

Norman Above Bullying and A Community Together Symposium
A Community Event Focusing on Bullying
Hosted by Norman Public Schools
Minutes

December 3, 2013
7:00 p.m.

The City Council of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, were invited to attend “Norman Above Bullying and A Community Together” Symposium held at the Nancy O’Brian Center for Performing Arts located at 1809 Stubbeman Drive at at 7:00 p.m on December 3, 2013, and notice of the Symposium was posted at the Municipal Building at 201 West Gray 48 hours prior to the event. Although this meeting was not a regularly scheduled meeting of Council a quorum of Council was present; therefore, a summary of the meeting was recorded as required by the Open Meeting Act.

PRESENT:	Councilmembers Castleberry, Griffith, Holman, Kovach, Williams, Mayor Rosenthal
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ABSENT:	Councilmembers Heiple, Jungman, and Miller
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Program and Speakers

Welcome – David Spain: The Xenia Institute

Introduction of Speaker: Keith Humphrey, Police Chief, Norman Police Department

Key Note Speaker: Wes Moore, New York Times Best-Selling Author

Introduction of Panelists: David Whitaker, Norman Regional Health Systems

Panelists

Sharon Heatly, Director of Guidance and Counseling, Norman Public Schools

Dr. Farhan Jawed, Norman Regional Hospital

Police Chief Keith Humphrey, City of Norman Police Department

Clark Mitchell, Founding Senior Pastor, Journey Church

Wes Moore, Facilitator

Panel Discussion

- What is Bullying?
- How Can We Prevent It?”

Panel members participated in a discussion defining bullying and ways the community could work together to prevent it. Attendees were encouraged to sign pledges agreeing to join together to stamp out bullying in the community.

The Symposium ended at approximately 9:00 p.m.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor