

Manhattan Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Task Force

Meeting Summary

Thursday, August 26, 2021

6:00 p.m. – City Commission Room, City Hall, 1101 Poyntz Avenue

1) Welcome Co-Chairs

- Corey and Tanya gave opening comments recognizing the land
- Reviewed the charge of the Task Force and highlighted the importance of the work of the Task Force
- Introduced new Task Force Members and discussed the future meetings will continue to be in-person based on Task Force vote

2) Economic Opportunity Presentation

- Subcommittee members presented a draft of their vision, topic description, and resources, support, and strategies needed for economic opportunity

3) Subcommittee Group Meetings

- Task Force members broke out in assigned subcommittees to continue breaking down the diversity, equity and inclusion issues under five primary umbrellas/topics, including *Individual and Family Support*, *Economic Opportunity*, *Public Safety*, *Livability*, *Health & Wellness*

Task Force Members Present

	8/26/2021
Tanya Gonzalez	x
Corey Williamson	x
Dr. Bryan Samuel/Be Stoney	
Adrian Rodriguez/Mirta Chavez	
Dantia MacDonald	x
Dennis Butler / Josh Kyle	x
Jason Smith	x
Johnny Taylor	
Jurdene Coleman/Craig Poe	x
Lori Feldkamp	
Lorenza Lockett	
Pedro Espinoza	
Paul Shipp	
Ronald Atkinson/ Shawn Martin	x
Susan Rensing	
Teresa Parks	
Vanessa Salinas/ Jim Armendariz	x
Vedant Kulkarni	
Michael Lambert	x
Jerry Sextro / Lakesha James	x
Cara Bruce	
Dr. Elfadil Bashir	x
Rachel Corn	x
Victor H. Banda-Medina	
Sheila Ellis Glasper	
Keisha Clark (Participant)	x
Audrey Swartz (Participant)	
Vibhavari Jani (Participant)	
Claudia Diaz (Participant)	x
Dr. Melissa Rosso (Participant)	x
Dr. Be Stoney (Participant)	
City Staff Liaisons	
Ron Fehr	x
Dennis Marstall	
Kristen Dolf	x