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Minutes: September 11, 2019

Present: Lon Halley / Mt Joy Bible Fellowship, Tracy Davis / Community Member, , Pamela Beeman / Trinity, Ted H Sandberg / First Baptist, Jesse Kearns / 1st Christian, Kristina Carter / Baha'i Faith, Jim Anderson / Quaker/Friends Mtg, , Lucy Gould / Community Member, AVP, Marv Megibow / Congregation Beth Israel, Bruce Grelle, Trinity United Methodist, Ali Sarsour / Moslem Association, Gail Hill / Chico First Baptist, Sierra Rasmussen / Enloe Medical Center, Loretta Steinke / SSV Enloe Medical Center, Jose Guerra / Our Devine Savior, Sue Steiner / Chico Havurah / Bonnie Pulliam / Faith Lutheran, Colter Murphy / Faith Lutheran, Doug DeSoto / Faith Lutheran, Ben Colahan / Faith Lutheran, Anne T. / public, Richard Burrill / The Anthro Co, Independent Scholarly Publication, Kristy Collins / Hillel of Chico, Lisa Rappaport / CBI, Mike Richman / CBI, Blake Hollingsworth / Chico Peace and Justice Center.

Introductions: Each person present stated their name and any agency affiliation.

Treasurer report: Written Report Submitted – Dated September 11, 2019.

Old Business

- Education Report: - Holy Envy by Barbara Brown Taylor: Straw poll – there is interest in studying the book.
- Interfaith Committee – The committee builds relationships with the CAIC. If interested, contact Kristina Carter
- Media Committee: This committee educates the community about CAIC and our projects. If interested in joining contact Pamela Beeman.
- Finance Committee: Needs support. Contact Gail Hill to get more information.

Approval of June Minutes: Minutes were approved unanimously M/S Megibow/Beeman.

New Business:

- Budget – Kristina Carter submitted revised 2019/2020 Budget adding \$1500 for the Camp Fire Make a Wish. Total Budget - \$3,325.00. Discussion. Jim Anderson expressed concern about Make a Wish becoming a central focus of CAIC and encouraged keeping it as an independent project. Motion to Approve New Budget M/S Approved. Sandberg/Sarsour.
- **Calendar Schedule:**
 - October: Death and Dying (need two faith communities)
 - November: Self-Care and Resiliency Building
 - December: Kwanza

Announcements and Reports:

- *Chico Peace and Justice Center/Blake Hollingsworth*
The Center needs support. Please share with your communities and consider becoming a member. <http://www.chicopeace.org/blog/statement-of-financial-crisis/>

Business Meeting adjourned to the General Meeting:

General Meeting

Introduction: Question: How is your community building bridges? Education, classes, outreach to marginalized communities, training, service, support.

Building Bridges Block Parties: Mike Richman, CBI. – Vision – A safe place where people can gather and talk about all subjects. Ideas from big to small events, food, music, community. Task force created to explore this idea.

Camp Fire Make a Wish: Power point explains the project. Need for wish grantors. Please share with your communities. <https://www.campfirewish.com>

Camp Fire Memorial Activities: If you have a scripture, poem or song from your faith tradition please forward it to Kristina Carter at caicveep@gmail.com.

Next Meeting Date Change: Due to Yom Kippur – next CAIC will be the 3rd Wednesday in October. October 16, 2019

- Please contact the Secretary if you have announcements to be added to the October agenda.

Next Business Meeting October 16, 2019 at 11:30 a.m.
at First Baptist Church, Chico

Respectfully Submitted,
Tracy Davis