



## **MINUTES - Joint Meeting with Diversity Commission**

**July 6, 2016**

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*The Edmonds Arts Commission: dedicated to the arts, an integral part of community life.*

City of Edmonds Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Department

**PRESENT:**

Samantha Saether

Suzy Maloney

STAFF

AUDIENCE

Marni Muir

Lois Rathvon

Frances Chapin

Beverly Shaw Starkovich

**Absent:**

Excused: Kevin Conefrey, Lesly Kaplan

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 PM by the Cultural Diversity Commission.

**No official business was conducted by the Arts Commission.**

INTRODUCTIONS – Both commissions introduced themselves.

AGENDA – Edmonds Arts Commission reported as Item 6 on the DC agenda.

Chapin and Commissioners briefly described EAC programs and general discussion followed including comments about accessibility for vision impaired, poetry programs for youth, and involvement of the international district. There was consensus that the two commissions would have opportunities for collaboration in the future. Following this discussion Arts Commission members and staff left the meeting at approximately 6:50 pm.