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AFRICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION – Summary

Present: Davis, Izala, Pepper, Grimes

- Jodi from the Lincoln Park Children & Families Collaborative went over that they are working with more families and getting them back together. They are also working on becoming a food shelf, connecting people to resources. The food shelf is open to all, and takes phone numbers. But it is not based off of where you stay. She also stated that they get free food from 2nd Harvest, and don't limit people. Since Lincoln Park is a food desert, they would like it to be helpful for the community.
- The commission would like a continual update on the ordinance for review. Adam to make changes. Staff to update the ordinance and bring to legal with commission having final review as well. Commission to advance terminology with review from the commission to recommend adoption of the ordinance to city council.
- Commission would like 2020 census data, and maps for the next meeting. To further identify 2-3 topics to bring to the community for dialogue at the public forum. The commission would like to create a space where people can be heard. Staff to produce items for next meeting. Want to have it in places that make people comfortable.