

MLK Celebration Committee Meeting
January 4, 2023
11AM
Virtual - Zoom

Members Present: Rob Daves, Bernard Greene

Public: Jack Curtis

Other: Caitlin Starr (ODICR)

Minutes

1. 12/15/22 minutes approved
2. 2023 MLK Day Event (Monday January 16th at 3PM at the Coolidge Corner Theatre)
 - a. Updates
 - Rob made reservations at Bar Cino at 6PM for Ed and group
 - Rob will pick Ed up at airport
 - CCT is fully capable of Zooming Ed in as a fallback should Ed not be able to travel for any reason.
 - 189 tickets have been registered for as of last week. CCT was holding back 30 for performers, but Joyful Voices has about 35 performers for this event so Rob asked them to hold 45.
 - Joyful Voices is providing their own ASL interpreters; Caitlin will let Sarah know.
 - b. Review Printed Program text
 - Use Harvey's full clip of Bobbie. In full, Bobbie's Remembrance will be about 6 min.
 - Still waiting for Regie's poem – title, text, length and bio text
 - Move Jennifer Barber to after "Spotlight"
 - Bernard needs to update his Bio – will send to Rob
 - EEO paragraph, Caitlin edit and send to Rob
 - Add affiliations to the list of "Special Thanks"
 - c. On Screen Images and Videos
 - Screen wash needs date update
 - Rob looked for CRM songs and found 2 on Smithsonian Folkways
 1. Calypso Freedom by Willie Peacock
 2. It isn't Nice by Barbara Dane and the Chamber Brothers
 - Rob was given permission to use both songs as background music as the audience files out of the Theatre.
 - Rob will put together slides with videos and images/music
 - d. Historical Timeline
 - Caitlin will make suggested edits
 - Caitlin send Ken Liss contact to Bernard
3. Next Meeting
 - a. **Wednesday January 11th at 1pm**