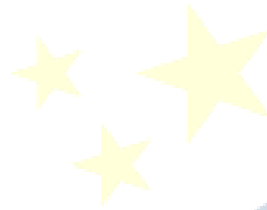
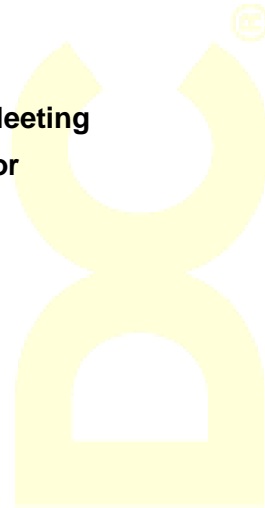




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Agenda

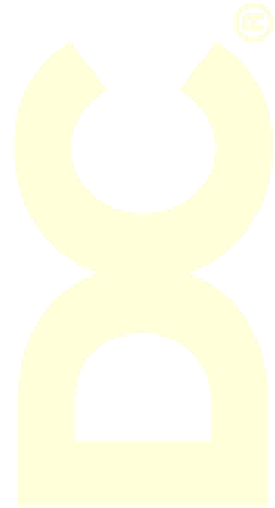
- **Call to Order**
- **Roll Call**
- **Approval of Minutes**
- **Opening Remarks**
- **Director's Updates**
- **Commissioner Updates & Announcements**
- **Serve DC Lookahead**
- **Adjourn**



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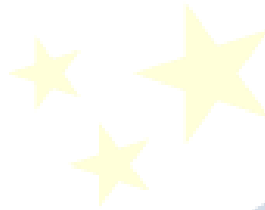
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Call to Order

Chair Beckford called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm.

Commissioners In Attendance

David Horwitz
Jason Anthony
Chaunta Mickens
Jermaine Dillon
Ayana Woodberry
Paul Taskier
Katrina Mathis
Naprisha Taylor
Karen Sirker
Kevin Beckford
Lisa Matthews
Robert Reeg
Lindsay Morton



Serve DC Staff in Attendance

Jermaine Dillon, Interim Director
Adam Lattimore, National Service Officer
LaVita Anthony, Special Assistant
TeCora Estes-Harris, Grants Management Specialist

- Roll taken by Special Assistant
- Director Dillon gave opening remarks. Also informed commissioners she is now serving as interim Director for Serve DC and the former Director Alexis Squire has accepted a position with FEMS.
- Commissioner inquired about new hire process and timeline.
- Chair Beckford inquired on how commissioners can assist.

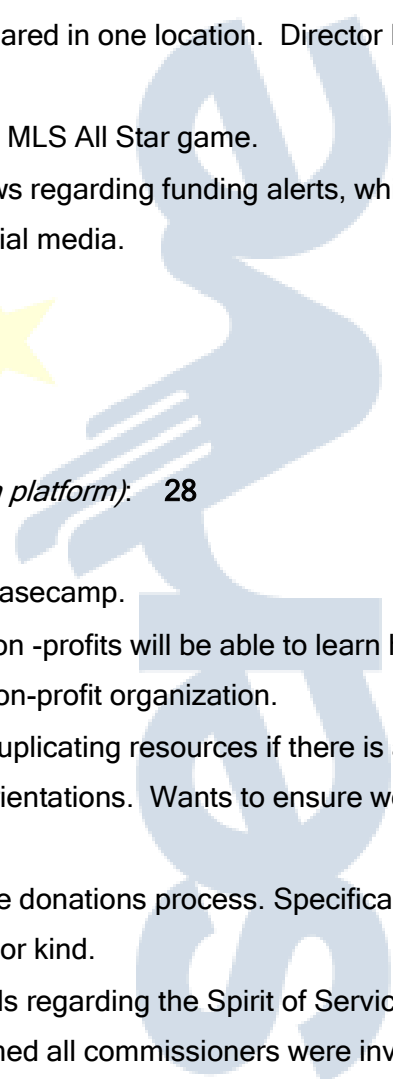
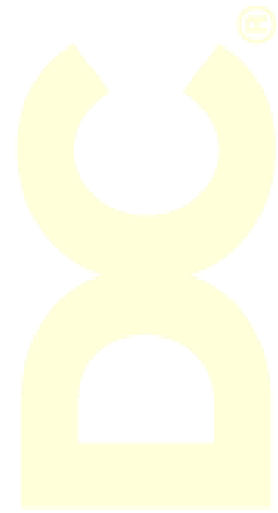
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- Director shared community Outreach Wins
- Director shared upcoming events:
 - 9/11/2023 9/11 Day of Service
 - 9/16/2023 H Street Festival
 - 9/26/2023 Capacity Building Townhall
 - 10/7/2023 Spirit of Service Awards
 - 10/20/2023 All Corps Convening

- Commissioner asked for future events to be shared in one location. Director Dillion shared she will have dates added to Basecamp.
- Serve DC provided over 100 volunteers for the MLS All Star game.
- Commissioners were encouraged to share news regarding funding alerts, which are published twice a month. Also follow us on social media.
- Social Media Numbers were shared:
 - Facebook: **3,500**
 - X (Formerly twitter): **7,276**
 - Instagram: **4,422**
 - Linked In (Serve DC's newest social media platform): **28**

- Commissioners shared their appreciation for Basecamp.
- Capacity Building Townhall was discussed. Non -profits will be able to learn how to create, maintain, apply for grants and succeed, as a non-profit organization.
- Commissioner Reeg raised he is not a fan of duplicating resources if there is another state government office paying for small business orientations. Wants to ensure we are doing something different.
- Commissioner asked the Director to explain the donations process. Specifically, how people can donate to organizations, whether financial or kind.
- Director Dillon shared recently confirmed details regarding the Spirit of Service Awards, October 7th @ Sycamore & Oak Venue. Informed all commissioners were invited to attend.



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- Skills matrix discussed- identify commissioners background, and interest, to leverage skills and align with some of Serve DC's future activities.
- Commissioners expressed interest in writing an Op-Ed piece together.
- Commissioner Reeg raised reservations with funding City Gate, due to missed application deadline.
- The next quarterly meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 22, 2023.

Meeting adjourned at 7:22 pm.



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