

MINUTES  
ANTI-RACISM TASK FORCE  
MIDDLETOWN, CONNECTICUT

REGULAR MEETING  
NOVEMBER 8, 2021

**Present: Valerie Light, Kirk Hart, Patricia Alston, Councilman Ed Ford Jr., Councilman Darnell Ford, Kayon Morgan, Viviana Conner, Councilwoman Jeanette Blackwell**

**1. Call to Order.**

Meeting was called to order at 6:15 p.m.

**2. Public Comment.**

One person from the public in attendance. Councilman Darnell Ford closed the public comment.

**3. Approval of Minutes:**

MOTION: Kirk Hart made a MOTION to approve the minutes of the October 25, 2021 Anti-Racism Task Force Special Meeting. The Motion was seconded by Patricia Alston. The Motion passed unanimously. Councilman Ed Ford Jr. and Councilwoman Jeanette Blackwell were not present during this vote.

**4. New Business.**

- A. Discuss and set Anti-Racism Task Force Meeting Calendar for 2022
- B. Discussion on plans to submit CRB recommendations by December meeting
- C. NCCJ Report (standing item); discuss next steps
  - 1) Review member assignments
  - 2) Discussion of theme assignments
  - 3) Member report back (data collection/research/projects) on each assigned theme area
- D. Discussion of strategic two year plan; discuss next steps
  - 1) Develop template for strategic plan
  - 2) Input assignment work into the strategic plan

**5. Adjournment.**

MOTION to adjourn made by Valerie Light. The MOTION was seconded by Kayon Morgan. The Motion passed unanimously. Viviana Conner was not present during this vote. The meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.