Race Equity Advisory Council

Date: Thursday, April 17, 2025

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Location: NorthPoint Conference Center

Council members present: Heidi Garrido, Erikka Ryan, Catherine Bouie, Nathania Amenuvor, Farhio Khalif, Josephine Thao, Raquel Jarabek, Shanessa "Saint" Saice, Natalie Kirk, Hol Flor, Nathaly Maldonado, Alejandra Medina

Council members not present: Angela Cuellar, Ralphe Yehle, Tai Giwa, Tamyka Carr, Ashaki Brown, Kandis York, Adjoa Kusi-Appiah, Cedric Dildy, Amber Shannon, Ocho Smith

County Staff: Shawn Sorrell, Letty Rogers

Approved current month's agenda

Motion: Erikka Second: Nathaly All in favor – motion passes

Approved previous month's meeting notes

Motion: Erikka Second: Josie All in favor – motion passes

Welcome and introductions

- Community Spectator: Devano (College student)
- New Members: Heidi Garrido, Nathania Amenuvor, Farhio Khalif, Saint Saice. Hol Flor, Nathaly Maldonado and Alejandra Medina
- Current Members gave an introduction and their experience on REAC council

A PowerPoint was presented by Catherine and Shawn of:

Annual report & Mn federal funding impact report

- County Staff Support
- Officer Roles & Expectations
 - o Elections: 5/15/25 for all officer roles
- Vision and mission shared of their committees

Adjourn

Motion: Farhio Second: Josie All in favor – motion passes