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June 8th, 2020

11:0am –11:30am

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MEETING MINUTES

Members Present: Derenda Schubert, Co-Chair; Josh Todd, Co-Chair, Heidi Edwards, Jayesh Palshikar, Nathan Rix, Elias Villegas, Adele McAfee

Staff Present: Carie Bauer, Karen Humelbaugh, Amy Holland, Stephanie Solomon

1.0 Information Sharing

- 1.1 Move Update: HECC has moved to 3225 25th St. SE in Salem, near the Salem airport. Various tech issues occurred during the move and change to new server. Staff ask that any emails sent to staff in last week by Commission members be resent and reminded members of the new staff email addresses.
- 1.2 Federal Legislation Updates: A new version of the expansion bill was introduced with bipartisan support. The new bill is called The CORPS Act. Same bill with some reductions in expansion numbers. Director Bauer will continue to update with bill # when it is created.

2.0 Questions & Needs

- 2.1 Commission discussed recent events around equity and racial justice. Discussion ensued on the Commission’s interest to draft a statement of solidarity and support, and further communicate the Commission’s commitment to equity. Commission members will meet under the Equity Advisory Workgroup to discuss next steps.

OV Staff shared that programs were sent resources to assist members with identifying how to exercise rights as citizens without jeopardizing service status, and resources for mental health assistance.

3.0 Public Comment: Each individual / Group will have a time of three minutes.

- 3.1 Public Comment: None.

4.0 Adjourn

- 4.1 Chair Schubert adjourned at 11:37am.