

## **Meeting Minutes**

Columbia Pike Partnership Board Meeting – Thursday, March 10, 2022 11:30 a.m. Location: Virtual – Zoom

## Present:

- Board Members: Guy Gotts, Michael Garcia, Diane Duston, Andrew Moore, Linda LeDuc, John Snyder, Diane Duston, Carmen Romero, Diana Nakarmi, Nina Chawla, Vanessa Aguayo
- Executive Director & Staff: Kim Klingler, Amy McWilliams, Stephen Gregory Smith
- Liaisons: Susan Soroko (AED)
- Guests: \_\_\_\_\_

# Not present:

Michael Klein, David Orr, Tad Lunger, David Peete, Shannon Bailey, Stephen Hughes (Planning/FBC AWG)

The meeting was called to order at 11:35am by Chair – Snyder and agenda was reviewed at a high level. January 2022 minutes were unanimously approved<sup>1</sup>.

# **Chair & Executive Director Reports**

- 1. Inaugural and Annual State of the Pike
- 2. Avalon, Career Center, Barcroft, Childcare Expansion, Digital Equity
- 3. Recruiting Alejandra Underwood (Bilingual Business Engagement Specialist)
- 4. Short Term Physical Space <u>3045 Columbia Pike</u>
- 5. FY2023 Budget Meetings & Upcoming Work Session with County Board Members
- 6. Annual Report
- 7. Other

#### **Committee Reports**

- 1. Finance -<u>Sponsorship Package</u>, Virtual Pike Progress Luncheon (<u>Scope</u>)
- 2. Marketing & Communications Upcoming Connect & Collaborate Sessions, Leveraging the Community Advisory Council, Marketing Partnership with BHMA, Wellness Festival
- Governance Onboarding Marty, Esayas, and New Community Advisory Council Members
  Liaisons FBC AWG, AED, Career Center
- Executive BoD Member Goals/Assessment Approved by BoD in June 2021

Does not include – All Ribbon Cuttings, Ground Breakings, Community Meetings, Mixers, Advocacy, Programming, etc.

| Virtual Connecting & Collaborating<br>& CAC Meeting – January 26 | <del>Virtual State of the Pike – February<br/><del>10</del></del> | Virtual Biz Round Table/<br>Connecting/Collaborating –<br>March 18 & May 20 | Virtual Luncheon – April 21 |
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| Cinco de Mayo (Partnered with<br>ACPD) – May 5                   | Wellness Festival – May 7                                         | Festival Argentino (Partnered) –<br>May 21                                  | Blues Fest – June 18        |

## Liaison Reports:

• AED Liaison, Susan Soroko thanked Columbia Pike Partnership Staff for making our partnership and meeting with the County and spoke to the County Board Budget Work Sessions happening later in the day.

Meeting adjourned at 12:52pm.

Snyder/Klingler

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Snyder Soroko/Moore Snyder/Klingler

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Snyder, 2<sup>nd</sup> Garcia – Passed Unanimously