

Baltimore County Commission for Women Minutes of the Meeting Thursday, June 20, 2019

Present: Vonzella Perry, Ruth Howard, Bella Owens, Carmen Christiana, Rosalyn Berkowitz, Cheryl Brooks, Jennie Fernandez, Emily Hunter, Jacqui Lampell, Cecelia Myrick, Brenda Savoy, Frances Smith, Renee McGuirk-Spence, Helene Waranch

Excused Absences: Sharon Kehnemui, Dr. Teresa Messler, Lynda Stahl, Nitsa Zdziera

Unexcused Absences: Dorothy Foos, Kelly Carter, Sheila Derman, Sabrina Jones

Call to Order: 6:02 p.m. by President Vonzella Perry

Minutes of the May Meeting: May meeting minutes were moved, seconded and approved as submitted.

Treasurer's Report: Beginning balance: \$6,171.54, Expenses \$218.00, ending balance \$5,953.54.

President's Report: Vonzella provided information on the following: WANTO Grant Program, One Love July 15th 1-day training, NACW's 49th Annual Conference & Leadership Summit, Chicago, IL, July 22nd – 24th, The Samaritan Women Reception, June 26th, MDH-Behavioral Health Admin. 2019 Annual Women's Conference, June 27th, Picnic on the Pointe 2019, July 6th, Baltimore County African American Cultural Festival, 9/21st, and Stand Down, Nov. 15th, Randallstown Community Center. Ruth provided information on the Women's Vote Centennial Initiative Toolkit.

Vonzella reported that the June 19th LGBTQ+ Family Fair was sporadically attended but successful.

Committee Reports

Women's Health: No report

Women's Equality/Diversity: No report

Public Policy Agenda: No report

Human Trafficking: No report

Domestic Violence: No report

Nominations/Selections: Brenda questioned Bella and Ruth regarding their bid for president. After a vote Ruth was elected President and Sharon was elected Secretary. A Vice President vacancy exists, Frances will send out information for a vote at the August meeting. Vonzella expressed her enjoyment as President.

Old Business/New Business: Bella will check on the commission's 501(c)(3) status with Libby Bryant, Treasurer, Friends of the Baltimore County Commission for Women.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:44 p.m.

Next Meeting: August 15, 2019