

**JUVENILE CRIME PREVENTION COUNCIL June 23, 2021 Meeting Minutes**

**Members Present:** Nisha Williams, Angela Nunn, DeWarren Langley, Leah Selvy, Judge Evans, Drew Cummings, Chenelle McInnis, Kelvin Allen, Lindsey Spain, Albert Royster, Nimasheena Burns, Alexis Cooper, Tamala McDowell, Kevin Mciver

**Programs Present:** Quillie Coath,Yasmin Boone, Arkeem Brooks, Raquelle Dominguez, LeWayde J., Sabrina Aguilar, Gwendolyn Johnson, Nicole Moore

**Guest Present:** Brenda Howerton

**Staff:** Gudrun Parmer, James Stuit, Kelley Waggy, Eddie Crews

**Welcome & Introductions**

Vice Chair Angela Nunn called the meeting to order and welcomed the full body.

**Review of May Minutes**

Chair Nisha Williams presented the April minutes and asked the Board to briefly review them. The board voted unanimously to approve. The motion carried.

**Karen K Thompson Award**

Leah Selvy Presented the Karen K Thompson Award for the 2020-2021 Fiscal Year to the Chair of County Commissioners, Brenda Howerton. Brenda Howerton shared her appreciation for the award and recognition, Chair Howerton shared that she worked for quite a while alongside Karen K. Thompson, and she reminded the board of the need to continue fighting for Durham County Youth. The floor was opened for members to share their congratulations on a well-deserved award for Brenda Howerton.

**Nomination Committee-Officer Appointments**

Albert Royster Shared that we did receive a singular nomination for Kelvin Allen to continue serving as JCPC Treasurer, all currently serving Executive Board Members agreed to continue serving in their perspective roles. Dr. Royster shared with the board that the JCPC Secretary Position was open and opened the floor for nominations. Angela Nunn nominated Leah Selvy for Secretary; Leah accepted the nomination. Dr. Royster asked for a motion to accept the slate as stands. DeWarren Langley made a motion to approve the slate, Lindsey Spain seconded, the board voted unanimously in favor of the slate.

The FY21-22 Executive Board is as follows:

Chair-Nisha Williams

Vice Chair-Angela Nunn

Treasurer-Kelvin Allen

Secretary-Leah Selvy

Parliamentarian-Andre Hinton

**Announcements**

Vice Chair Angela Nunn reminded the Board that the July meeting is canceled.

DeWarren Langley shared that Durham Youth Works Program has slots available for session 2 and session 3. Participants will be compensated with $800.00

Jim Stuit shared that they are currently working on Gang Assessments. Surveys are being sent out and the team appreciates all of our help in completing these surveys. Please monitor you email for these surveys.

Eddie reminded all members to keep pushing to raise the floor juvenile age, this would mean no kids 10 or under would go through juvenile intakes.

Kevin Mciver shared his thanks for the City Councils approval of the Durham Comprehensive Plan and that he looks forward to further approvals as they move forward.

Sabrina Aguilar invited everyone to El Futuro’s Community Festival June 27, 2021. Flyers will be sent to members of the board.

**Adjourned:4:29pm**