



City of San Leandro

City Hall
835 East 14th Street
San Leandro, California

Draft Minutes

Youth Advisory Commission

Tuesday, January 7, 2025

6:00 PM

Marina Community Center, Thunderbolt Room

1. CALL TO ORDER PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 PM. Vice Chair Kayla Lam led the Pledge of Allegiance and Chair Victoria Bammer took roll.

Present: Chair Victoria Bammer, Vice Chair Kayla Lam, Commissioners Cassandra Bammer, Jason Fang, Olivia Fernandez, Sam Fitting, Elizabeth Fraire, Kacey Guo, Wenhui He, Ann Kieu, Violet Lau, Annie Lei, Fedora Lei, Julia Li, Vivian Li, Megan Lin, Damian Lopez, Stephanie Lopez, Julianna Morales, Joshua Ngo, Kevin Parra, Jasmine Pham, Emilio Piñones Campos, Olive Seligman, Athena Velazquez, Jessica Woo, and Ruby Wool-Baum

Excused: Morgan Pittman and Jacqueline Wong

Absent: Mohamad Abdellatif

2. ANNOUNCEMENTS

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

3.A. APPROVAL OF AGENDA OF January 7, 2025

Commissioner Olivia Fernandez moved to approve the agenda, with Olive Seligman seconding the motion, which passed with 21 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 Abstention.

3.B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF December 17, 2024

Commissioner Cassandra Bammer moved to approve the minutes, with Vivian Li seconding the motion, which passed with 21 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 Abstention.

4. CITY STAFF REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liz Hodgins, YAC Secretary, provided updates on upcoming events, including Karaoke on January 10 and the MLK Celebration on January 18, encouraging YAC members to promote, participate, and volunteer. She also shared the Spring Activities Guide and noted that resident registration opens on January 18 at 9am. Additionally, Liz mentioned upcoming presentations, including SAVE and Teen Impact Driver Training.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

6. PRESENTATIONS

No presentations.

7. ACTION ITEMS

7.A. Discussion and planning for hosting an outdoor movie night

Secretary Liz Hodgins confirmed that the outdoor movie night will be held on Friday, June 13, at Washington Manor Park. YAC discussed theme ideas and movie titles. After voting on potential titles, Commissioner Olivia Fernandez moved to show the movie Cars, with Commissioner Cassandra Bammer seconding the motion, which passed with 21 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 Abstentions.

8. COMMISSION REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chair Victoria Bammer confirmed she dropped off blanket donations at Calico, a local non-profit providing comfort items to children.

Commissioner Violet Lau shared her experience at Cookies and Cocoa with Santa. Vice Chair Kayla Lam announced that the SLHS Gxrl Up had a successful period product drive, collecting over 10,000 products to be donated to Building Futures. Commissioner Jacqueline Wong sent Secretary Liz Hodgins a list of suggestions, including the possibility of starting a group messaging system, ideas for better event promotion, and the suggestion to begin each meeting with an icebreaker activity.

Vivian Li reported on the 1/6/2025 City Council meeting, highlighting a resolution to construct two storm water trash capture devices, updates to the Master Salary Schedule, and a discussion regarding the construction of an 80-foot high wireless telecommunications facility.

Joshua Ngo will attend the 1/8/2025 Recreation and Parks Commission meeting, and Mohammad Abdellatif will listen to the 1/21/2025 City Council meeting. Both will report back at the next meeting.

9. ADJOURN

Vice Chair Kayla Lam moved to adjourn the meeting, with Chair Victoria Bammer seconding the motion, which passed with 21 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 Abstention.

The meeting adjourned at 6:52 PM.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Liz Hodgins, Secretary

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