

Cumberland County Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Advisory Committee

February 21, 2023, 2 p.m. – 5 p.m. in person @ Emergency Services Building; 500 Executive Place

DEI Advisory Committee Notes

Attendance

Chief Diversity Officer, Nikeisha Waring General Manager/Co-Convener, Vicki Evans Assistant County Manager, Brian Haney Admin, Cheribeth Thomas

Members Present:

Alissa Brashear, Cynthia McKinley, Garry Crumpler, Jennifer Green, Kelly Moore, Mia Kaleiwahea-Perry, Nora Armstrong, and Yaminah Vereen

Members Absent:

Al Florez, Ann Thomas, Hardin Brown, Ivonne Mendez, Sara Reyes, Terry Streets, Timothy Middleton and Vincent Evans

Welcome

• Welcomed members and called meeting to order

General Discussion

- Committee through consensus reviewed and approved the:
 - o January 17, 2023, meeting notes
- DEIAC Discussed, Review and Revised the following:
 - Diverse Hiring Panel Policy
 - Policy through consensus was approved to be forwarded to HR
 - Meeting Structure and Ground Rules
 - Revisions were provided to be brough back to March DEIAC Meeting
 - o DEIAC Application
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- Career Development and Training Policy
 - Policy through consensus was approved to be forwarded to HR
- o Committee Vacancies
 - Reviewed and determined how many vacancies are on the committee, determined process for announcing vacancies
- o Initiatives/sub task
 - Reviewed initiatives and sub task, committee members volunteered to be POC for task that were left with an open POC slot due to member vacancies

Adjourned

- Committee members reminded of the next meeting Tuesday, March 21, 2023
- Meeting was adjourned.