

CITY OF WORCESTER

CITIZEN ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES

CITIZEN ADVISORY COUNCIL SELECTION MEETING

Monday, November 13, 2023 6:30 PM

Hybrid MEETING

Remote Access: Microsoft Teams

Present: District 2, Ammar Asbahi

District 4, Theodore Kostas, Vice Chairperson

District 2, Rachel Brown, Chairperson

District 5, Carol Stovall

Remote: District 1, Jenny Pacillo

District 3, Michael Richard District 4, Casey Thomas

Excused: District 1, Isabelo Cruz

Absent: District 3, Siaka Kromah

Staff: Jeannie Michelson, City Manager's Office

- 1. Rachel called the meeting to order at 6:31pm
- 2. Roll call attendance: 7 members were in attendance.
- 3. Rachel asked for a motion to accept and approve the minutes from the 9/13/23 meeting. Ted made a motion to accept and Carol 2nd the motion. After a roll call, the minutes of 9/13/23 were approved. 7– 0 in favor
- 4. Interview Applicants
 - a. Sage Aisagbonhi (in person):
 - i. Worcester Arts Council: 7 0 in favor
 - b. Joshua Bolduc (in person):
 - i. Human Rights Commission: 7 0 in favor
 - c. Abby Doyle (remote):
 - i. Advisory Committee on the Status of Women: 7 0 in favor
 - d. Kevin Durkan:
 - i. Off Street Parking Board: 7 0 in favor
 - e. Stephen Hill:
 - i. Community Development Advisory Committee: 7 0 in favor
 - f. Stuart Kirshner:

- i. Conservation Commission: 7 0 in favor
- g. James Olaes:
 - i. Preservation of Historic Artifacts and War Memorials: 4 3 in favor
- h. Victor Rivera:
 - i. Worcester Arts Council: 7 0 in favor
- i. Mary Tisdell:
 - i. Worcester Arts Council: 7 0 in favor
- i. Meme Tran:
 - i. Board of Health: 7 0 in favor
- k. Odeta Kadi:
 - i. Community Preservation Committee: 7 0
- 5. Recruitment/Outreach
 - a. Carol and Rachel are interested in attending the start at the Station event on December 3, 2023.
- 6. Board and Commission Changes
 - a. Jeannie reviewed changes in 2023 to boards/commissions.
- 7. Future Agenda Items
 - i. None
- 8. The next meeting is a business meeting scheduled for Tuesday, December 12, 2023 at 6:30PM and will be held in a hybrid format, remote via Teams or in person at City Hall, Levi Lincoln Jr. Chambers.
- 9. Carol motioned to adjourn the meeting. Ted 2nd the motion. Meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm.

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