

Committee Agenda Report

Committee Name: Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Advisory Committee (EDIAC)

Meeting Date: Thursday, February 13, 2025

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Topic: Review the Significant Dates Calendar

Background:

The Communications division has updated the calendar on the municipal website to include significant dates. The dates automatically appear when the calendar is first loaded. Users may also select "Significant Dates" from the category drop down to see only them. Staff are working on populating the calendar for the entire year using calendars published by various organizations. EDIAC members are encouraged to send any dates with a brief description that may have gotten missed.

Figure 1: Calendar with "All categories" selected

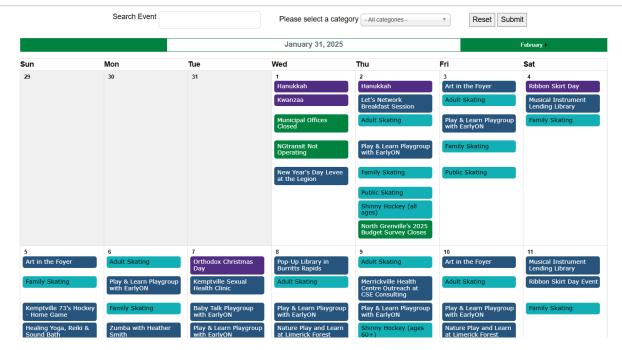


Figure 2: Calendar with "Significant Dates" selected

		January 31, 2025				February)	
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
29	30	31	1 Hanukkah Kwanzaa	2 Hanukkah	3	Ribbon Skirt Day	
5	6	7 Orthodox Christmas Day	8	9	10	Ribbon Skirt Day Event	
12	Spirit Moon (Mnido Giizis)	Orthodox New Year	15	16	17	18	
19	20	Lincoln Alexander Day	22	23	24	25	
26	International Day of Commemoration in memory of the victims of the Holocaust	28	29 Lunar New Year	30	31	1	

How does this relate to the Committee:

One of the actions included in the Equity Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) Strategy is:

Develop a calendar recognizing dates of significance from many traditions. Bring to EDIAC for review and suggestions

How does this relate to the community strategic plan:

Strategic Pillar 5: A Caring Community

Strategic Priority 5.3: Continue to Improve Equity, Diversity, Inclusion, and Reconciliation

Outcome:

Review the calendar and provide any feedback.