

COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes

FEBRUARY 4, 2019

City Hall

Members Present: Lynn Love, Cheri Floyd, Pat Gross, Larry Moore and Sherrie Chenault

Members Absent: Diana Kinney

Staff Present: Julie Baird, Ass't City Manager and Joanna Oliver, Secretary

Guest Present: Mayor Nate Duckett

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Lynn Love called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m. without a quorum of members present. Commissioner Sherrie Chenault arrived at 4:20 p.m. to form quorum.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Larry Moore made a motion to approve the December 10, 2018 minutes. Cheri Floyd seconded. Motion carried.

CIVILITY FIRST

Mayor Nate Duckett addressed the Commissioners with 3 initiatives to promote the Community Relations Commission and the Civility First Four Corners program – 1) Entry zone street pole banners; 2) Various avenues to promote a Civility Trait every quarter and 3) Various Community Relations Forums. After a lengthy discussion regarding the Mayor's proposed plan, Chairman Love asked the Commissioners to review and would bring back to the March meeting for adoption.

NEW COMMISSION BUSINESS

- Co-Chairman Election – Election was held to fill the Co-Chairman position held by Harelda Anderson. Pat Gross nominated Larry Moore. Cheri Floyd nominated Pat Gross. Chairman Love asked each nominee if they would accept the position. Larry accepted nomination, Pat declined nomination. Pat Gross made motion to elect Larry Moore to position of Co-Chairman, Sherrie Chenault seconded. Motion carried.

OLD COMMISSION BUSINESS

- Civility First Sundays – There was a lengthy discussion regarding the concept of on a certain Sunday that the churches build their sermon on one of the traits on Civility First. Chairman Love asked if any of the Commissioners would like to work on building a framework to give them regarding this program. Pat Gross, Larry Moore and Sherrie Chenault agreed to start working on a draft for the Commission.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Creating Cultural Harmony Conference will be held on February 22, 2019. They will not be having booths this year.
- Lynn Love and Larry Moore both participated in the MLK Day of Service that was held on January 21, 2019.
- Commissioners discussed various holidays and events coming up to post on the Commission's Civility First Facebook page.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 5:25 p.m.



Lynn Love, Chairman



Joanna Oliver, Secretary