

**ST. MARY'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
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St. Mary's County Human Relations Commission  
St. Mary's County Governmental Center  
October 14, 2009  
Minutes

Attendees: James Hanley; Chair, Theo Cramer; Vice-Chair, Kimberly Beachy and Leisha Wood.  
Excused: Robert Cryer; Staff Liaison: Cynthia Brown  
Guest Speaker: Karen Everett, St. Mary's County Public Information Officer

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson James Hanley at 5:35pm. Karen Everett explained upcoming plans surrounding the 2010 Census and stated census activity are scheduled to begin with a mailing in February -March 2010. She asked if the HRC had any ideas to reach county residents, particularly minorities and under-represented populations. She indicated that a reliable count will help the county secure funds/grants and can impact redistricting, etc. The projected resident count in 2010 is 110,000.

The membership reviewed and accepted the September minutes.

There was brief discussion about the Awards Breakfast and it was decided to address more details at the next meeting.

Kimberly Beachy mentioned some opportunities that could involve the HRC and the membership agreed to explore further at a subsequent meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 6:15pm

Minutes respectfully submitted by James Hanley