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EDC November 23, 2021 meeting minutes

Discussion:
1. Follow-up to Jenn Goodnough and Tammy Berberi’s visit last meeting
2. Follow-up to Liz’s visit to the Cities, regarding restructuring all-University DEI (See Michael Goh’s email)
3. Land acknowledgement discussion
   a. What are ways to go beyond the recognition of a land acknowledgement?
      i. collaborating with Tribal elders and Native students
      ii. awareness of the tuition waiver as part of the first year orientation and IC courses
      iii. Teaching and educational workshops led by Kevin Whalen and Becca Gercken
      iv. First year experience course—the history of our campus and Indigenous forms of knowledge
      v. Summer programs led by faculty and organized by the Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs
4. Suggested guests for future EDC meetings
5. Update on communications with Chancellor regarding the CDO (Chief Diversity Officer) position