

**Diversity Roundtable**  
*Achieving a Culture that Values Diversity*  
Greater Lafayette Commerce  
Thursday May 2, 2024  
11:30 am – 1:00 pm  
The Arts Federation (TAF) and Zoom

**Agenda**

**Impacting Change in Issues of Diversity and Inclusion**

[DiversityTippecanoe.org](http://DiversityTippecanoe.org)

1. Welcome/Introductions – Barb Clark (5 minutes)
  - a. Please put your name and affiliation in the Chat
  - b. Please put any announcements you may have in the Chat
2. IU Health Assessment - Melissa Dexter (15 minutes)
3. Program – Alzheimer – Bess Witcosky, Director of Joyful Journey, introduced by Don Shrieber (55 minutes)
4. Announcements – Barb Clark (5 minutes)
  - a. The July 4<sup>th</sup> DRT meeting will be held on July 11<sup>th</sup>.
  - b. Co-facilitator for DRT will be Jackie Thomas-Miller
  - c. New Steering Team member is Ben Carson
  - d. Coordinator for Summer Festivals are Ben Carson and Joan Marshall
5. Summer Festivals – Barb Clark (5 minutes)
  - a. Juneteenth – June 15<sup>th</sup>, noon – 4 pm at Columbian Park
  - b. OUTFest – August 17<sup>th</sup>, 4 pm – midnight at 5<sup>th</sup> and Main Streets
  - c. Hanna Fest – September 2<sup>nd</sup>, noon – 4 pm at Columbian Park
  - d. Latino Festival – September 14<sup>th</sup>, noon – 5 pm at Columbian Park
  - e. Global Fest – September 21<sup>st</sup>, 3 – 10 pm at WL Chauncey Ave Plaza
6. Future Topics – Barb Clark (5 minutes)
  - a. June 6 – United Way’s ALICE report (Sheila Rosenthal and Harry Targ)
  - b. July 11 – Latrice Ligon, District 4 - Health Equity Community Health Worker, COVID 19 vaccine hesitancies and any other health disparities that district 4 communities are experiencing
  - c. August 1 - Red Cross – Ashley Smith
  - d. Sept 5 – Maternal/Infant Health Disparities in Tippecanoe County, Lindsay Mputubwele, founder of Transformed Birth Services
  - e. October 3 – Rhonda Stein, Harm Reduction Advocate (Sheila Rosenthal)