

**CITY OF FOREST GROVE
COMMITTEE FOR COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT
COMMUNITY AUDITORIUM CONFERENCE ROOM, 1915 MAIN STREET
Thursday September 4, 2018**

Betsy Brower, Chairperson

David AndersenTom Cook (Secretary)
MJ Guidetti-Clapshaw (Vice Chair)Devon Downeysmith
Student Advisor: Briana Larios
Council Liaison: Malynda Wenzl

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Present: Betsy Brower, Tom Cook, David Andersen, Devon Downeysmith, Karen Reynolds, MJ Clapshaw,

Absent: , Briana Larios, Matt Stone

Council Liaison: Malynda Wenzl

City Staff: Bryan Pohl

1. Call to Order: 5:30

2. Community Action Inbox. None.

3. 2019 ATM.

Discussion on the order of the ATM:

- City Manager opens with general comments about disaster preparedness and the City of Forest Grove.
- Then attendees can visit each of the invited agencies booths.

Brian will contact Jesse. Dave Andersen will coordinate the venue: location and logistics, Tom will contact various agencies to set up their information booths, Karen agreed to co-chair with David. Date: Jan 26.

4. Latino Summit.

Discussion on next venue and format. Consensus: due to heavy scheduling etc. it was decided to conduct an informal “follow-up” meeting with leaders from last summit that will follow with a “call to action.” The idea is to be clear in future planning. Everyone is to invite someone else from another organization. Date: TBD.

5. Homeless Event.

Follow-up on homeless issues. November 10-18 is Homeless Awareness Week. Various ideas arose on how to address this issue. One idea was a “summit” between

homeless and community issues, improve public understanding and community capacity to respond to the needs of persons and families experience homelessness.

Consensus: CCI cannot directly support at this time due to current commitments.

6. Council Liaison Report.

Councilor Wenzel reported on continuing issue of affordable housing. A resolution is currently being drafted and presented. Discussion about the seats that are currently open on the city council and who is running for those seats.

7. Adjourn: 6:30