Diversity Advisory Council Virtual Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, April 19, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Register in advance for this meeting:
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9:00 Welcome… We generally begin every DAC meeting with a Diversity quote or video. Starting with a Diversity quote or DEI video helps us maintain focus on current social issues. Today, I’d like to share a video message from a Black middle schooler who has a message for his peers and us Parents about materialism. After watching the video, we will have a short discussion.

9:15 Working Together Grants Update… Energy Trust recently awarded Working Together Grants to the following community-based organizations: African American Alliance for Homeownership; Philippine American Chamber of Commerce; Black Community of Portland; Neighborworks Umpqua; Hacienda CDC. Here to tell us more about the Working Together Grants are my colleagues Sue Fletcher, Mia Deonate and Emma Clark.

9:30 Community Based Liaisons (CBLs) for TRC (Kheoshi Owens of Empress Rules) and (Victoria Lara of Lara Media Services LLC) are here to share their findings of a recent survey they completed with small businesses for Energy Trust... Here to introduce our esteemed CBLs is Wendy Gibson.

10:20 Renee Garrels is here with a few questions she developed to spark conversations on helping Energy Trust become a more effective community partner and supporter of various programs throughout Oregon. Renee is also talking with her team members about the possibility of consulting opportunities for a few DAC members to support the development of a deeper dive session around community support in June/July.

11:05 Greg Stokes emailed the DAC last week about the recruitment of an open position on the Energy Trust Board...Greg is here to tell us about the process.

11:10 Please join me in welcoming my newest DEI Team member Huong Tran! Huong was recently hired as a DEI Specialist. This will be Huong’s final meeting as a DAC member. Huong and I have already begun the search for her replacement on the DAC...Let’s hear it for Huong!

11:20 For the Good of the Order. (Announcements???)

11:30 Meeting Adjourned.

Materials (agendas, presentations, and notes) will be available online. Next Meeting Date: May 17th