

MINUTES
YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION
CITY OF MILPITAS

Minutes: Meeting of the Youth Advisory Commission (YAC)
Date of Meeting: Thursday, August 11, 2022
Place of Meeting: Milpitas City Hall Committee Conference Room.

Chair Rachel Plummer called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

A. Roll Call

Committee Members Present:

Nia Gupte, Crystal Huang, Rachel Plummer, Nitya Kaki, and Srinand Mudunuri

Committee Member Alternates Present:

Nitya Kaki and Srinand Mudunuri

Committee Members Absent:

Elizabeth Jiang and Khloe Cruz

City Staff Present:

Staff Liaison, Anthony Teschera
Staff Liaison, Joshua Clevenger
Recording Secretary, Ming Chen

City Council Liaison Present:

Councilmember Chua

B. Seating of Alternates Srinand Mudunuri and Nitya Kaki

C. Pledge of Allegiance Commissioner Rachel Plummer led the Commission in the Pledge of Allegiance.

D. Approval of Agenda **Motion** Approve, August 11, 2022 Agenda
M/S: R. Plummer/N. Kaki Ayes: All

E. Approval of Minutes **Motion** Approve, June 9, 2022 Minutes
M/S: N. Gupte/N. Kaki Ayes: N. Gupte, S. Mudunuri, N. Kaki

Abstain: C. Huang, R. Plummer

F. Announcements/Correspondence

Staff expressed the two vacant seats should be filled by the next meeting.

G. Public Forum

None

H. Business Items

1. Work Plan 2022-23 – City Staff/Commission

The Commission has agreed to bring back the Spelling Bee and the Coding Competition. Commission had a discussion regarding types of charity drive and agreed that the best time to have a Coat drive would be around Black Friday. The Staff also encouraged collaboration with the Teen Center for any charity drive. The Commission would like to have a bigger turnout of high schoolers for the Coding Competition and has suggested starting the event earlier in the school year to accommodate their schedules.

2. Expectations of the Commission

Commission acknowledged the expectations to take initiative, participate and encourage involvement.

3. Teen Center Events – City Staff

Staff is encouraging the Commission to collaborate with the Teen Center staff to help brainstorm ideas for the Teen Center's Welcome Back event.

I. City Staff Liaison Report

2022-23 Chair and Co-Chair nominations will take place next meeting.

J. City Council Liaison Report

Councilmember Chua had a climate change presentation. Councilmember Chua also expressed to the Commission that high schoolers have an interest in the climate change subject and suggested to the Commission to include that in future events.

K. Future Agenda Items

Nominate for Chair and Co-Chair

L. Adjournment

There being no further business, Commissioner Rachel Plummer adjourned the meeting at 7:36pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ming Chen
Recording Secretary