



**Community Relations Committee Meeting Minutes:
Thursday, January 20, 2022 @ 11:00am via Zoom & Hybrid**

Committee Members:

Co-Chairpersons: **E** Rob Coleman; SRE and **P** Shannon Zandanel; KST

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| • E Amy Newell, Truity CU | • E Greta Carter-Wilson, KWI | • P Krista Bartels, KWI |
| • P Amy Wilson, SRE | • A Hope Blankenship, SRE | • E Mary Jones, McGrew |
| • A Andrew Drinkard, LTKS | • P Jasmine Collins, Platinum | • P Mitch Masten, EXP |
| • E Becky Orth, SRE | • A Jennifer Bewley, KWI | • P Nick James, LTKS |
| • P Bev Hill, KWI | • P Jessica Wollesen, FSBT | • E Randy Barnes, SRE |
| • A Darcie Harvey, Re/Max | • P Jill Stueve, KWI | • A Ryan Desch, R + K |
| • P Debi Waggoner, Sec1st | • P Kate White, CEK | • P Sean Williams, HRE |
| • P Deborah McMullen, McG | • P Kathrine Moore, KWI | • P Susan Parker, Plat |
| • A Diane Fry, Fairway | • A Kaz Sheikh, Guardian | • P Taylor Larue, McG |
| • P Erin Maigaard, REHRE | • P Kelsey McCaskey, Fairway | • A Victoria Perdue, KWI |
| • A Fatima Perez-Luthi, ECU | • P Kent Fisher, Meritrust | |

P – Present, E – Excused Absence, A – Absent

The first meeting of the year for the 2022 Community Relations Committee started with introductions of each Committee Member.

Next, the Committee reviewed the Minutes from 12/01/2021. After review, **it was then moved and seconded to approve the Meeting Minutes from 12/01/2021. Motion passed.**

Next, members of the Committee were given a recap on the success of Lawrence Lights, 2021. An Income/Expense report was provided.

Next, a recap of Toys for Tots was requested, however the information from 2021 wasn't available at this time. The Committee will review Toys for Tots at an upcoming meeting.

Next, the Members of the Committee were given an update on the Lawrence REALTORS® Community Foundation. As a result of the election Susan Parker is the Chairperson-Elect and Diane Fry will serve as Treasurer in 2022. Also, the LRCF is excited to share that the LRCF was selected by Envista Credit Union as the featured non-profit in the EnvistaCares Challenge for the month of February. Envista will match contributions in February up to \$2,500. This will give the LRCF another \$5,000 (if we match) to go toward a March funding period. And last, the LRCF will be updating the organizations governing documents in 2022.

Next, the Committee discussed 2022 and reviewed the list of possible events and initiatives.

- Food 4 Every Home will continue, and staff will circulate the flyer to all members of the Committee. A box is not necessary so circulation of the flyer may help boost participation.
- Red Cross Blood Drive – in response to the shortage of blood, the Committee asked for an additional date in 2022. On the calendar already are 2 days in June and 2 days in October.
- USD 497 Site Clean Up – the Committee will reach out to the school district as we get to summer.
- Toys for Tots – Discuss over the coming months.
- New Additions – no new additions for 2022.



Steering Committee Reports – as we get into the year and our fundraisers occur, we need help on the steering committees.

Poker – Susan Parker and Jasmine Avery Collins are Co-Chairpersons. Add Jill Stueve, Jessica Wollesen, and Amy Wilson. A meeting will be scheduled soon.

Charity Classic – Greta Carter-Wilson is the Chairperson. Add Jill Stueve, Taylor LaRue, Susan Parker, Mark Hernandez, and Kelsey McCaskey.

Brew Fest – Kate While has volunteered to Chair in 2022. Both Jill Stueve and Kelsey McCaskey are interested in helping on the 2022 Steering Committee.

After reports and requests for help on Steering Committees, the meeting came to a close.

MEETING AJOURNED at 12:00 PM.