

CJP Steering Committee Meeting Notes

March 21, 2024 - Steering Committee Meeting #5

- Attendees: Monique, Sonrisa, Jairaj, Tim, Brendon, John M, Kim V, Desiree Eden Ocampo, Xitlali Torres, Siraat Younas, Samantha Hernandez, Taren Evans, Jona Davis, Nakisha Nathan, Sam Guthman, Frida Teske, Lori O'Neill, Alma Pinto

Intros

Brendon Haggerty, Healthy Homes and Community manager in the Health Department, introduced himself. Other SC attendees introduced themselves.

Workplan Update (Monique)

- CJP Framework document and Targeted Universalism are foundational docs/concepts for this work.
- Universal goals - what we aspire for all communities. Targeted strategies - address the needs of communities who are farthest from those goals. Not just about vulnerabilities, but could be system barriers, folks who lack connection to solution spaces.
- March 14th - held optional workshop to worksmithing Universal Goals -
- Staff will begin working with the SC to identify community engagement pathways. Important and big topic.

Proposed Structure/Outline of the CJP (Monique)

- Outline to start to provide structure to an end product. Building off the work of the SC, staff would like to start building the background information. But it is a working document, with SC playing a key role in its development. Add comments, ask questions. The most critical piece will be the universal goals and targeted strategies, which is driven by the SC.
- MS shared the decision making framework, thumbs up to open hand.
- Vote to allow staff to begin drafting beginning sections of the plan. Universal thumbs up.

Universal Goals (Sonrisa)

- SC has seen different versions of these. Workshopped language with some SC members last week. Reason to vote is to allow the group to move into the strategy phase of discussion. Universal Goals can continue to be changed, no need to wordsmith at this point, vote is to signal a general agreement with the sentiment of the goal. Nothing is set in stone.

Consensus vote on universal goals

- Discussion - need to clarify Multnomah County in the first one, versus everywhere in the second one (see comment in the other doc). Need for a

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header, clarification around jurisdiction scope that these apply to. The plan is for Multnomah County as a government and as a geography, and especially the communities within.

- Universal goals are the priority areas of the plan, shaping/defining what we mean by climate justice.
- Taren raised the question that the goal itself doesn't fully describe the breadth of what it means, the description in the other document helps spell that out. The first one for example doesn't necessarily describe the procedural justice/power sharing that is important to the goal.
- Monique - Draft universal goals are a starting point, further refined as we explore the strategies and engage with other community members.

Workforce Development Universal Goal

- Sam - Conversation around "good jobs" - doesn't think we should use the word "good"
- Desiree Eden - agrees with Sam - and thinks it should be green jobs - this term has a specific definition
- Xitlali - prefer green jobs to good jobs -
- Nakisha thinks that there will be ej focused jobs - but service industry jobs are not necessarily green - to have work that is meaningful and isn't harming people and our environment. Are these universal goals in perpetuity? Not that people have access - but that is what exists
- Nakisha - complex to think about, because some of the goals are self fulfilling if we have made an energy transition, for example, then you won't be at risk from fossil fuel infrastructure.

Transportation Universal Goal

- Siraat - should also be well connected and accessible, not only walkable and bikeable. Let's try wordsmithing this.
- Taren has concerns about that aspect of the goal. Not a UG if it can't apply to everyone.
- Xitlali is asking what does everyone think about "Everyone has the freedom and resources to move in public spaces with intentional human design"
- Kim - focus has been away from car-centric - can reword this.

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Consensus vote #1 - Universal Goals

Draft universal goals	Votes
Every community member has the opportunity to contribute to climate justice in Multnomah County.	● Alma (NWECC) - Up ● Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) –Sideways ● John (SEI) - Up ● Jona (NAACP EJ) Up ● Kim (MYC)-Up ● Frida (MYC)-Up ● Lorri (Unite Oregon) - ● Samantha (OPSR)-Up ● Siraat (CEP)- Sideways ● Taren (CCC)-Sideways ● Xitlali (Verde)-Sideways ● Sam (APANO) -Sideways ● Nakisha (NCA) –Sideways
Every community member breathes clean and healthy air.	● Alma (NWECC) - up ● Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) – up ● John (SEI) - Up ● Jona (NAACP EJ) - up ● Kim (MYC)- up ● Frida (MYC)- up ● Lorri (Unite Oregon) - up ● Samantha (OPSR)- up ● Siraat (CEP)-Up ● Taren (CCC)- up ● Xitlali (Verde)- up ● Sam (APANO) - sideways ● Nakisha (NCA) –Up
Every community member is resilient to extreme weather events and other impacts of the climate crisis.	● Alma (NWECC) - up ● Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) – up ● John (SEI) - up ● Jona (NAACP EJ) - up ● Kim (MYC)- sideways ● Frida (MYC)-up ● Lorri (Unite Oregon) - up ● Samantha (OPSR)- up

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	• Siraat (CEP)- up • Taren (CCC)- up • Xitlali (Verde)- up • Sam (APANO) - up • Nakisha (NCA) –Up
Every community member is surrounded by and connected to nature, parks, and green infrastructure.	• Alma (NWECC) - sideways • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) – up • John (SEI) - up • Jona (NAACP EJ) - up • Kim (MYC)- up • Frida (MYC)- up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - up • Samantha (OPSR)- up • Siraat (CEP)- up • Taren (CCC)- up • Xitlali (Verde)- up • Sam (APANO) - sideways • Nakisha (NCA) –Up
Every community member has access to wealth-building opportunities and good jobs.	• Alma (NWECC) - up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) – down • John (SEI) - up • Jona (NAACP EJ) - sideways • Kim (MYC)- up • Frida (MYC)- • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - Up • Samantha (OPSR)- up • Siraat (CEP)-Side • Taren (CCC)- Up • Xitlali (Verde)- down • Sam (APANO) - down • Nakisha (NCA) -down
Every community member can use affordable, accessible, reliable, and safe active transportation connected to walkability and bikeability.	• Alma (NWECC) - up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) –Up • John (SEI) - Up • Jona (NAACP EJ) - Sideways • Kim (MYC)-Up • Frida (MYC)-Up

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	• Lorri (Unite Oregon) - up • Samantha (OPSR)-Sideways • Siraat (CEP)- down • Taren (CCC)-Down • Xitlali (Verde)- sideways • Sam (APANO) -Up • Nakisha (NCA) –Down
Every community member has access to affordable clean energy.	• Alma (NWECC) - Up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) – up • John (SEI) - up • Jona (NAACP EJ)Up • Kim (MYC)- up • Frida (MYC)- up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - up • Samantha (OPSR)-Up • Siraat (CEP)-Up • Taren (CCC)-Up • Xitlali (Verde)- up • Sam (APANO) - sideways • Nakisha (NCA) –down
Every community member has access to healthy, culturally-specific food and can engage in their culturally-relevant practices to obtain and prepare their foods.	• Alma (NWECC) - up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) – up • John (SEI) - up • Jona (NAACP EJ) - up/sideways • Kim (MYC)- up • Frida (MYC)- up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - up • Samantha (OPSR)- up • Siraat (CEP)- up • Taren (CCC)- up • Xitlali (Verde)- sideways • Sam (APANO) - up • Nakisha (NCA) –Sideways
Every community member has safe, healthy, and permanently affordable housing.	• Alma (NWECC) - Up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) –Up • John (SEI) - Up • Jona (NAACP EJ) Up

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	• Kim (MYC)-Up • Frida (MYC)-Up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) -Up • Samantha (OPSR)-Up • Siraat (CEP)-up • Taren (CCC)- sideways • Xitlali (Verde)-Up • Sam (APANO) - sideways • Nakisha (NCA) –Up
Every community member is safe from the dangers posed by fossil fuels and fossil fuel infrastructure.	• Alma (NWECC) - Up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) –Up • John (SEI) - Up • Jona (NAACP EJ) - up • Kim (MYC)- up • Frida (MYC)- up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - Up • Samantha (OPSR)-sideways • Siraat (CEP)- sideways • Taren (CCC)- • Xitlali (Verde)- thumbs up • Sam (APANO) -Thumbs Down • Nakisha (NCA) –Thumbs Down
Every community member has access to rivers where they can swim and fish for food.	• Alma (NWECC) - Up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) –Sideways • John (SEI) - up • Jona (NAACP EJ)Sideways • Kim (MYC)-Up • Frida (MYC)-Up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - Up • Samantha (OPSR)-Up • Siraat (CEP)-Up • Taren (CCC)-Down • Xitlali (Verde)-Up • Sam (APANO) -Down • Nakisha (NCA) –Down

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NEW: Every community member has access to holistic and quality healthcare.	• Alma (NWECC) - Up • Desiree Eden (Rahab's Sisters) –Sideways • John (SEI) - Up • Jona (NAACP EJ)Up • Kim (MYC)- up • Frida (MYC) - Up • Lorri (Unite Oregon) - Up • Samantha (OPSR)-Up • Siraat (CEP) Up • Taren (CCC)-Up • Xitlali (Verde)- up • Sam (APANO) -Up • Nakisha (NCA) –Sideways
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