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## MEETING CANCELLED DUE TO LOSS OF QUORUM

Monthly Meeting – Monday November 19th, 2018, 6pm Worcester City Hall, Esther Howland Chamber

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to order and introductions
- 2. Moment of silence in honor of Transgender Day of Remembrance

Transgender Day of Remembrance, is observed annually on November 20 as a day to memorialize those who have been murdered as a result of transphobia and to draw attention to the continued violence endured by the transgender community.

- 3. Approval of October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018 meeting minutes
- 4. New Business:
  - A. Hani's story: from Iraq to Worcester
  - B. Presentation of evaluation of youth-police dialogue program (Casey Starr & Prof. Laurie Ross)
  - C. Planning for Eleanor Hawley Human Rights Award
  - D. Discussion on observance activity for International Human Rights Day December 10<sup>th</sup>
  - E. Election of Officers
- 5. Old Business:
  - A. Follow up discussion on model ordinance covering community control over police surveillance (CCOPS)
  - B. Follow up discussion on Worcester Tree Initiative Environmental Justice concerns
- 6. Location of next meeting (December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018): City Hall, Levi Lincoln Chamber
- 7. Adjournment

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