A. CALL TO ORDER:

B. ROLL CALL:
Reider _X__  May_X__  Kohn_NA__  Johnson_X__
Larrabee_X__  King_X__  Stegman __X__

COUNCIL LIAISON
Gustafson_X__

STAFF PRESENT:
Lor_X__

C. Presentation:
1. Ramsey Census 2020 – Barbara Baraney and Kim Johnson

   • Barbara Barany, Kim Johnson, Justin Markon attended the Ramsey County Census 2020 and were split into groups.
     • Kim - Renters
     • Justin – Business
     • Barbara - Education.
   • The purpose is to get a complete count in Falcon Heights.
   • The new process is to start with electronic, mailing and door knocking.
   • Census 2020 job is now open, and citizens can apply. Staff will discuss with Justin and City Administrator when to put the link on social media and website.
   • Does Falcon Heights need a subgroup? Staff Liaison will communicate with Justin and City Administrator.
   • Barbara Barany will email information to Staff Liaison who will send it to CEC.
   • Census 2020 begins April 1st, 2020.

D. Approval of Minutes:
November 19, 2018
   • Grammatical errors:
     o Discussion Item 3: 1st and 4th bullet
     o Discussion Item 4: 1st bullet

Larrabee 1st Moved
Johnson 2nd Moved
Approved 7-0

E. DISCUSSION

1. 2018 Recap
• Spring Together, Ice Cream Social and Hot Dog with a Deputy, and Human Rights Day were successful events but can need improvement on communication and advertising.
• Rough start on communication but it has improved such as E-news layout, website, and social media.
• CEC appointed Kim Johnson as Vice Chair.
• Staff Liaison connected with three organizations about youth programs.
• Neighborhood Liaison Packet and Welcoming Packet improved significantly and will continue to revise them.

2. 2019 Goals
• Continue to build trust with residents and the community.
• Start learning about Census 2020 and will educate residents at city events.
• Start connecting with Neighborhood Liaisons, update the list, appreciation event, and create a liaison map.
• Rick will meet with Kris to learn about Neighborhood Liaison.
• Focus on “Cultivating a Caring Community” – City will host community events and training throughout the year, and CEC’s role is to help promote the event to residents.

3. Special Event
 a. Spring Together
    ▪ CEC would like to move Spring Together to June 8 so it does not interfere with Mother’s Day, Ramadan, school events, and surrounding cities events.
    ▪ Staff will work on fliers and will present it on the next meeting.

F. INFORMATION/ANNOUNCEMENTS

G. ADJOURNMENT: 8:50 PM

May 1st Moved
King 2nd Moved

Shirley Reider, Commission Chair

Dated this 28th day of January, 2019

Amanda Lor, Staff Liaison