

Indian American Community Outreach Advisory Board

Monthly Board Meeting 05/2022

The board's mission is to embrace, preserve and promote the heritage and contributions of Indian American's while promoting civic engagement and encouraging Indian Americans to increase their involvement in Aurora's

Date: 9 May 2022

Time: 5:30 PM

Location: 3770 McCoy Drive, Aurora, IL

Conference Dial-in:

ATTENDEES

Checked = Attended the meeting

Board Members	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sukanya Rangarajan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sunil Patel
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sandeep Lodhe	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sharon Mani
	<input type="checkbox"/> Leela Karumuri	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nadia Kanhai	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kunal Majmundar
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sumitra Murali	
Other Attendees	Karla Thomas	

CALL TO ORDER

ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA & APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Last Meeting Follow-up and Public Comments

- None

MOTION AND OTHER PROPOSALS

Proposal	Proposed by:	Seconded by:	Vote
<p>Board approved to review the new member applications from first batch who were Residents of Aurora during the executive session conducted on May 9, 2022.</p> <p>Board approved to review any non resident applicants from the first batch along with other non resident applicants from second batch of applications during the June 2022 Meeting.</p>	Sukanya		<p>For: All board member attendees 7 Against: 0 Abstain: 0</p>
<p>Board approved the motion for the City to officially remove Sumitra Sriram from the Board in accordance with ByLaws. (per City guidelines, nonattendance for three consecutive meetings results in removal).</p>	Sukanya	Sunil	<p>For: All board member attendees (7) Against: 0 Abstain: 0</p>
<p>Board approved the motion not to discuss any events outside the board unless the event has been approved by the majority of the Board.</p>	Sukanya	Sunil	<p>For: All board member attendees (7) Against: 0 Abstain: 0</p>
<p>Board approved the participation of Board in the following events for 2022. (along with Board member who will take the lead for the event).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yoga - June 2022 - Sukanya 2. July 4 parade-July 2022-Sunil 3. Roots Aurora- Sep 2022-Nadia 4. Kids Workshop-Q4 - Sandeep 5. Diwali-Q3-ALL 	Sukanya	Sunil	<p>For: All board member attendees (7) Against: 0 Abstain: 0</p>
<p>Board approved an initial budget of \$ 500 for the Yoga session.</p> <p>Board also agreed that after exploring the options/logistics of the Yoga session, the Board will revisit the need for additional funds and feasibility of actually delivering the event considering the short timeline.</p>	Sandeep	Sunil	<p>For: All board member attendees (7) Against: 0 Abstain: 0</p>
<p>Board approved to explore the following two opportunities as a first step in building the pipeline for collaboration and youth involvement.</p>	Sukanya	Sunil	<p>For: All board member attendees (7) Against: 0 Abstain: 0</p>

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Collaborate with other City of Aurora Board – Sunil/Sukany to lead 2. Youth Council – Sharon/Sandeep to Lead 			
<p>Board held the closed executive session and conducted a closed ballot voting for the two Applicants from the first batch (AP Naidu and Chaithanya).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Majority of the Board voted in support of recommending Chaitanya to the City (Karla in person) for the appointment to the Board. 2. Majority of the Board did not support recommendation of AP Naidu to the City (Karla in person) for the appointment to the Board. 			
To adjourn meeting.			For: All board member attendees (7) Against: 0 Abstain: 0

TOPIC DISCUSSED

Sr. No	Topic	Notes
i	Member Resignation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Leela Karumuri has resigned from the secretary's position and from the board.
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NEXT MEETING AND AGENDA

Monday June 13, 2022 (5:30 PM - 6:30 PM)

AGENDA

- To be published.