



City of Central Point  
**Multicultural Committee**  
Agenda

**Monday, March 14, 2016**  
**6:30 P.M.**

Chair: Amy Sweet  
Members: Christina Garrett  
Dolores Cadwallader

Central Point  
Council Chambers  
140 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Central Point, Oregon

Staff Liaison: Deanna Casey  
Council Liaison: Tanea Browning

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- I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER – 6:30 p.m.
  
- II. ROLL CALL
  
- III. PUBLIC APPEARANCES
  
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
  - A. Multicultural Committee Minutes from November 8, 2015.
  
- V. BUSINESS
  - A. MAYA Scholarship
  - B. Community Christmas/Lights Parade Participation and review
  - C. 2016 Events
  - D. Liaison Reports
  
- VII. ADJOURNEMENT

**CITY OF CENTRAL POINT  
Multicultural Committee Minutes  
November 16, 2015**

**I. REGULAR MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

Chair Amy Sweet called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**III. ROLL CALL:**

Roll call: Amy Sweet, Christina Garrett, Darlene Taylor, and Dolores Cadwallader were present. City Recorder Deanna Casey and Fran Corderro-Settel were also present.

**IV. PUBLIC APPEARANCES AND CORRESPONDANCE**

City Recorder Deanna Casey stated that Candace Clements has sent in a letter resigning from the Committee. She will renew the process of getting more members. Committee members can help talk to their neighbors and other Central Point Citizens.

**V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

A. Approval of September 9, 2015 Committee Minutes

**Amy Sweet moved to approve the minutes as presented.** Christina Garrett seconded. All said "aye" and the minutes were approved.

**VI. BUSINESS**

A. **Member Application Review** – Mrs. Casey stated that this was originally intended to review any member applications prior to the Council appointment. The Council appointed Mrs. Cadwallader at their November 12, 2015 meeting. No other applications were received.

B. **Community Christmas/Lights Parade** – There was discussion regarding who would be available to help with a float for the event. Originally Mrs. Clements had volunteered to use their VW Van, but that option is no longer available. Mrs. Corrderro-Settel volunteered to pull the trailer again this year if committee members could help decorate it the day of the event. She stated that the decorations would not stay in place on the drive in from her home. Mrs. Taylor stated that she is not available that day. She has a previous engagement at the Providence Festival of Trees. The rest of the committee members stated that they could meet at the park to set up the float. Mrs. Sweet and Mrs. Cadwallader stated that they could walk beside the float with others. A time was set for decorating the float at the park.

C. **Planning Calendar for 2016** – Mrs. Taylor stated that she is working on a calendar of events for the committee. She thinks it would be nice to schedule our meetings for the entire year and any events that we plan to

participate in. This should help everyone with their schedules. She will include events throughout the area that are culturally related. Additional events can be added like the Farmers Market through the Central Point Chamber, the Eggstravaganza, the Medford Multicultural Fair, Friday night festival and the Battle of the Bones. If there are other events to add like a POWWOW at the Dom and events at SOU please send the dates to her. Mrs. Taylor stated that she may be out of the country between April and August next year for an archeological dig in Turkey.

D. **Review of the Medford Multicultural Fair** – The Committee reviewed the event from this year. They felt there were more interest and attendees this year. They were able to contact several people about the committee and gave out information. They need to have a better handle on the brochures and items that are being handed out.

E. **Liaison Reports** –

- Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Cadwallader will attend the Hispanic group meeting in December. Mrs. Taylor explained that she will touch bases with Rogue Valley Action, and Southern Oregon Action Teams, they work on equality issues in the area. They have grant funding available and events that they work on regarding equality. She has been watching the Legislature for Culturally relevant legislation. They are changing from boards to committees in Salem. The Boards will lose their power when turned into a committee.
- Christina Garrett reported that there will be Holiday events at the Expo; Senior Center; Roxy Ann Gem, and Hanley Farm.
- Amy Sweet stated that she had no report on various religious groups. She would try and find some holiday bizarre at churches to post on the Facebook page.
- Delores Cadwallader reported that she can keep up on the VA coverage; she also works with the Organ Donor program in the valley.

## VII. **ADDITIONAL BUSINESS**

There was discussion regarding the deadline for submitting the MAYA Scholarship. It is the end of January. The next meeting will be February 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30. The Committee can review scholarships as they come in and then discuss the applications at the next meeting. The plan was to present the award at the march 10<sup>th</sup> Council meeting.

Mrs. Taylor is still working on the Story Board to use if the committee has a booth somewhere. If anyone has pictures they would like to add please email them to her.

## VIII. **ADJOURNMENT**

Amy Sweet moved to adjourn, Christina Garrett seconded, all said "aye" and the Multicultural Committee Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

The foregoing minutes of the November 8, 2015 Multicultural Committee meeting were approved by the Committee at its meeting of March 14, 2016.

Dated:

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Recorder Deanna Casey