



Together, We Are Lambertville | Juntos Somos Lambertville

CITY OF LAMBERTVILLE  
REGULAR MEETING  
7:30 PM, CITY HALL  
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2021  
MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m. with a mission statement. Roni Todd Marino, presiding.

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Lt. Bob Brown, Scott Elliot (via phone), Bambi Kuhl, Secretary Bruce Harris, and Chair Roni Todd-Marino. Chair Todd Marino led the Commission in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**APPROVAL OF THE OCTOBER, 2021 MEETING MINUTES.**

Chair Todd Marino made a motion to approve the October 2021 meeting minutes prepared by Secretary Harris. Lt. Brown seconded the motion. An affirmative voice vote was taken in favor of the motion by all members present. MOTION CARRIED.

**BUSINESS**

New Members: Discussion ensued regarding new members for 2022. Council would like a LatinX/Hispanic member to replace David Gardiner.

**SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

Outreach Event with Fisherman's Mark: Scheduled for December 2, 2021, at 7 pm. The event will be held at the Lambertville Academy. Topics will include Know Your Rights, driver's licensing for citizens and non-citizens, etc.

Crisis Response Team, Dispute Resolution: Chair Todd Marino, presenting. Lt. Brown asked to investigate why the Community Dispute Board for the City of Lambertville was discontinued, as well as the reason for the end of Night Court.

Facebook/Marketing, Gender Neutral Sign Article, Only Together Initiative: Braille signs are done and posted at the Justice Center.

City Wide Anti Racism Initiative: Discussed school student involvement and asked to find out what was going on with the Social Justice Class, to inquire how they plan to participate. Roll out for the City-Wide Anti Racism Initiative will be the Martin Luther King Day of Service on January 17th, 2022.

Events & Programs throughout 2022:

Quarterly library events

Recreating a book group such as the Me and White Supremacy Group

Create a reading list for the public to read including Environmental Commission Book & How Climate Change Impacts Low-Income Peoples.

Create a relationship with the South Hunterdon Regional High School Social Justice Class on this topic.

Someone should reach out to the director/writer of *If These Stones Could Talk* and see also if the Acme Screening Room can run the documentary upon completion.

Oral History Project's goal is six stories to officially enter into the Project by June 2022. We would like to open this up and include the Historical Society of Lambertville. Emphasis should still remain on people of color, immigrants, and women's stories.

We are One is scheduled for June 2022. Roni Todd Marino will reach out to Ryan Spreen. Also, Bruce Harris will touch base with the Chamber of Commerce to inquire about a table for Shad Fest 2022.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

*None.*

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION/ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

*None.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

The meeting adjourned at 9:29 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Bruce Harris, Secretary

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