Berea Human Rights Commission

Regular Meeting

March 04, 2019, 6:30 PM

CITY HALL, COMMUNITY ROOM
212 CHESTNUT ST, BEREA, KY 40403.

Present: Mim Pride (Chair), Eef Fontanez (late)(Treasurer), Peter Hille, Randy Dinsmore, Gene Stinchcomb (Vice Chair) and Pastor Allen Livingood.

Absent: Janice Blythe (Secretary)

Eric Hogsten (Administrative Assistant)

Guests: Public: Jackie Bowling.

Summary of Actions Taken:

* Meeting was called to order at 6:34 p.m. by the Chair.
* The agenda was presented and approved as distributed. Hille MOTION Dinsmore SECOND
* Announcements.
	+ BHRC has discussed filming at meetings. We should keep a thought for next meeting to reschedule to meet a 7PM; to allow for booking in the room where recording is installed.
* Minutes from the February Meetings
	+ Minutes approval with edits. August Stinchcomb MOTION, Dinsmore SECOND.
* Treasure’s report for December
	+ Eric Hogsten gave the report. Leadership sponsorship went through. Office supplies purchased. Livingood MOTION Dinsmore SECOND

**New Business**

* Annual Report.
	+ Chair Pride commented on her draft of the annual report, a few corrections on date we made. Chair Pride will send out the finished report for the next meeting.
* Old Business

Office Report:

* + Hogsten explained why he purchased office supplies. Former Mayor Connelly dropped archival paperwork at the office and has been sorting them. City of Berea is working on changes to our phone system, they will let us know if anything changes. Hogsten will record message stating to not leave confidential messages on voicemail.
	+ Fair Housing Training scheduled for April 11th 10am- noon at City Hall. Cheryl Chasteen and Hogsten are still working with State records with FOIA requests.
* Disability Training – Randy Dinsmore
	+ Dinsmore connected with Katie Whaley and she agreed to lead a forum. May 9th, in the basement of City Hall. Chamber of Commerce will send out fliers and Frontanez will help contact schools.
* Follow up on scheduling conversation with Dr. Turley.
	+ Hille and Pride met with Dr. Turley and conversation continued regarding future events.

Public Comment

Jackie Bowling Commented “On the housing. I went to a meeting, Feb 11, gave out a good reference binder for renters on what their rights were. AppleRed, who will represent renters free of charge. Legal services in Richmond. Very inclusive on what could be done or could not be done. Outlines all the services that they provided.” Dinsmore said he will get the book.

7:37 P.M. MOTION MOVED and CARRIED to ADJOURN.

Prepared By:

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[Eric Hogsten, AA]

Administrative Assistant

Minutes Recorded: March 04, 2019

Minutes Approved:

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[Mim Pride, Chair]

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April 01, 2019