

MEETING AGENDA

AFRICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION *VIRTUAL* MEETING Wednesday, July 14, 5:30PM

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- 1. <u>Welcome & Introductions</u>
- 2. Approve Meeting Minutes from June 9, 2021 (attached)
- 3. <u>Public Comment</u>
 - a. Councilor Gary Anderson requested to speak as Public Safety Chair
- 4. Systems Mapping Report St. Louis County Homelessness Programs (SLC Staff)
- 5. <u>Commission Goals</u>
 - a. Cultural Center
 - b. Community Outreach
- 6. Subcommittees
 - a) Community Center/Grants (Pepper)
 - b) Employer Engagement/Demographics and Data Research (Carter, Green, Thornton)
 - c) Historic Preservation (Staine, Edmunds)
 - Memo attached
 - d) DCSI Law Enforcement Accountability Proposals (Staine, Green, Thornton)
 - Email attached
- 7. Next Meeting Topics (August 11)
- 8. Announcements
- 9. Adjourn

The African Heritage Commission will be holding its Meeting by other electronic means pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.021 in response to the COVID-19 emergency. Some members of the Committee will be participating through video conference. Due to the COVID-19 emergency and the closure of City facilities, public comment will not be taken in person. However, members of the public can monitor the meeting and provide public comment on agenda items through WebEx Events. Visit https://duluthmn.gov/live-meeting to access the meeting. The public is also encouraged to submit written comment to Ben VanTassel prior to the meeting. Please include "Upcoming African Heritage Commission Agenda" in the subject line, and include your name and address and the agenda item you are speaking to. Please note that all public comment