



MINUTES

ENVISION LAKEVILLE CULTIVATE A SENSE OF COMMUNITY TASKFORCE

December 7, 2021 – 6:30 p.m.

Marion Conference Room

Lakeville City Hall

Members present: Christine Yohnke, Daniel Wolter (via phone), John Swaney, Matt Norman, Naomi Garcia, Dan Feldkamp, Mike Howells and Ajay Raikar

Members absent: Cynthia Cajune

Staff: Justin Miller, City Administrator

Meeting began at 6:30 pm.

1) Call to Order

- Secretary Yohnke called the meeting to order at 6:30.

2) Approval of November 9, 2021 Minutes

- Swaney made a motion, seconded by Howells, to approve the minutes as submitted. All voted in favor.

3) Subcommittee Reports

- Wolter reported on the progress of the survey workgroup. He noted that the group spent considerable time discussing the timeline of a survey (2022 or 2023) and whether the survey should focus on community at large (city-wide) or smaller community (i.e., neighborhoods). There was also a discussion about providing the survey in languages other than English. Yohnke shared a draft list of potential questions that could be included in the survey to meet the goals of the taskforce.
- Feldkamp started discussion on the focus group discussion. Each member of the subcommittee shared their thoughts on how focus groups could be structured. Ideas included:
 - i. Community-wide service project (such as Feed My Starving Children) with small focus groups as a part of the process
 - ii. Neighborhood-specific

iii. Topical such as public safety, special events, downtown, environmental leadership, mental health, and public safety

4) City Council Meeting Report

- Miller explained the format of the upcoming city council work session and recommended that Wolter lead the report (as chair) and that each subcommittee have one person report on their specific work.

5) Items for Future Discussion

- None

Meeting adjourned at 7:42 pm.