

# Minutes for Model Deaf Community

DATE: 02/25/21 4:30-5:20PM  
LOCATION: VIRTUAL - ZOOM

## ATTENDANCE:

### COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mike Anderson, Chair	Barbie Gomez	David Prince	Annemarie Prince	David Reynolds
Erica Hassler	Cindi Safford	Sharon Sluder	Lisa Kay Price	Carlos Andrade

### COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

### GUESTS PRESENT:

Philip Falcone, Mayor's Office		
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### CALLED TO ORDER:

### PUBLIC COMMENT:

- Deaf History Month event hosted at new Main Library in October
- Expansion of Pickleball program city-wide

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- Motion to approve: Made by David Prince, seconded by Barbie Gomez.

### DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- Item 3: Continued to next month, exploration of by-law changes and commission status update.
- Item 4: Updates were provided by Barbie Gomez, receive and file with no further action.

- Item 5: Committee requested meeting with Planning Staff to discuss Deaf Center. A taskforce focused on the center will consist of Josh Tozeski, Dave Reynolds, and Daryl Utley
- Item 6: Continued to next month.
- Item 7: David Prince provided update. Fire alarm brand Kidd manufactures inclusive fire alarms. Public information initiative is needed to inform the community. The Committee requested contact to the City of Riverside's fire department PIO.
- Item 8: Chairman Mike Anderson continues to look for services that provide interpreters in hospitals and doctors' offices to assist those that need the service.
- Item 9: A new chair and vice chair will be elected at the March meeting.

**ITEMS FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION:**

- Meeting with the Committee and Planning Department representative.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

- Meeting adjourned at 5:20pm.