cassandra Sampson

Colleen Byron, Vice Chair Silvia Stanford
Joseph Holmes Mark Tompert
Winnie Kaplan Keola Tweedy
Nadia Khalighi Louis Wade

**Robert Martinez** 

(Members of the Human Relations Advisory Board will attend either in person or by telephone conference call.)

1. Chair's Call to Order.

No formal action was taken by the Board.

2. Items from Citizens Present. \*

There were no citizens present who wished to speak with the Board. No formal action was taken.

- 3. Approval of minutes from the October 25, 2017 Board meeting.
  - Mr. Tompert made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Ms. Sampson seconded and the motion carried unanimously.
- 4. Discuss and make recommendations on Mesa Police Department Monthly Community Engagement Report.
  - (4a) Updates on Diversity related police incidents and activities.
    - Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.
  - (4b) Updates on scheduling of upcoming Police Advisory Board meetings.
    - Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.
- 5. Discuss 2017 Municipal Equality Index score.
  - Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.
- 6. Discuss and approve comprehensive goal statement.



Mr. Wade motioned to accept the discussed goal statement. Mr. Tompert seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

7. Review, discuss, and approve 2017-19 HRAB Strategic Plan.

Ms. Sampson motioned to accept the 2017-2019 Strategic Plan with the proposed changes. Ms. Tweedy seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

8. Discuss and approve recommendations to Mayor Giles and City Council regarding diversity strategies and recommendations for the City.

Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.

9. Discuss Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK) Day Parade.

Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.

10. Discuss Mesa en Español web and social media campaign.

Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.

11. Hear reports on conferences and/or meetings attended.

Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.

- 12. Scheduling of meetings, future agenda items, and general information, including those set forth below.
  - (12a) Next Board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 24, 2018 at 6PM in the Lower Level City Council Chambers (57 E 1<sup>st</sup> St).
    - Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.
  - (12b) Indie Lens Pop-Up! Film Screening of *Tell Them We Are Rising* to be held on Thursday, February 8, 2018 at 7PM at Benedictine University Mesa (225 E Main St).
    - Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.
  - (12c) Annual Regional Unity Walk will be held on Saturday, January 27, 2018 at Tempe Beach Park. The festival will start at 4:30PM with the walk to follow at 6:00PM.

Discussion only; no formal action was taken by the Board.

## 13. Adjournment.

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