



**DRAFT Minutes**  
2020 U.S. Census City of Tempe Complete Count Committee  
Faith and Nonprofit Subcommittee  
Subcommittee Meeting  
January 15, 2019

Minutes of the 2020 U.S. Census City of Tempe Complete Count Committee Community Outreach and Special Populations Subcommittee Meeting held on Tuesday, Jan. 15, 2019, at the Tempe Public Library, 3500 S. Rural Road, Lower Level Room A, Tempe, Arizona.

**(MEMBERS) Present:**

John Linda  
Joaquin Rios  
Gary Brennan  
Casey Clowes  
Anthony Contente-Cuomo

**(MEMBERS) Absent:**

None

**City Staff Present:**

LeVon Lamy, Housing Manager

**Guests Present:**

None

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 p.m.

## **Agenda Item 1 - Self-introductions to Share Individual Expertise and Connection to Topics of faith communities and nonprofits**

Mr. Linda shared his work with Dementia Friendly Tempe and is interested in reaching out to the faith communities to better coordinate efforts across interests. He is a member of a local church and has worked for non-profits in the past.

Mr. Rios shared his is part of a church in Tempe. His day job is with a nonprofit and is looking to help coordinate local interests to bring funds to Arizona. He has regular engagement with local nonprofits and is interested in how to bring the connections together to assist with the goals of the subcommittee and census.

Mr. Brennan shared he was an executive in health care operations for +30 years and retired. He currently volunteers for health care organizations and is on the Board of UCP of Arizona and is an ACA advocate. He is also the President of his Neighborhood Association.

Ms. Clowes shared she is just interested in the Census process and is an attorney.

Mr. Contente-Cuomo shared that he attended Tempe Leadership (class 32), and is looking forward to building relationships to support the Census and advance local needs.

## **Agenda Item 2 - Begin to Define Subcommittee Scope of Work**

The subcommittee discussed identifying audiences and influencers after the compilation of a list of all faith based and nonprofit organizations in Tempe. The subcommittee will review the list to determine who already knows whom at these organizations to begin reaching out.

Additional discussion was had regarding ensuring culturally sensitive and competent consultants (individuals, or others) would be available to attempt to ensure full engagement in a culturally competent and sensitive way.

Discussion of information distribution through fundraising pamphlets of non-profits, speaking to congregations at churches. Reaching out to AHCCS, CHIPS, ALTCS to inquire about distributing information through their network.

Discussion of how posters are put up at light rail stations, bus stops, etc.; additional research needed to determine appropriate authority.

## **Agenda Item 3 - Discuss Timeline for Producing a Specific Outreach Plan for Community Outreach and Special Populations**

Discussion of a 2 to 3-month time frame for a fleshed out specific outreach plan. Contingent upon information availability and review of faith based and nonprofit listing to identify known entities.

The next meeting is scheduled for Feb. 19, 2019

Meeting was adjourned at 7:16 pm

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