



CITY OF DOVER

APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE - MINUTES

Meeting Type: **Regular Meeting**
Meeting Location: **Council Conference Room**
Meeting Date: **Wednesday, September 4, 2024**
Meeting Time: **6:00 pm**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Williams called the meeting to order at 6:02 PM.

Present: Chair Lindsey Williams, Deputy Mayor Shanahan, Mayor Carrier

Also Present: City Clerk Vansylyvong-Bizier

2. PUBLIC FORUM

None.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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Deputy Mayor Shanahan moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Mayor Carrier.

Vote: U/A.

4. INTERVIEW CANDIDATES

6:00 PM – Aleka Munroe – Dover Arts Commission

6:30 PM – Ebenezer Yeboah – Racial Equity and Inclusion/Dover Arts Commission

Deputy Mayor Shanahan motioned to recommend Aleka Munroe to the Dover Arts Commission as a Regular Member, seconded by Mayor Carrier. Vote: U/A.

Deputy Mayor Shanahan motioned to recommend Ebenezer Yeboah to the Racial Equity and Inclusion Committee as a Regular Member, seconded by Mayor Carrier. Vote: U/A.

The Committee reviewed Deb Clough's application to be on the Graffiti Management Committee, because Deb is already a member of other boards and well known to the Committee, they chose to not interview Deb.

After consideration of her application, Mayor Carrier motioned to recommend Deb Clough to the Graffiti Management Committee as a Regular Member, seconded by Deputy Mayor Shanahan. Vote: U/A.

5. REVIEW APPOINTMENTS

Resignations:

Otis Perry – Zoning Board of Adjustment

Lina Shayo – Racial Equity and Inclusion Committee

Amy Perry – Conservation Commission

Timothy Dargan – Dover Business and Industrial Development Authority

Deputy Mayor Shanahan motioned to accept the resignations as listed, seconded by Mayor

Carrier. Vote: U/A.

The Committee discussed the letter sent to Anne Kotlus of the Open Lands Committee. The member has missed well over 10 meetings and the certified letter was returned unclaimed. Deputy Mayor Shanahan motioned to removed Anne Kotlus from the Open Lands Committee due to absenteeism, seconded by Mayor Carrier. Vote: U/A.

6. OTHER BUSINESS

Chair Williams discussed the possibility of combining the Arena Commission with the Recreation Board, Arena is having issues with reaching a quorum and attracting/retaining members.

There was some discussion on exploring youth seats/participation in some boards/commissions, as well as mini leadership academy for young adults and/or high school students.

The Committee identified Wednesday, October 2 at 6:00 PM as the next Regular meeting.

7. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Williams moved to adjourn, seconded by Mayor Carrier. Vote: U/A.