



HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION MINUTES

Wednesday, October 3, 2018

6:00 PM

311 S. Main

Council Chamber

Chelsea, MI 48118

- (1) Roll Call:
Present: Kaminsky, Gilbert, Morrel-Samuels, Fox, Albertson (Council liaison). Absent: Klein-Shapiro
- (2) Approval of Agenda:
Motion to approve agenda by Morrel-Samuels, second by Kaminsky. All ayes. Motion carried.
- (3) Public Comment: None
- (4) Presentations of Invited Speakers: None
- (5) Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting – September 5, 2018:
Motion to approve minutes by Kaminsky, second by Gilbert. All Ayes. Motion carried.
- (6) Regular Business:
 - a) Survey Extension to High School
The survey was distributed to high school students, parents and staff. As of October 3rd, a total of 686 surveys were completed. The survey will remain open until October 15th.

Morrel-Samuels noted that the group of respondents 19 and under is over 250. The priorities that students identified were somewhat different than those of the adults, with the highest categories being bullying, racism and diversity.

Morrel-Samuels and Gilbert volunteered to categorize and compile the comments from the 19 and under group for review at the next meeting.

Commission members discussed next steps including presentations to Council and the community. Following these presentations, the HRC will develop its next annual plan for Council approval.

(7) Communications: None

(8) Reports and Future Agenda Items:

Gilbert announced that World Polio day is on October 21st and that there will be a march to show support for polio eradication.

The Hometown Holidays organizers are developing plans for multicultural activities for that event.

(9) Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn by Kaminsky, second by Gilbert. All Ayes. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.