

CEO-OFFICE OF DEI

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Council Meeting Minutes		
Date: March 17, 2022	Time: 10:00 – 11:40 a.m.	Location: Public Health Building
Present:	Council Members: Talia Barrera, Nancy Beltran, Mayra Benitez-Tadillo, Erik Cho, Rob Harris, Renee Higgins, Ernie Moore, Leticia Morales, Claudia Nevarez, Jennifer Orozco, Barry Parker, Cynthia Salas, Keith Taylor, Michael Rodriquez, Carlo Aldeguer, Terri Anderson, Anitha Balan, Korinne Bell, Dave Nafie, Monique Nowlin, Paul Nuñez, Jose Rivera, Selfa Saucedo, Beckie Willhite, Dee Dinnie Staff Members: Steven Auclair, Kate English, Jackie Nuñez, Rosa Gonzalez, Phin Xaypangna	
Absent:	Council Members Absent: Vijay Bhemisetty, Donna Gillesby	
Agenda Items	Discussion Summary and Agreements	
Welcome, Introductions, Agenda & Minutes Review	Roundtable discussion with members.	
DEI Council Group Photo	Moved to a future meeting	
Work Plan Updates	DEI Calendar and Learning Series will be sent via email.	
HR Workforce Data	Matt Escobedo presented on the County HR recruitment process and will return next month's meeting to share workforce data.	
Announcement/Next Steps/Next Meeting	GARE's Conference April 19-21, 2022 • https://www.vcoe.org/equity22 (March 22nd from 2-5 pm) • 2022 Calendar Meeting Location • Tentative Agenda: March 17th o Subcommittee Update on DEI Calendar o Update on Strategic Planning & DEI o Challenges/Opportunities Follow UP	
Announcements	The Office of DEI has launched a new website https://www.ventura.org/county-executive-office/dei/	
Next Meeting Date	April 21st, 2022 - Update on DEI and Strategic Planning - Subcommittee Update on DEI Calendar - Charter Revision Update - Workforce Data – Matt Escobedo	
Minutes Preparation	Steven T. Auclair, DEI Coordinator	