



City of San Leandro

Civic Center
835 East 14th Street
San Leandro, California

Minutes

Youth Advisory Commission

Tuesday, December 5, 2023

6:00 PM

Marina Community Center, Room B

1. ROLL CALL

Meeting was called to order at 6:06PM.

Chair Victoria Bammer

Mohamad Abdellatif, Cassandra Bammer, Brian Chen, Olivia Fernandez, Sofia Gonzalez, Robyn Henson, Kayla Lam, Fedora Lei, Diona Li, Julia Li, Vivian Li, Megan Lin, Julianna Morales, Emily Ngo, Jasmine Pham, Benjamin Prater, Olive Seligman, Athena Velazquez, Keyshawn Ward, Jessica Woo, Ruby Wool-Baum,
Secretary, Liz Hodgins

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA OF December 5, 2023

MSC (Kayla Lam, Keyshawn Ward) to accept the agenda as submitted (22 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain, 8 Absent).

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF November 21, 2023

MSC (Cassandra Bammer, Athena Velazquez) to accept the minutes as submitted (22 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain, 8 Absent).

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

5. ORAL REPORT OF SECRETARY

5.A. YAC Calendar

Secretary Liz Hodgins will send a survey to determine members' availability to participate in upcoming special events, including Cookies and Cocoa with Santa and the MLK Celebration.

5.B. Next YAC Meeting is December 19, 2023

6. COMMITTEE REPORTS

None.

7. LIAISON REPRESENTATIVES

7.A. Recreation and Parks Commission (Representatives Rotate)

Dominic Zahradka will attend the 12/6/2023 Recreation and Parks Commission meeting and report back.

7.B. City Council (Representatives Rotate)

Athena Velazquez attended the 12/4/2023 City Council Meeting and reported back about topics discussed, including housing project updates as well as public comments about ceasefire.

Keyshawn Ward will attend the 12/18/2023 City Council meeting.

8. NEW BUSINESS**8.A. YAC and Optimist Club**

Chair Victoria Bammer, Co-Chair Sam Fitting, and Secretary Liz Hodgins will attend the Optimist Club meeting on 12/7/2023 to report on YAC term goals, projects, and events.

9. OLD BUSINESS**9.A. Discussion of YAC term goals**

YAC further discussed term goals.

9.B. Discussion of events and fundraising ideas

YAC further discussed ideas, including tentative dates for the Outdoor Movie Night as well as brainstormed hosting a night market event.

10. COMMISSION COMMENTS

Kayla Lam reported that on Sunday, November 26, 2023, Gxrl Up SLHS and YAC successfully hosted a meal prep event in partnership with Building Futures, a local nonprofit dedicated to serving women and children impacted by domestic violence.

Keyshawn Ward commented on the It's a Wonderful Night event, which was held on Friday, December 1, 2023 in downtown San Leandro. Secretary Liz Hodgins, further expressed gratitude for YAC members who volunteered at the event.

Chair Victoria Bammer reminded YAC members of the rules relating to order and decorum.

11. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:07PM.