

Meeting Minutes

Human Relations COMMISSION April 6th 2023

Meeting Sprenkel Room

7-8:30pm

1. Call to order: 7:07 PM

- 2. Roll Call: Present at the start of the meeting-Dan Edwards, Ritu Goel, Anitha Elango, Karell Rose on the phone. The meeting was joined later by Mitchell Marks, Carolyn Carey.
- 3. Approval of Minutes for last Meeting: The approval of minutes was deferred due to the lack of quorum.
- 4. Public Input (5min): Donna Williams, a guest gave her input on the peace through pie to be held by the Wapping community church. The event is scheduled for May 7th from 2 to 4 pm. A Great community event that's totally free with more than 100 attendees.
- 5. Chairs Report (5min): The 2nd event on bullying held at TE was very informative. However, the no of attendees were low. If the HRC plans to host a future event, we should make sure more people attend. The 2nd TE event covered many useful topics and informed parents on how TE works to mitigate harmful behavior. The speakers highlighted the inadequacies of the existing state laws and hoped that the new bills will leave the schools better equipped to deal with harmful social behaviors and bullying.
- 6. Liaison Report (5min): None
- 7. Future Event on Bullying in schools? Discussion on merits of holding another event and what it would focus on. Possible topics include support systems for parents.
- 8. Future events: Race Amity day in June.
- 9.Adjourn: Motion to adjourn made by Carolyn, seconded by Dan. Meeting adjourned at 8:23 PM.