

# City of Elk Grove Diversity and Inclusion Commission REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

## COMMISSIONERS- Roll Call

### Present:

Tina Lee-Vogt, Chair;  
Jessica Carter, Vice Chair  
Jenny Rodriguez, Recorder  
Michael Thomas, Communication Lead,  
Brent Burfield,  
Carlese Laurent  
Kelly Le  
Jinky Dolar  
Teresa Plammootil  
Bhavin Parikh

### Absent:

Brent Burfield  
Michael Thomas

**Tuesday, June 17, 2025**  
**City Hall Council Chambers**  
**8400 Laguna Palms Way**  
**Elk Grove, CA 95758**  
**6:00 P.M.**

The City of Elk Grove Diversity and Inclusion Commission welcomes, appreciates, and encourages participation in the Meetings. The Diversity and Inclusion Commission requests that you limit your presentation to three (3) minutes per person so that all present will have time to participate.

### **1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL- 6:02pm**

### **2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MTA Approve, Jessica Carter 2<sup>nd</sup>, Jinky Dolar All in Favor

### **3. APPROVAL OF PAST MEETING MINUTES**

MTA Approve, Jessica Carter 2<sup>nd</sup> Kelly Le, All in Favor

### **4. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA**

Members of the audience may comment on matters that are not included on the agenda. No action may be taken on a matter raised under "Public Comment" until the matter has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. If a member of the public wants a response to a specific question, they are encouraged to contact any member of the Diversity and Inclusion Commission or City staff.

### Public Comment:

- None

### **5. GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE**

- Sydney said thank you for recent community involvement

- Framework live on City of EG website- Sydney will send out link
  - For us to share for community to share and participate
- 6/25- Pop Up shop will be up during council meeting for 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary

## **6. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS/REPORTS/FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- Teresa suggested sharing resources for recent immigration concerns
  - Jessica will get links together to share with city for future printing for events
  - Fuel Network can offer legal services for Elk Grove residents
- Pride parade was a success

## **7. REGULAR AGENDA ACTION ITEMS/RECOMMENDATIONS**

7.1 SUBJECT: Introductions- New Commission Member- Teresa introduced herself

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION/ACTION:

7.2 SUBJECT: Terms of Service

- Term updated
- If you expire, you have to go to council to be reappointed (no term limits) (refer to pamphlet)

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION/ACTION:

7.3 SUBJECT: Cultural Connections Updates

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION/ACTION:

- October 6,2025- District 56 LGBTQ+ is the topic
- Tiffany Woods interested in being speaker
- Brent is working with performers
- Event is right before “National Coming Out Day”- observed on October 11, 2025
- Sponsorships? - Connect with Jodie for opportunity
  - Our committee will follow up with details on
    - Budget
    - Sound Services
    - Etc.

7.4 SUBJECT: 2025 Proclamation Review and Planning- (have a copy ready to review by July)

- Diversity Awareness Month (September)- Bhavin
- Hispanic Heritage Month (September)- Jenny

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION/ACTION:

7.5 SUBJECT: Subcommittee Updates & Reassignment

Previous committees:

7.5.1 Cultural Connections: *Carter/Lee-Vogt/Rodriquez*

7.5.2 Equity Engagement: *Dolar/Thomas/Rodriquez*

7.5.3 Diversity Month: *Dolar /Parikh/Thomas/Le*

7.5.4 Sister Cities: *Lee-Vogt/Carter/Thomas*

Recommended committees:

Cultural Connections: *Carter/Lee-Vogt/Rodriquez/Burfield*

Civic and Community Engagement: *Plammootil/Laurent/*

Diversity Month (aka Multicultural Festival): *Dolar /Parikh/Thomas/Le*

*Diversity Month dates:*

- 9/7- *Metalachi* 5-8:30pm
- 9/13- *Dancing in the Globe* 10am-3pm
- 9/18- *Global Feast Fest (Food trucks)* 4-8pm
- 9/19- *Fridays in the Grove- Cultural Dance Lesson* 5-7pm

Jodie will join July meeting for future plans.

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION/ACTION:

## **8 ADJOURNMENT**

Adjourn Meeting at 6:02pm

MTA Approve, Jessica Carter 2<sup>nd</sup>, Jinky Dolar All in Favor