

**No Place for Hate Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
February 3, 2015  
5:30 p.m.  
120 Washington Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor**

**Members Present:** Chair Jeff Cohen, Vice-chair Scott Weisberg, Shawn Newton, Rebecca Comage, Clerk Jean Rockett, Kristian Hoysradt, Mayor's Liaison

**Guests Present:** Fara Wolfson and Rev. Joe Amico

**Public Comments:**

Introductions invited to NPFH Committee included brief statements by both Fara and Rev. Joe which included personal/professional background and interest in NPFH.

**Officer Reports:**

**Clerk - Minutes:** Minutes approved with correction of spelling of Rob Lutts name and total available in treasurer's report to be \$1614.83.

**Treasurer** – report made by Kristian in Lucy's absence. MLK purchases made of \$107.35, leaving balance of \$1507.48. Treasurer's Report approved.

**Vice Chair** – turned over to Chair.

**Chair** – identified John Young to invite as speaker at future meeting. Committee agreed. White Ribbon Day – 3/5/15 – previous collaboration with HAWC noted, Committee votes to pursue collaboration again, Kristian can get white pins again for \$187.75. Committee approves. Kristian asks if anyone wishes a quantity of pins to contact him.

**MLK Day Vigil, March & Convocation Recap**

Rebecca reported at SSU forums well attended, convocation had wonderful media coverage and the plan is to be mindful of making all events more visible.

Rev. Joe Amico communicated the Tabernacle group was pleased with the attendance of the cross-section of the community, inspiring thoughts of forums focused on other community issues.

**Housekeeping**

Business cards - \$90/1000 cards. Approved. Palm Cards discussed. Calendar will be posted to googledocs.

**NPFH Letter to Victims**

The letter will be ready to go shortly. The letter will honor the victim's privacy, include a Palm card/brochure and have a list of community resources including SSU. The letter will be kept on file at Salem Police Dept.

**Film Series Update**

Discussion of possibilities/collaborations. Kristian reached out to Paul Van Ness and Rinus. \$300 approved by the Committee to be a sponsor. Will wait to hear what films are available.

**Medical Marijuana Update**

Nichole continues working actively. Major concerns are no protections for patients and the limits regarding numbers of caregivers.

**Millennials for Justice Update**

May wish to invite speaker to future meeting to hear more about their concerns including specific issues to Salem.

**Future Events**

Continue to pursue ideas for Voting Rights Act and ADA Celebration

**Diversion Program Update**

Conrad not in attendance, but Shawn reported good meeting with Probation Dept. regarding Diversion Program which will provide offender with deeper understanding of unlawful acts and hopefully pretty close to implementation.

**Case Follow-up**

Conrad not present

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, March 3, 2015 at 5:30 P.M.

**Adjournment:** 6:50 P.M.