## Alexandria Sister Cities Committee May '23 Meeting – Monday 15 May 2023

## • Attendance:

- In-person: Eric Compton, Paul Anderson, Diana Price, Sarah Ramsey, David Vondle, Karen Parsons, Esther Petrilli-Massey, Kurt Eberle, Phil Dawit, and Whiney Harris (Office of Historic Alexandria)
- o Reported Absent: Stacie Andersen
- o Excused Absence: James Morrison, Kathryn Johnson
- Meeting held at the Lloyd House; called to order at approximately 7:02 pm
- Introduction of our two newest members: Kurt Eberle and Phil Dawit
- Minutes review and approval
  - o February '23 (Revised): Esther: motioned; David: seconded; unanimously approved
  - o March '23: Esther: motioned; David: seconded; unanimously approved
  - o April '23: Karen: motioned; Esther: seconded; unanimously approved
- Old Business
  - o Follow-up to prior Brainstorming
    - Eric to reach out to Caen Committee chair re meet-up
    - David to propose soccer game event
    - Mid-Summer Gin/Aquavit Cocktail Event; tentatively scheduled for June 22, 2024 (Saturday closest to summer solstice), 5-7pm at the Lloyd House
- New Business
  - Sunday June 4: Caen Committee's Annual D-Day Commemoration; our committee was invited to participate; we turned it down insufficient time to plan
- Next meeting: Monday June 12, 2023 at the Lloyd House (moved ahead 1-week due to Juneteenth holiday)
- Meeting adjourned: ~7:59 pm

EBC Secretary 8 June 2023