Sullivan County Human Rights Commission Minutes of the Monthly Meeting Thursday, March 9, 2017

Present: Judy, Gabriel, Kathie, Sam, Peggy, Bill (and guest: Iris)

Meeting called to order at 5:25 at the Monticello Library.

- I. January minutes approved
- II. Strategic Plan a motion was made to approve the plan, and all approved.
- III. Policies and Procedures have been approved by the Legislature.
- IV. Discussion: Eileen Haworth Weil Scholarship Fund a motion was made to authorize the Eileen Haworth Weil Scholarship subcommittee to undertake necessary actions to assure the continued success of the Scholarship Fund, and that motion was approved. We will report back to the Board.
- V. Response to recent anti-semitic events
 - a. Peggy will compose a letter denouncing acts of hate which have been occurring in many places in the country.
 - Discussion: organizing an anti-hate forum to include a panel re: anti-semitism, islamophobia, anti-immigrant, LGBTQ
- VI. Executive Session: New Commissioner

Meeting adjourned at 6:10 to host the speaker from the NYCLU who will speak about "The Rights of Immigrants," in the library.