

African American Cultural Resource Advisory Committee Minutes 14 September 2021 - Meeting City Hall Room Zoom 10:30 AM

Members Present: Gladys Robinson (Chairperson), Paul Gettys, Dawn Johnson, Sandra Oborokumo,

Ann Williamson

Members Absent: Sylvia Berry, Monique Ramseur

Staff Support: Office of Strategy Management – Lisa Brown, Emily Burns

PRT – Garnet McKeown

August minutes approved. (Sandra O motion; Ann Williamson second; unanimous - passed.)

• Committee Updates: Sandra O. to resign as co-chair, Dawn J. to become co-chair. (Paul G. motion; Ann W. second; Ann W., Paul G., Sandra O., Gladys R. aye - passed

- Updates (no votes):
 - Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Historic Rock Hill details are still being worked out.
 - No decision on getting AACRAC a 501c3 designation.
 - Work through various issues"
 - Goals and timeline
 - Grant discussion
 - City support
 - Feasibility Study
 - Request for Proposal (RFP) responses due by September 15.
 - AACRAC would like to interview, pick, and manage the RFP Rep from Grants, Lisa B., Dawn J., Gladys R. and Stephen Turner from Historic Rock Hill to review RFP responses.
 - African American Civil Rights Network (AACRN), addition of Hermon Presbyterian application in process.
 - Possible book (Claudia Bronson) on Rev. Ivory and the City Girls does AACRAC want to be involved?
 - o Cultural Center sign to be installed imminently. May be opportunity for event.

Next Meeting Scheduled: October 12: 10:30 am via Zoom