



# MAYOR'S COMMISSION ON COMMUNITIES OF COLOR

## Minutes

January 13, 2020

Present: Chairman Witherspoon, Pat St. Germaine, Deonne Nelson, Kat Werchouski  
Excused: Natasha Lancour, Eimony Tatyana Canito, Rani Gill  
Also Present: Amanda Foster, Principal Rick Flaherty – Superior Middle School, Councilor Jenny Van Sickle

**1. Call to Order.**

Commissioner Witherspoon called the meeting at 4:19 pm.

**2. Approval of Minutes of Minutes of September 9, 2019 Meeting.**

Passed.

Chairman Witherspoon informed the Commission that no quorum existed from other meetings and no other minutes need to be approved.

Chairman Witherspoon spoke about the mission.

**3. Duluth MLK.**

Chairman Witherspoon spoke about Duluth MLK and present the list of events. The School District will not be bussing students to MLK events this year because children will not be in school. Commissioner Werchouski pointed out that UW-Superior sponsors busses for students, faculty and staff.

**4. Commission's Future Horizon.**

Chairman Witherspoon led a conversation about the scheduling and mission of the Commission. He encouraged training for Commission Members.

**5. Any Other Business.**

Councilor Van Sickle spoke about adding a Councilor to the Commission.

**6. Next Meeting.**

February 10, 2020

Meeting adjourned at 4:59 pm.

Respectfully submitted:  
Jim Paine  
Mayor