

AGENDA

SOMERVILLE COMMISSION FOR WOMEN

REGULAR MEETING

Wednesday, February 19, 2014

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

165 Broadway (East Somerville)

617-625-6600 (x2400)



Commission's purpose is "to act as a centralizing force in the City of Somerville to ensure the equal status of women in educational, economic, political, health, legal, and social spheres including the provision of information, referrals and guidance... [and] to take any action considered appropriate by the SCW to ensure the equal status of women of every race, religion, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, national origin, ability, age and sexual orientation."

CALL TO ORDER

5 minutes

Roll Calls & Introductions

- Alicia Byrd
- Chien Chi Huang
- Daisy Monsalve
- Heather MacIndoe
- Jenny Dworkin
- Katie Wallace
- Keri Lorenzo
- Marlena Erdos
- Melissa Alfone
- Michelle Albert
- Nancy Bacci, SCW Chair
- Rachelle Snyder
- Sonja Darai (Director, Office of Somerville Commissions)

REGULAR BUSINESS

3 minutes

Agendas and Minutes/Nancy Bacci
Approval of 12/18/13 SCW Monthly Meeting Minutes

2 minutes

Announcements

30 minutes

Boston Area Rape Crisis Center: Meg Bossong
Presentation about sexual assault and possible programming for SCW to sponsor

10 minutes

Director's Report: Sonja Darai
Presenting Office of Commissions Programming (submitted by email)
Report Back: Inter-Commission Networking Gathering (event 1/14/14)

20 minutes

Anti-Violence/Michelle Albert

- Review Current Initiatives
- Brainstorm Action Items
- Assign Commissioner for Follow-up with Commission and OSC

20 minutes

Review March Women's History/25th Anniversary (3/19/14)/Nancy Bacci

- Venue Updates: vote on final location
- Outreach Updates: any printing budget request?

- Assign Commissioner for Follow-up with Commission and OSC
 - Learn other commissions' projects
- Meet other commissioners
- Next Steps:

10 minutes

SCW in Community/Jenny Dworkin

- SCW in Community/Outreach updates on activities

- Task assignments for next month

NEW BUSINESS

3 minutes

New Business Proposals/Nancy Bacci

- Requests for New Business Proposals
- Assign Commissioner for Follow-up with Commission and OSC

- Contact Nancy in coming weeks if you would like time on next month's agenda to present a plan of action to the commission

WRAP UP

FOLLOW UP
TASKS
NEXT MEETING
AGENDA ITEMS

Additional Comments, Ideas, Suggestions

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8:30pm

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Next regular meeting Wednesday, **April 16, 2014**
