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Meeting Minutes Thursday, January 24th, 2013 Nurses Hall, State House

Absent Commissioners are highlighted on left.
Remote Participants are indicated by an asterisk*.

1. Review of 12/4/2012 minutes.
 - Kajal Chattopadhyay motioned to accept minutes, seconded by Kay Dong. Motion carried by a unanimous vote.
2. Election of 2013 officers
 - Grace Lee elected as Chairperson
 - Karen Tseng elected as Vice Chairperson
 - Kajal Chattopadhyay elected as Treasurer
 - Priti Rao elected as Secretary
3. Identify a regular schedule for the monthly meeting.
Identify a tentative Commission retreat date.
 - Jason will send out a poll.
4. Review the 2013 draft calendar of events.
5. 2013 Unity Dinner update.
 - The date is Tuesday, May 14th at Boston University. Dr. Tom Lee has accepted the keynote position.
6. Subcommittee updates.
Admin / Finance
PR / Legislation
Program - Unity Dinner
Program - Young Leaders Symposium
Program - Healthcare
Program - Economic Development
 - Wingkay Leung joined Admin/Finance, Elisa Choi joined Unity Dinner and Healthcare.
7. Old business
New Business
 - Karen suggested bringing in volunteers to amplify the Commission's work.
 - Chris suggested having official nametags and will send Jason more info.
 - Ken An suggested starting a cultural awareness program.