

West Task Force Minutes  
January 23, 2015  
Houston, TX

The Task Force meeting convened at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, January 23 with the sharing of joys and concerns. The meeting opened with prayer.

Present: Joe Nelson (Chairperson), Lawrence Low, Pat Osoinach, Cynthia White (Staff), Wesley Woo

Excused: Mark Downs, Laura Krauss

The agenda was approved.

The November 2014 Conference Call Minutes were approved as circulated.

The Project Status Report was reviewed. The staff is asked to change the format of the Project Status Report as some members are unable to open.

The Task Force reviewed the précis to be presented to the National Committee:

SW14001/Northern Cheyenne Utilities Commission  
SW14010/Invernadero Comunitario Racias/Roots Community Greenhouse  
SW14012/African Immigrant Support Group

Joe Nelson reported that the Multi-Cultural Alliance for a Safe Environment (funded in September 2014) has submitted the revised budget as requested.

SW14014/Families in Criminal Justice/The Mothers Right Project – Los Angeles – **Rejected** not owned nor controlled by the incarcerated families benefitting

Based on their review of the 2015 budget the Task Force will hold all of its 2015 meetings electronically (preferably using Go-to-Meeting). Meetings were scheduled for:

March 6 at 3:00 p.m. (all eastern standard time)  
July 17 @ 3:00 p.m.  
November 13 @ 3:00 p.m.

Staff asked to send information on local churches within 200 mile radius to each of the Task Force members.

The meeting adjourned with closing prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Cynthia E. White, Recorder