



Committee Addressing Racial Equity (C.A.R.E.)
Birdseye Municipal Complex
Stratford CT, Room #110 at 7pm
Meeting Minutes 11/2/2016

Attendance: Tania Livingston, Immacula Cann, Joe McNeil, Ann Stockman, Greg Cann Sylvia martin, Olga Pena.

Introductions: Chairman Searcy asked members asked members to introduce themselves and tell us what World Series team they are rooting for.

Approval of Minutes: Gregg Cann. Second by Amm Stockman.

Police/Community Relations: Chief McNeil reported that the new traffic officer will have an education component to the position to inform residents about traffic laws.

The police academy should start in January and will transition to an Advisory Board.

The police dept will do outreach via twitter and other media. It will be a good opportunity for the residents to get to know the police and their activities.

The Chief is pushing PAL to get youth into activities throughout the year after school.

Awards Banquet: The chairman reported that 9 members picked up tickets and there were 4 nominations submitted. Since the event is 2 weeks away it was postponed to March 2017.

Greg Cann motioned to postpone, Immacula Cann Seconded.

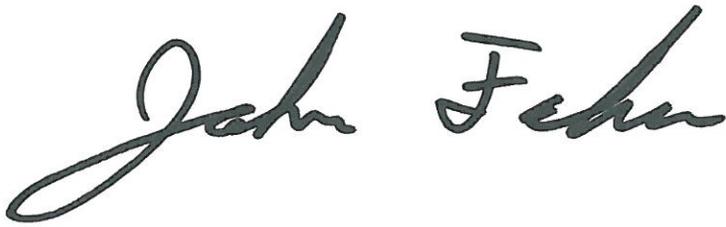
Members should continue to sell tickets. The treasurer received \$260.00 for 6 tickets sold. The chairman advised we set a new date at the December meeting. Suggestion was made that the sub-committee meet at the next meeting to target attendees to the banquet.

Courageous Conversations: Tina Manus and Yan Searcy will reschedule. Chief McNeil offered the conference room at the police dept as a venue. He also asked if there was an outline for the conversations. It was suggested than an outline should be presented to the committee for review.

New Business: Olga Pena attended the BOE Strategic Plan Meeting on 10/28 and 10/29. The next meeting is 1/28/17.

Sylvia Martin attended the Beautification meeting and reported on the Juneteenth of Fairfield County.

Adjournment 7:55pm.

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John Fahan