

**Champaign County
Racial Justice Task Force**

October 26, 2017 – 6:30 p.m.

Lyle Shields Meeting Room,
Brookens Administrative Center
1776 East Washington Street, Urbana, Illinois

Agenda Item

- I. Call To Order**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. Approval of Agenda**
- IV. Approval of Minutes**
 - A. October 12, 2017
- V. Public Participation**
- VI. Presentations**
- VII. New Business**
 - Approval of Final Report and Recommendations
 - Final Report Release Event
 - Final Report Distribution
- VIII. Adjournment**

Champaign County Racial Justice Task Force (RJTF)
Meeting Minutes
Thursday, October 12, 2017
6:30 pm

I. Call to Order

Sara Balgoyen called the meeting to order.

II. Roll Call

Members Present: M. Ar-Raheem, S. Balgoyen, L. Branham, E. Dee, A. Felty, R. Hughes, A. James, S. Lerner, E. Patt, S. Silver, G. Walter.

Members Absent: S. Byndom, C. Randolph, H. Ross, D. Tuner.

III. Approval of Agenda

Artice James moved to approve agenda. Maryam Ar-Raheem seconded the motion. The motion carried.

IV. Approval of Minutes

Maryam moved to approve the minutes. Artice seconded the motion. The motion carried.

V. Public Participation

There were no public comments at the time of this agenda item.

VI. Presentations

There were no presentations at this time.

VII. New Business

A. Vote Final Report Sections

Sara introduced the draft of the final report. Amy and other members have reviewed the report. Sara suggested that each subcommittee review their subsections. Lynn asked if the charge to the reviewers was about editing not changing content. Amy responded that she tried to simplify sections but she did not focus on content. The group discussed stylistic content. The subcommittees should read through their sections to ensure that they are happy with their sections. Lynn asked who would be the person in charge of the introduction. Sara and Sam will be in charge of finalizing the remaining suggested edits. Members should add edits as suggestions to the Google Doc.

The group then discussed suggested edits to the introduction.

The group will try to go before the Committee of the Whole at the Nov. 14th meeting. They will also plan a media event for earlier December.

Deadline for edits to introduction – Sunday. Sara and Sam will finalize for approval. Deadline for final report suggestions are Thursday, October 19th.

VIII. Adjournment

Artice moved to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 8:17pm.