



IDDEAS Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

6/25/2024 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Council Members:

Brian Be
Chris Patton
Kizzly Blue
Kaley Day
Lindsay Westmiller
Beth Bevilacqua

Guests:

An unknown amount of guests attended due to fake accounts utilized

Absent:

Stefanie Gross
Michelle Dumay

DHS Staff:

Michaela Hennig
Jordan Mulholland
Corey Boyle
Tom Gamache
Jordan Humphreys
Mimi Scheuermann

I. Call to Order

Meeting began at 1:04 pm. Corey provided a description of IDDEAS and the relationship with the Advisory Council. They described opportunity for public comment during the meeting, however, anyone wanting to speak must reach out to IDDEAS beforehand at iddeas@denvergov.org. Corey went over meeting expectations. Introductions of council members were made in the chat.

II. Approval of minutes from last meeting

Minutes from 5/28/2024 were reviewed and approved with council vote.

III. Council and Partner Updates

- Michaela Hennig provided an update on a previous question made by a council member. She stated that of the mill levy property taxes generated in Denver, 45% of those are residential, and 55% would be non-residential which includes commercial and others.

IV. Council Member Spotlight

This month, Chris Patton was given the member spotlight. He shared his poetic expression and information about himself, his experience, and his business. He is holding an event this weekend to sell various items that he himself has created, including shirts. From Chris's own biography: Chris has always considered himself a teacher and a poet. Though he does not speak, he uses a variety of keyboards to type his thoughts. It is his greatest desire to use his words and unique voice to create positive change and make an impact on our world.

During this council member spotlight, the meeting was taken over by a Zoom bomber, and DHS was unable to remove from the meeting. Due to this, the meeting was concluded early, and all business was ended for the day. The Kelsey had planned to present on findings from their Landlord and Builder Assessment. Before adjourning, DHS staff noted that this presentation would be rescheduled for a later meeting date.

Due to the disruptions and technical issues, no recording for this meeting is available.

Please contact DHS's IDDEAS program with any clarifying questions related to these minutes.