



Justice, Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Committee Minutes
Monday – October 14, 2024
6:00 p.m.

The Justice, Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Committee meeting was called to order at 6:03pm

ROLL CALL: Present: Michael Holwerda, Tanisha Taylor, David Wales
Also Present: Daisy Walker- Council, Karen Labbe- Council, Tammy Kalail- HR
Director, Officer Encarnacion- Twinsburg PD

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES: No action taken.

SCHOOL COLLABORATION – Kathi Powers, Superintendent – Twinsburg City School District

- Ms. Powers discussed the Twinsburg School District’s Equity Steering Committee, the Equity Implementation Plan, the Board’s policies on equity and educational equity.
- Members discussed obstacles presented with transportation in our area and how the two groups might work collaboratively to solve this problem.
- Members discussed identifying other problems and celebrating diversity.
- Ms. Walker discussed a candidate for a Mayor’s proclamation.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

- Resident- Bill Ryan discussed potential options for the transportation obstacles with Metro bussing and the RTA routes.
- Mr. Wilson (local financial businessman) discussed how he wants to help with this committee and help with Twinsburg School committee.
- Officer Encarnacion thanked the committed for attending the Safety Services Open House. He also discussed applicants for the Explorer Program.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS, NEW BUSINESS, MISCELLANEOUS:

- Ms. Kalail discussed the new HR Coordinator – Justin Chatmon

UNFINISHED BUSINESS, NEW BUSINESS AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS: None Presented.

NEXT MEETING DATE: Monday, December 9th at 6:00pm.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 6:40pm