



**CITY OF WORCESTER**  
**CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES**  
**CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**Wednesday, March 30, 2011 6:00 PM**  
**Worcester Public Library – Saxe Room**

Present: District 1, Richard Trifone  
District 2, Allison Alaimo, Vice Chair  
District 3, Christopher Condon  
District 4, George Valeri, Chairperson  
District 5, Steve Genduso  
District 5, Margaret Manoogian  
District 1, Dorinda Saraiva-Ortiz

Excused: District 1, Pedro Figueroa  
At Large, Anna Sequera  
District 2, Michael Manzello  
District 4, Nancy Kudzal (Andi)

Staff: Jeannie Michelson, Human Resources  
Pam Callahan, Human Resources

1. Call to order 6:00 PM
2. Steve agreed to go to the Greendale Mens Club speaking engagement scheduled for 5/18/11 at 8:30am. Jeannie will forward the details to Steve.
3. The City Clerk is checking into the rules about who can be at polling places during an election.
4. The next meeting agenda will include a recruitment brainstorm session.
5. At 6:30pm, George began introductions of CAC members and staff to the public.
6. **Steven Cook:** Planning; 7yes / 0no
7. **Nicholas Cuba:** CDAC; 7yes / 0no (withdrew name from consideration to Trust Funds Commission)
8. **Harry Danso:** Human Rights; 7yes / 0no | Thomas Early; 4yes / 3no
9. **Coreen Gaffney:** Discussion about conflict if both her and husband were appointed to a 3-member board. Staff advised the board to vote as if it was not a problem and HR would obtain the opinion of the Law Department. Vote: Trust Funds; 5yes / 2no
10. **Michael Gaffney:** Trust Funds; 7yes / 0no (called to remove name from consideration – wants to serve on a board with wife)
11. **Carolyn Grenier:** Elder Affairs; 7yes / 0no
12. **Charles Hiamah:** Discussion about conflict of interest with Mr. Hiamah's desire to notify organizations he works with about availability of funds. Vote: Trust Funds; 4yes / 3no
13. **John Hickey:** Election Commission; 7yes / 0no

14. **Tina Hood:** Planning Board; 1yes / 6no
15. **Ronald Motta:** Elder; 7yes / 0no
16. **Craig Olson:** Planning Board; 4yes / 3no
17. **Seth Pitts:** ZBA; 1yes / 6no | CDAC; 7yes / 0no
18. **Ronald Richard:** Trust Funds; 7yes / 0no | Off Street Parking; 7yes / 0no
19. **Chris Robarge:** Human Rights; 7yes / 0no | Also expressed interest in the CAC
20. **Lamont Slater:** Historical Commission; 6yes / 1no | Thomas Early; 2yes / 5no
21. **Nievel Williams:** Thomas Early Scholarship Fund; 7yes / 0no
22. The next meeting is a business meeting and is scheduled for April 19, 2011 at 6pm in the Human Resources Office, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, City Hall.
23. Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM

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