

## MINUTES FROM SPECIAL MEETING

Commission on Racial Justice and Equity

Wednesday, May 19, 2021

7pm

Held Via Zoom

Meeting began at 7pm. In attendance were Alina Bricklin-Goldstein, Deb Carroll, Barret Katuna, Sue Oppenheimer, Dave Peniston, Lillian Tanski, Michael Vigeant, Jen Wang

Absent: Xabian Alarcon, Tracy-Ann Johnson

Public Comment: Ann Bowman, 132 Morgan Drive, Reminder of Affordable Housing Event, thanks to commission for their support, special thank to Lillian Tanski for her assistance and participation

### **Discussion on Art Contest:**

SO: want to finalize art contest flyer and parameters, promote with art teachers in GPS, do we need to specify whether submissions should be from residents or non-residents?

JW: question on July 4<sup>th</sup> deadline—what does that timing look like? Who will be judging?

SO: thought we could put together a power point of all submissions and have entire commission judge entries

JW: Should we do this as a google form online so that people can enter name/age etc online?

BK: Will create form, release granting permission for RJEC to use images

All: conversation about what outlets might be useful to promote contest: Citizen, posters in town, local businesses, Glastonbury SCOOP, TALK, BiG, etc.

### **Discussion on Website**

JW: good use for contact sheet; on site, we list certain entities as partners, some as resources. Let's clarify the difference between the 2; get survey on home page of RJEC site

DC: will talk to Deb McFall about additional images for site

### **Discussion on Survey**

MV: Ready to roll! A few minor changes, link will be sent to commission to review, will remove town seal

Launch on town site, RJEC site

DP: tried link, works great

JW: question on language of specific prompts on survey

Unanimous approval of minutes from 5/6/21 meeting

DC: special meetings to be schedules 6/3 and 6/17. Have Mike report to Council 6/8

Meeting adjourned 8:04pm