

**WAYNE COUNTY
WOMEN'S COMMISSION**

November 10, 2022

B – Minutes from the October 13, 2022 meeting

Minutes

Wayne County Women's Commission Meeting

Wednesday, October 13, 2022 – 12:00 p.m.

Meeting on Zoom.us

A. Roll Call – 12:01 p.m.

Sarah Roberts (C)	– Present
Latanya Gater (VC)	– Present
Carmen Carter	– Present
Yvonne Cash	– EDS 12:15 p.m.
Soummer Crawford	– Present
Melissa Daub	– Present
Cynthia Douglas	– Present
Rian English-Barnhill	– Absent
Cindy Garcia	– Absent
Eboney Hughes	– Absent
Kathryn Joyner	– Absent
Chelsea Lantto	– Absent
Maali Luqman	– Present
Regina Randall, Ph.D.	– Present
Mary Starr, Ph.D.	– Present
Tina Talley	– Present
Carla Tinsley-Smith	– Absent
Angela Winton	– Present
One vacant seat	

B. Winton/Gater **Approved.** The September 8, 2022 meeting minutes. Motion carried.

C. Chair's Remarks

Chair Roberts announced that the December Women's Commission meeting will be held at the Guardian Building, in the Commission Chambers.

D. Unfinished Business – none.

E. New Business

1. Update from Commissioner Melissa Daub

Member Commissioner Daub said that Wayne County is the only county in Michigan without a Family Court.

2. Tigers Event – Member English-Barnhill

Member English-Barnhill was not present.

Chair Roberts provided an overview of the event.

3. Overview of the Congressional Black Caucus Convention – Member Douglas

Member Douglas said that she attended the convention held on September 28, 2022 and highlighted the following: the 14th Annual Black Women's Roundtable topics, like freedom rights, reproductive rights and economics; the Supporting Sustainable Communities through Affordable Housing and Homeownership workshop, which provided information about the Bank of America homebuyer assistance program; and the health care inequities for breast cancer in Black women, including being less likely to be offered breast density tests despite having a 31% higher breast density when compared to White women.

Chair Roberts and Vice Chair Gater discussed the Women's Official Network Foundation

4. Update from Committees

A. Bylaws Committee – Committee Chair Douglas

Chair Roberts moved this item to the next meeting.

B. New Committees – Recommended Appointments

Survey Committee

Communications Committee

Calendar Committee

Discussion among members with Wayne County Commission Chair Alisha Bell, regarding the proposed activities and members of the new committees.

Chair Roberts said that the Survey Committee will not be considered for approval.

Chair Roberts moved New Business item 4.B. to the next meeting.

5. Committee Chair, Vice Chair, Member Roles, and Responsibilities

Chair Roberts advised members to review the roles and responsibilities.

F. Such other matters as may be properly submitted before the Board – none.

G. Public Comments – none.

F. Adjournment

Chair Roberts declared the meeting adjourned.

Adjournment at 1:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ameena Spivey, Legislative Research Assistant