



5 PROMISES
Caring Adults • Safe Places • A Healthy Start • Marketable Skills • Opportunities to Help Others

LAKWOOD'S PROMISE ADVISORY BOARD MEETING AGENDA - REVISION

Friday, August 4th, 2023
7:30 am

Members and the public are able to join the meeting in-person or virtually.

In-person: 6000 Main St SW Lakewood, WA 98499, American Lakes Conference Room (first floor lobby)
Access Virtually: Zoom link or by dialing in by phone.

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MEMBERS

Kerri Pedrick, Chair
Executive Director, Communities in Schools of Lakewood
Megan Dempsey, Vice Chair
St. Clare Hospital Representative
Dr. Joyce Loveday
President, Clover Park Technical College
Ellie Wilson
Community Volunteer & CISL founder
Ron Banner
Superintendent, Clover Park School District
Mary Dodsworth
Director, Lakewood Parks & Recreation
Julie White
Chancellor, Pierce College
Dr. Wanda Elder
Community Member
Kyle Mangloña
Community Member
Mary Moss, City Council Liaison
Shannon Bennett, Coordinator

YOUTH COUNCIL LIASION

GUEST PRESENTER

None

AGENDA

WELCOME - CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMENT

MEETING MINUTES

- Review/approve June 1, 2023 meeting minutes

NEW BUSINESS

- Reflect on what we've heard from the youth
- Value vote on ideas

NEXT STEPS

- Determine deliverables between this meeting and the next.

BOARD MEMBER HIGHLIGHTS

FUTURE MEETING DATE / AGENDA ITEMS

- Thursday, September 6, 2023 – 7:30 am
Regular Meeting, Hybrid Format

ADJOURN

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LAKWOOD'S PROMISE ADVISORY BOARD

Thursday, June 1, 2023

In-Person and Zoom Virtual Meeting

Lakewood, WA 98499

7:30 am – 8:30 am

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CALL TO ORDER

Kerri Pedrick called the meeting to order at 7:39 am

ATTENDANCE

Promise Advisory Members Present: Kerri Pedrick, Ellie Wilson, Mary Dodsworth, and Kyle Manglona and Ron Banner.

Promise Advisory Members Absent: Dr. Joyce Loveday, Julie White, Dr. Wanda Elder and Megan Dempsey.

City Council Liaison: Mike Brandstetter, Council Member (not present)

Youth Council Liaison:

Staff Present: Shannon Bennett

Guest Presenter: None

Guest: Dean Kelley

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

MEETING MINUTES

Mary Dodsworth moved to approve the May 4 2023 meeting minutes. Kyle seconded the motion. MPU.

NEW BUSINESS

Members agreed to continue their efforts to gain the youth voice, beginning with the June 10th Youth Summit. CIS staff agreed to incorporate a Lakewood's Promise survey at their vendor booth for the Summit and Summerfest.

Members conducted a review of the Caring Adults promise and compared prior and current efforts and agreed to work on increasing adult to youth mentoring programs and organized activities with the goal of bringing caring adults to where they are. Students have a desire to be face to face and engage in social interaction. The Board needs to focus on helping youth to engage and re-socialize (example: community café's, small group mentoring, intern/volunteer opportunities, etc.) with other students, adults, community resources. Look for opportunities to piggyback with other community efforts and elevate those efforts. Create a "stone soup" of community resources – everyone bring a necessary ingredient. Our goal for the summer is to assess the 5

Promises and check our reality by asking the students where Lakewood is at with fulfilling its promises to our youth.

NEXT STEPS

Gain youth feedback at Youth Summit and seek other methods for gaining student feedback (example: Leaders of Change, etc.). Ron Banner suggested youth focused community groups' work together to target their fund seeking efforts. Kerri suggested having a focused conversation with community members to set goals and a commitment to work together. Mary D. suggested increasing the community awareness of available resources.

Members recommended not meeting in July and to focus August's meeting on the student voice gained at events leading up to the meeting. August's meeting was set for Friday, August 4th to allow for feedback from the August 3rd Leaders of Change presentation; which LPAB members are highly encouraged to attend. Ron suggested we pull leaders of organizations together in a joint space to settle in a direction. We're saying the same thing. Let's not compete or recreate the wheel. Let's start merging folks in their minds and in their practice. Let's create a proactive, rather than reactionary space.

BOARD MEMBER HIGHLIGHTS

None

ADJOURN

Kerri Pedrick adjourned the meeting at 8:33 am.

Prepared by: Shannon Bennett, Human Services Coordinator

Date:

Kerri Pedrick, Chair

Date: