



CITY OF MILPITAS

Youth Advisory Commission

MEETING MINUTES

6:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 9, 2023

40 N. Milpitas Blvd. Milpitas, CA 95035

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Plummer called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Chair Plummer called the roll.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Commissioners Rachel Plummer, Crystal Huang, Natalie Chen, Ashton Chen, Nia Gupte, Parnika Sadhu, Nitya Kaki, Vanessa Lam

ABSENT: Commissioner Srinand Mudunuri,

City Liaison: NA

City Staff: Joshua Clevenger – Recreation Supervisor
Vince Collantes – Acting Recreation Program Coordinator
Ming Chen – Public Service Assistant II

PLEDGE of ALLEGIANCE

Chair Plummer led the pledge of allegiance.

ALTERNATE SEATING

Alternate member Ashton Chen was seated in place of Srinand Mudunuri.
Alternate member Parnika Sadhu was seated in place of Vanessa Lam.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion/Second Plummer/Gupte

AYES: All

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion/Second Kaki/Huang

AYES: Huang, Gupte, Lam, Sadhu, N. Chen, A. Chen, Kaki

ABSTAIN: Plummer

PUBLIC FORUM

NA

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NA

BUSINESS ITEMS

A. Coding Competition

Background: The Commission is planning a Coding Competition on Saturday, February 11, 2023 from 1-4 p.m. Staff is requesting the Commission to continue discussing the Coding Competition and finalize all details

Recommendation: Review all details of the Coding Competition, what each commissioner's assignment is at the competition, and finalize any outstanding details prior to the start of the event.

City staff notified Commission of the cancellation of the Coding Competition due to low enrollment.

B. Spelling Bee

Background: The Commission is planning a Spelling Bee Competition on Friday, March 10 from 4-8 p.m. Staff is request the Commission to continue discussing the Spelling Bee Competition.

Recommendation: Continue discussion for the competition including the plan of the competition, identify potential prizes and gifts, identify potential judges, and determine word list for the competition.

Staff suggest to the Commission to move location of the Spelling Bee from the from the Senior Center's Community Room to the Sports Center's Gymnasium.

Commissioner Gupte has volunteered to be the MC for the Spelling Bee.

Rules of the Spelling Bee will be the same from the previous year.

Motion to proceed with the above plan for the Spelling Bee.

M/S: Plummer/Kaki

Ayes: All

LIAISON REPORT

A. Report from City Staff

Shared to the Commission of the upcoming Holi Festival and the Teen Center's Creative Writing Workshop.

B. Report from City Liaison

NA

UPCOMING AGENDA

Milpitas Youth Force
Earth Day

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Plummer adjourned the meeting at 6:23 p.m. The next Commission meeting will be on February 9, 2023 at 6 p.m.