

STATUS OF BLACK MALES

January 12, 2022

Minutes

Zoom Room 921 4383 1568

Attending:

Commission

Nicole Griffin, Carl Darnell, James Sanders

City Staff

Shatoyia Moss, Safe & Civil City Director

Guest

None

Absent:

Commission: Valence Hayze

The meeting was called to order at 5:32 p.m.

1. Introductions
2. Approval of 8 December minutes
 - a. Read and approved
 - b. Moved by Nicole Griffin
 - c. Seconded by Carl Darnell
 - d. Approved by consent
3. Old Business
 - a. Adopting Fairview - Shatoyia Moss
 - i. 150 - 300 pieces
 - ii. SKL donated around 60 pairs of gloves
 - iii. We want to send a thank you note to City Hall and to the mall location of Dollar Tree
 - iv. Shatoyia will draft a thank you letter and Brother Chairman will sign

- v. Brother Chairman dropped off the items at Fairview
- b. Black Male Summit
 - i. Event proposal submitted and approved
 - ii. S. Moss is developing the media piece for it
 - iii. CSBM needs to identify speakers for the Summit (need to brainstorm on speakers by February)
 - iv. Brother Chairman asks that we issue a call for proposals to get speakers
- c. Outstanding Black Leaders of Tomorrow
 - i. We have one submission
 - ii. S. Moss sent a message to Bloomington High School North & South

New Business

1. Annual Calendar
 - a. Did not vote to remove anything from our initiatives
 - i. Outstanding Leaders of Tomorrow
 - ii. Black Male Youth Summit
 - iii. Black Barbershop Health Initiative
 - iv. Black Grads
 - v. Million Father March
2. Black Male Discussion
 - a. Carl Darnell to rework and present to new proposal to commission
 - b. Include in proposal how to use the discussion get people to attend other CSBM events and fill in vacancies in the commission
3. Appointments
 - a. Currently have three open seats
 - b. Two are Mayoral appointments and one is the Human Rights Commission
 - c. If we have anyone in mind, notify S. Moss to get things moving
 - d. Teenagers may serve on the commission
4. Liaison Report - Shatoyia Moss
 - a. Black History Month 2022
 - i. sites.google.com/bloomington.in.gov/cobbhm/home
 - ii. Presentation of Black History Month website
 - iii. Black Health and Wellness: Black History Month 2022
 1. Speakers the Whitesides

2. Planning to be in person, preparing to pivot online if safety guidelines lean in that direction
 3. Gala is still being planned to take place in person, CSBM needs to prepare to present the award at the event
5. Adjournment
 - a. Adjourned at 6:06PM
6. Announcements