Committee on Diverse Communities

Goal Setting Outcomes 2012-2013:

The following deliverables were selected as a platform for our group moving forward:

- 1. Conduct roundtable discussions at League Conferences or Department Meetings that focus on the ways in which diversity has influenced the professional experiences of City Managers. We discussed the need for a catchy theme that would attract people to the discussion.
 - **Project Lead:** Maya Williams (Maya is currently researching established programs, conferences, seminars that the committee could participate and hold roundtable discussions). Maya will be providing the group with an update at our next Committee Meeting -3/29/12.
- 2. Provide a library of resources for City Managers and leaders to be available on the website. The resources will include a variety of training, consultant services, publications on diversity, and resource links to other professional associations that provide related services.

Project Lead(s): Margaret Silveira and Renee Mendez

3. Website Development – Determine the technology capabilities and limits of the League's current website. Secure ways to make access to our web page easier and give the page a better look and feel. We would like to have the web page designed to have search capabilities once our resource library is developed.

Project Lead: Dee Williams-Ridley

4. Touring different Cities and holding similar roundtable discussions to help raise the awareness of diversity and share the rich experiences and concept that this level of leadership is achievable/attainable for people of all ethnicities, genders and preferences.

Project Lead(s): Greg Nyhoff & Dee Williams- Ridley

5. Diversity Award – Full committee participation needed

Mission Statement:

We decided that the mission statement needed some work but that it was best to work on that together as a committee.