



Minutes Tempe Family Justice Commission August 23, 2021

Minutes of the TEMPE FAMILY JUSTICE COMMISSION held on Tuesday, August 23, 8:00 a.m., via Microsoft Teams

(MEMBERS) Present:

Mary O'Grady, Chair
Ilene Dode, Vice-Chair
Margaret "Peggy" Tinsley
Kristen Scharlau
Josie Montenegro
Jill Oliver
Jeanette Costa
Megan Brown
Patricia Riggs
Mark Perkovich

(MEMBERS) Absent:

Robin Nelson

City Staff Present:

Paul Bentley, Deputy Human Services Director
Terrisa Mays, Administrative Assistant II
Kristi Griffin, Senior Management Assistant

Agenda Item 1 – Call to Order

Chair Mary O'Grady called the meeting to order at 8:05 p.m.

Agenda Item 2 – Public Appearances

None Present

Agenda Item 4 – Chair Remarks

No Remarks

Agenda Item 5 – Family Justice Commission Strategic Planning

Kristi Griffin facilitated strategic plan for Family Justice Commission to determine future goals. Commission members reviewed and discussed mission, ordinance, and power & duties. In addition to the family advocacy center, the commission determines the following as priorities for year one: education for the commission members, supporting the FAC with unrestricted funds, comprehensive report on youth to better support and recommend services/programs, education and outreach, and collaborate with the Diversity department to reach communities and develop services. Goals to be revisited and re-evaluated regularly.

Agenda Item 6 – Commission Member Updates

No updates.

Agenda Item 7 – Adjournment

Mary declared the meeting adjourned at 12:05 pm.

Next meeting will be on September 21, 2021

Minutes Prepared by: Terrisa Mays

Reviewed by: Paul Bentley

Mary O'Grady, Chair
Tempe Family Justice Commission