



Minutes Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission October 10, 2023

Minutes of the MAYOR'S YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION (MYAC) held on Tuesday October 10, 2023, 5:39 pm.

(MEMBERS) Present:

Mackenzie Beattie
Sydney Braun
Jaz'myn Flakes
Axel Forbes
Shae Ghosh
Anisha Grayson
Hazel Hurlbut
Tamsin Hurlbut
Caleb Ku
Sophia Lombardi
Vera Lim
Malaya McCorvey
Esha Mulimani
Emma Rodriguez
Rucha Sathe
Chiara Scornavacca
Punya Suresh
Rati Tabatadze
Lia Taylor
Shingkwan Wang
Alix Walker
Kailana Williams
Olivia Winsor
Katrina Williams

(MEMBERS) Absent:

Riteesha Asam
Eli Block
Natalie Epperson
Jillian McDonald
Riya Nannapaneni
Brian Reyes

City Staff Present:

Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor
Jenna Rose, MYAC Intern
Evelyn Brumfield, Sustainability & Resilience Prog Coordinator
Eric Iwersen, Sustainability & Resilience Director

Agenda Item 1 – Meeting Called to Order

Rucha Sathe, Vice Chair, called the meeting to order at 5:39 pm.

Agenda Item 2– Review & Approval of Minutes (May 9th, 2023)

Motion to approve the meeting minutes for May 9th, 2023, by Tamsin Hurlbut. Seconded by Shae Ghosh. Motion passed on a 24-0 vote.

Ayes: Commissioners- Mackenzie Beattie, Sydney Braun, Jaz'myn Flakes, Axel Forbes, Shae Ghosh, Anisha Grayson, Hazel Hurlbut, Tamsin Hurlbut, Caleb Ku, Sophia Lombardi, Vera Lim, Malaya McCorvey, Esha Mulimani, Emma Rodriguez, Rucha Sathe, Chiara Scornavacca, Punya Suresh, Rati Tabatadza, Lia Taylor, Shingkwang Wang, Alix Walker, Kailana Williams, Olivia Winsor, Katrina Williams.

Absent commissioners- Riteesha Asam, Eli Block, Natalie Epperson, Jillian McDonald, Riya Nannapaneni, Brian Reyes.

Agenda Item 3– Transportation Presentation

Tempe Sustainability & Resilience Director Eric Irwensen presented to MYAC commissioners about plans to renovate Mill Avenue. Mill Avenue will be re-designed to include local public art as well as a wider variety of plant life.

Agenda Item 4 – Chair Elections

MYAC Intern Jenna Rose presented to commissioners the chair positions and the election process.

Agenda Item 5 – 8th Grade Mentoring Updates

Vice Chair Rucha Sathe provided updates on the 8th Grade Mentoring Program, describing potential activities as well as a tentative timeline for the program.

Future Agenda Items

- **Review MYAC Priorities**
- **MYAC Chair Elections**
- **8th Grade Mentoring Program Updates**

Meeting adjourned at 7:14 pm.

The next meeting will be on October 24th, 2023

Minutes Prepared by: Sydney Braun, Administrative Recorder

Minutes Reviewed by: Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor

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