

**APA TASK FORCE MEETING
MINUTES**

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June 4, 2019

7:30 P.M.

I. Convene

Meeting convened at 7:30 p.m.

II. Hometown Holidays Recap

The task force members thought that having the wheel of chance was a great way to get those who attended to come find out the information about the Human Rights Commission and the task force. There will be additional questions sent to Liaison Kelly to create more information about various cultures and traditions. Character writing will continue and there will be additional volunteers that will bring their language to the table. The performance that was done by task force member Teresa Harn for the event was well received and task force member Zhenya Li provided input as a judge at the Hometown Holidays parade. The Asian culture was well represented.

III. Business Networking Update

Liaison reported that all preparation was set. The task force would now need to recruit people to attend and promote the event. Member Harn will promote through the Asian newspaper and member John Lin will promote through business contacts. Liaison Kelly asked that an Eventbrite be developed and will monitor the progress.

VI. Voter Registration

Topic tabled for next month regarding promotion. The group will assist in efforts that require translation until the candidate slate has been determined in full.

Skills Workshops

Prior to adjoining the meeting, task force member, Eric Wang suggested that the APA Task Force start to offer skills building classes. His point was to have classes so that people could become self-sufficient and have additional options other than attending college which may be too expensive or not the choice of the individual.

VII. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m. The next meeting will be on July 2 at Rockville City Hall, 111 Maryland Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20850.

