

**MLK Committee Minutes**  
**Tuesday, June 18, 2013**  
**RHPD Substation, 46 Sunset Dr.**  
**12 Noon**  
**Janelle Morris, Chair**  
**Dr. Sylvia Berry, Co-Chair**

**Members Present: Ellen Wilder-Byrd, David Boone, Sylvia M. Berry, Wakita Barksdale, Kinyata Adams Brown, Twana Burris-Alcide, Jason Weil, John Gregory**  
**Tan Barber, Staff Liaison**

- ❖ **Meeting was called to by Co-Chair, Dr. Sylvia Berry**
- ❖ **Opening Prayer by Dr. Berry**
- ❖ **Minutes for May 21<sup>st</sup> meeting was approved as information (motioned by Bro. Boone and 2<sup>nd</sup> by John Gregory).**
- ❖ **Follow-up discussion for special projects:**
  - **The MLK Committee does not need to start up projects/programs that are already initiated and meets the same objectives.**
  - **The Committee can partner with other committee/organizations on upcoming events such as: Rolling in Rock Hill September), Cheer for Children (November).**
  - **Partner with AACRC (African American Cultural Resource Committee)**
  - **The MLK Sub-committee on Education met on June 3 (Dr. Berry, Ellen Wilder-Byrd, Lisa Cramer, Tan Barber). It was suggested to talk with Janice Miller, chair for the AACRC, to see if they have a challenge based project for our youth. MLK Committee can partner or piggy-back on a project for setting up a brochure for a historical walk near the Emmett Scott/Hermon Presbyterian church area.**
  - **The subcommittee is looking at a possible trip to Memphis & Alabama for the MLK Essay winners. They will have further discussions.**
  - **Kinyata A. Brown suggested going to the Harvey Gant Building in Charlotte**
  - **The Committee will continue to work on a Calendar of Events/dates to what is happening in the community in hopes of getting others involved and supporting each other.**
  - **Tan will work on getting a collage of pictures for the City's Website. Jason Weil will get the waiver from Katie.**
- ❖ **Speaker for 2014 Interfaith Prayer Breakfast: A motion was made to send Rev. Steve Hogg an invitation for keynote speaker (motioned by Ellen Wilder-Byrd/2<sup>nd</sup> by David Boone. A letter of invitation for keynote speaker will be sent to Rev. Steve Hogg, Senior Pastor of First Baptist Church in Rock Hill.**
- ❖ **Announcements:**
  - **Kids from World Changers are in the Rock Hill area working on homes**
  - **The education Subcommittee will meet on July 8 @ 12 Noon**
  - **Rolling in RH is looking for houses to paint**
  - **Tony Jones will be the newly appointed judge on June 28<sup>th</sup>**
- ❖ **Closing Prayer: Brother David Boone**
- ❖ **Meeting Adjourn**
- ❖ **Next Meeting - July 16, 2013 12:00 Noon**