Indiana Commission on Hispanic/Latino Affairs April Commission Meeting Minutes

Date: 04-18-2024



Call to Order: A meeting of the Indiana Commission on Hispanic/Latino Affairs was held on Thursday April 18, 2024, in-person and via WebEx. – Meeting called to order at 10:04am.

Quorum was met with a count of six in-person and five present via WebEx.

Commissioners in attendance: Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Hernandez, Commissioner Matthews Proxy: Janet Garcia Hobbs, Commissioner Nunez, Commissioner Salinas

Commissioners in attendance via WebEx: Commissioner Guandique, Representative Mayfield, Commissioner Rivera, Representative Garcia Wilburn, Commissioner Wilson, Chairwoman Gonzales

Commissioners absent: Senator Doriot, Commissioner Galindo, Commissioner Perez, Senator Pol, Commissioner Vazquez

Director's Report: Director Alexis Gonzalez highlighted and reviewed ICHLA initiatives that have taken place since the last commission meeting. Including The 2024 Civics Day Program. – Director Gonzalez reviewed the 2024 ICHLA grants and grantees. – Director Gonzalez provided updates regarding Letters of Recommendation, the official ICHLA LinkedIn account, outreach materials, as well as the Cultural Commission Director's meeting with the Indianapolis Airport Authority.

Chairwoman's Report: Chair Gonzales created the fundraising subcommittee. Those who volunteered include Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Rivera, Commissioner Nunez, and Director Gonzalez.

New Business:

- Commissioner Salinas provided the first motion for the \$750 Fort Wayne Fiesta Sponsorship, which is a shared sponsorship with The Indiana Civil Rights Commission. Commissioner Rivera provided the second motion, the motion passed unanimously.
- A motion was put forth to approve the March commission meeting minutes. Commissioner Hernandez provided the first motion, Commissioner Chavez provided the second motion. The motion passed unanimously.

ICHLA Survey:

- Director Gonzalez gauged interest in moving the ICHLA Survey and readying it for the public by July/August 1, 2024.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 10:57am