

**MINUTES**

**MEETING:** LDRRAC Policy & Planning Sub-Committee  
**DATE:** November 5, 2015  
**TIME:** 12:00-1:30  
**LOCATION:** HR Board Room 1

**Attendees:** Chad Callender, Aidan Prince, Kash Husain, Rifat Hussain, Ian Silver, Shawna Lewkowitz, Anne-Marie Sanchez  
**Regrets:** Forrest Bivens

Item	Discussion	Action
<p>Follow-up to presentation by Eternity Martis</p>	<p>Discussion of possible actions included the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Invite Terri Tomchick-Condon (LDRRAC resource member representing Western) to a P&amp;P meeting for dialogue about potential actions</li> <li>• Engage a representative of Fanshawe in dialogue as well – questions as to why LDRRAC does not have a resource member representing Fanshawe</li> <li>• Organize an educational campaign about what people’s rights are when approached by a police officer</li> <li>• Consult with other individuals/groups to better understand the current state of race relations in London</li> <li>• Create an ongoing forum for dialogue about race relations in London</li> <li>• Incorporate these ideas into the Community Diversity and Inclusion Strategy, under a section for race relations</li> <li>• Need to have an update on what is happening with assignment of staff resources to the development of the Community Diversity and Inclusion Strategy, so LDRRAC can start providing support</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chad</b> to ask Jackie if Fanshawe has been approached to have a resource member on LDRRAC</li> <li>• <b>Chad</b> to table motion at next LDRRAC meeting for status update on Community Diversity and Inclusion Strategy</li> </ul>

<p>Follow-up to presentation by Poverty Panel</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Query as to whether to provide response to the questions posed by the panel at the last LDRRAC meeting individually or collectively as LDRRAC – group felt a collective response would be more appropriate</li> <li>• The panel has several <a href="#">community consultation sessions</a> scheduled</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chad</b> to table on next LDRRAC meeting discussion to collectively respond to panel questions</li> </ul>
<p>New LDRRAC meeting agenda template</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chad advised that a new agenda template is being used for advisory meetings</li> </ul>	
<p>City of London demographics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The group discussed wanting to have most recent Census Canada demographic information about London, to use as reference with its work</li> <li>• Anne-Marie volunteered to develop a one page summary for the next P&amp;P meeting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Anne-Marie</b> to develop one page summary for the next P&amp;P meeting</li> </ul>
<p>Name change public participation meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No members of the public attended the meeting – LDRRAC members took the opportunity to go through the facilitated process</li> <li>• Jackie took notes and will provide for a future meeting</li> <li>• Group will need to decide what next steps are</li> <li>• If recommending a name change, will likely benefit from individual conversations with members of Council to explain rationale</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chad</b> to table on next LDRRAC meeting discussion as to next steps</li> </ul>
<p>Corporate Services Committee motion for review of Advisory Committees</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Virginia Ridley requested a comprehensive review of all advisory committees – concern from members that intention seems to be to have advisory committees only responsive to council requests rather than bringing items to Council unsolicited</li> <li>• Waiting to understand what that means – encourage people to watch the minutes on video</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Members</b> encouraged to watch video of meeting</li> <li>• <b>Anne Marie</b> will have a follow up conversation with Virginia</li> <li>• <b>Chad</b> will reach out to other advisory committee chairs to ensure they are aware of the issue</li> </ul>
<p>Next meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• December 3, 2015 12:00-1:30, Human Resources, City Hall</li> </ul>	