CITY OF McMINNVILLE

WORK SESSION MINUTES OF DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE Held at Kent Taylor Civic Hall and online via Zoom, McMinnville, Oregon

Thursday, December 12, 2023, at 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Presiding:

Committee Co-Chair Larry Miller & Committee Co-Chair Abby Thomas

Secretary:

Noelle Amaya, Communications & Engagement

Manager

Committee Members: Present

Abby Thomas
Caitlin Nemeth
Efrain Arredondo
Larry Miller
Zack Geary
Tony Lai
Christine Bader

Katherine Martin

Absence
Dianne Rhee
Karina Alcantara
Mynra Khoury

Others in attendance: Viviana Garibay, MHS student; Nancy Macias, MHS; Jody Christensen, Special Projects Coordinator

- 1) CALL TO ORDER: Committee Co-Chair Larry Miller calls the work session to order at 2:29 p.m.
- 2) STRATEGIC DISCUSSION ON 2024 PRIORITIES & PLANNING: Jody explains the purpose of creating a goals document, or work plan, that behaves as a living document which helps the committee define its priorities and helps inform future agendas. Jody states that by going through this exercise, the committee will be able to identify short, mid, and long-term goals and bring clarity to their work. Much of which will be covered by, and likely augmented by the work of the organizational assessment.

Committee members participate in an interactive exercise to review the 2021 work plan.

3) ADJOURNMENT at 4:00 pm

s/s Noelle Amaya Noelle Amaya, Communications & Engagement Manager