



King County

Adult Services Division

Women's Advisory Board

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WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES FROM THE December 11, 2024, MEETING

Meeting Type: Regular: X Special: _	Location: Chinook Building- 401 5 th Ave., Seattle, WA Join Zoom Meeting https://kingcounty.zoom.us/j/89835616024 Meeting ID: 898 3561 6024 Passcode: KCWAB	Called to Order: 4:00 PM	By: Chair Leslie Hamada
Members Present:			
Tanya Matthews- <i>po.2</i> Councilmember Zahilay	Ramsey Mayhew- <i>po.12</i> Council At-Large	<i>Po. 15 Vacant</i> Executive at-large representative	
Sarah Reyneveld- <i>po.4</i> Councilmember Baron	Hafsa Azaz- <i>po.13</i> Council At-Large		
Sarah Brusig- <i>po.5</i> Councilmember Upthegrove	<i>Po. 1 Vacant</i> Councilmember Dembowski		
Michelle Maley- <i>po.7</i> Councilmember Von Reichbauer	<i>Po. 6 Vacant</i> Councilmember Balducci		
Hend Alhinnawi- <i>po.10</i> Council At-Large	<i>Po. 9 Vacant</i> Councilmember Dunn		
Leslie Kay Hamada- <i>po.11</i> Council At-Large	<i>Po. 14 Vacant</i> Executive at-large representative		
Excused/Absent:	Maria Langbauer- <i>Po.8</i> Councilmember Mosqueda; Yasmin Ali- <i>po.3</i> Councilmember Sarah Perry		
Speakers:	Kristin Webb - Executive Director, Eastside Friends of Seniors		
Staff:	Marjan Didra King County Staff Liaison		
Guests:			
Approval of Agenda: Yes		Vote: 8 Yeas; 2 Excused*	
Approval of Minutes: Yes		Vote: 8 Yeas; 2 Excused*	

AGENDA ITEMS:

Agenda Item 1:	Welcome & Introductions		
	Chair Leslie Hamada welcomed members to the meeting; motions and approvals were made on the agenda and last month's meeting minutes.		
Action Items:	Person(s) Responsible:	Deadline/Due Date	
	Leslie Hamada	12/11/2024	
Agenda Item 2:	Public Comment		
	N/A		
Action Items:	Person Responsible	Deadline/Due Date	
Agenda Item 3:	Announcements		
	Board member Sarah Reyneveld announced that with the new changes happening at the federal level, protecting the rights and well-being of the women in King County is essential.		
	Staff liaison Marjan Didra announced that the WAB website is being updated and asked the new members to share their bios and pictures to be included on the website. The staff liaison also shared with the members that they can now access their board email addresses.		
Action Items:	Person Responsible	Deadline/Due Date	
		ASAP	
Agenda Item 4:	Deciding Who Will be the Next Chair		
Action Items:	The assigned rotating Chair will work with the Vice-Chair and staff liaison to set the agenda and facilitate the meeting.	Person Responsible Hend Alhinnawi	Deadline/Due Date 12/11/2024
Agenda Item 5:	Presentation by Eastside Friends of Seniors		
	Eastside Friends of Seniors helps older adults remain living in their own home for as long as possible by mobilizing community volunteers to provide transportation, household help and friendly visiting. All services are provided free of charge.		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They began their work officially under the 501(C)(3) in 2008. • Their eligibility criteria include living in the service area and being sixty years or older. • Their organization has a small budget, consisting of one full-time employee and three part-time employees. They have over 200 active volunteers. • Areas of support for their client include grocery shopping, cleaning their homes, and repairs to support them age in place. 		
Action Items:	Person Responsible	Deadline/Due Date	

		Kristin Webb	
Agenda Item 6:	WAB By-laws and Draft Review		
	WAB members thoroughly reviewed the revised draft of the bylaws and participated in an insightful discussion about the critical components. Members will further revise and finalize the bylaws in future meetings.		
Action Items: Members Sara Reyneveld, Hafsa Azaz, Ramsey Mayhew		Person Responsible	Deadline/Due Date
			01/08/2024
Agenda Item 7:	In Person Meeting in January and Next Steps		
	WAB members discussed an in-person meeting in January to outline their vision for the year.		
Action Items:		Person Responsible	Deadline/Due Date
		WAB Members	01/08/2024

AJOURNMENT

Time: 6:00 p.m.

NEXT MEETING

Date: January 8th, 2024, Chair: Leslie Hamada Time: 4:00-6:00 p.m. Location: Chinook Building- 401 5th Ave., Room 118, Seattle, WA OR Zoom/Call-In