CITY OF MARSHALL
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Commission
A g e n d a
Wednesday, August 3, 2022 at 3:00 PM
City Hall, 344 West Main St.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

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1.   Consider Approval of the July 6, 2022 Minutes

NEW BUSINESS

2.   YWCA Debrief

3.   Welcoming Week Update

4.   Round Robin Discussion

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VISION STATEMENT: The City of Marshall is dedicated to building a welcoming, inclusive, and racially equitable community.

MISSION STATEMENT: Create and sustain an ongoing dialogue, through which we explore inequities, share information, and be a change agent for race equity within our community.

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<p style="text-align: center;">DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION COMMISSION</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday July 6, 2022 – 3:00 PM</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">City Hall, 344 West Main Street</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">On Main and Zoom</p>

AT LARGE MEMBERS PRESENT: Joyce Tofte, Michele Knife-Sterner, George Taylor, Marcy Heemeyer, Jay Lee

STANDING POSITION MEMBERS PRESENT: Nicole Johnson-DeBoer, See Moua-Leske, Alex Wood, Lauren Mellenthin, John DeCramer, Ted Stamp, Tim Mok, Samira Sheikh

ABSENT: Sara Runchey, Don Robertson, Beth Ritter, Denae Winter

STAFF PRESENT: Amanda Beckler, Community Education Coordinator, Addy Wolbaum, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Assistant

Co-Chair Joyce Tofte initiated the meeting by introducing new member Alex Wood, representing SMSU. Wood is SMSU's new Assistant Vice President for Equity and Inclusion/Campus Diversity Officer. Co-Chair Tofte also introduced guests Lauren Deutz, Economic Development Director, and Jim Marshall, Director of Public Safety.

Wolbaum provided an update on 2 previous events that the Commission was involved in – PRIDE and Juneteenth.

Anissa Waterhouse, facilitator from the YWCA Minneapolis presented on the City's previous 2 World Café events. There was an emphasis on the disparities of lived experiences of community members. Results of these events will eventually be posted on the DEI webpage.

At 4:00 PM the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Addy Wolbaum

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Assistant