

City of Pekin  
Human Rights Committee  
Meeting Agenda  
October 23, 2013 7:30am

- I. Welcome and introductions – meeting began at 7:34am. Present: Pamela Anders, Gregg Ratliff, Michelle Moul, Melinda Figge, Danielle Owens and Lynn Johnson.
- II. Approval of agenda – no quorum
- III. Approval of minutes – no quorum
- IV. Correspondence and feedback – none received
- V. Old Business
  - A. Murals (Pekin High School) / Brush with Diversity logo discussion – information was shared that a letter to IDOT was mailed and awaiting a response. D. Owens will check with Pekin High School art teacher (Amy Psinus) about the material list.
  - B. HRC message / service organizations / possible outlines – discussion on possibly using the MLKJ / “I Have a Dream” video within our presentations. Need to draft a basic meeting/to do list for meetings in 2014 to share.
  - C. Community read project – A Lesson Before Dying – continued reading of this book. Melinda will speak with Alyssa about another book for comparison purposes.
- VI. New Business
  - A. ? – November meeting add the review of Council goals for the HRC.
- VII. Other business to come before the committee
  - A. Committee members – M. Moul (& husband Scott) recently traveled to many places in Africa and will be hosting an event on November 1<sup>st</sup> from 7-9pm at CJ’s. Invitation was shared with Committee members by e-mail.
  - B. Committee advisory members
  - C. City staff
  - D. Public
  - E. Press
- IV. Adjournment – the meeting adjourned at 8:29am.