

Agency on Aging / Area 4 Diversity Committee

Meeting Minutes

October 19, 2017

12:00 – 1:00

Members Present: Gayle Diemond, Charlotte Dorsey, Tanna Thomas

Members Absent: Elizabeth Yeh, Meghan Rose

- I. Meeting called to order at 12:00 by Charlotte Dorsey
- II. Agenda and Minutes were approved (Gayle, motion and Tanna, second) Unanimous vote.
- III. There was consensus that the first 2 speakers have been excellent.
- IV. Purpose Statement was validated. It reads as follows:
The purpose of the Diversity Committee is to encourage diversity on the Advisory Council, to promote awareness of and support to the diverse older adult population through educational outreach.
- V. There was discussion about a speaker for the Joint Meeting in November. It was decided that the topic should be “homelessness among older adults”. Charlotte recommended Helena Helmhold from West Sacramento and will contact her.
- VI. 2018 potential speakers for the Advisory Committee:
January in Placer County – Native American

February in Sacramento – Filipino (Liz may know someone)
April in Sacramento – LGBT

VII. 2018 potential speakers for the Governing Board:

January in Placer – Hispanic

February in Sacramento – Phyllis Wang