

# **SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION**

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# Social Services Commission Sandra Peterkin, Chair Benjamin Aponte Kathleen Lombardo Caroline Temlock Teichman

# Minutes for December 1, 2015

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Commission MembersPublic Safety StaffSandra Peterkin, Benjamin Aponte, Caroline Temlock TeichmanEllen Bromley, Soc. Svcs Coordinator

Meeting called to order at 4:45pm by Chair Peterkin.

### **Acceptance of Minutes**

The September and October meeting minutes were approved.

<u>Motion</u>: Commissioner Temlock Teichman made motion to accept minutes, seconded by Commissioner Aponte. The motion carried unanimously.

## **Public Comment**

Ligia Marroquin observed the meeting but made no comment. She hopes to be appointed to the commission.

### Old Business

Fair Rent case update – there were no new cases.

Coordinator Report: Ms. Bromley reported on her work with Smith House.

Survey Project- The commission continued to review and discuss the survey results. Top social services needs were identified as Mental Health, Housing, Young Adults 18-20, Working Poor and Substance Abuse. Next step is to set hearing dates and write the invitation letter.

### **New Business**

A request was made/ suggested to move meeting time to 4:30 p.m. and to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month. All commission members present is in agreement with the change.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted: Sandra Peterkin