



Minutes Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission January 12th, 2021

Minutes of the MAYOR'S YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION (MYAC) held on Tuesday, January 12th, 2021, 4:30 p.m., virtually.

(MEMBERS) Present:

Eleanor Buchta
Shalae Clemens
Denzel Higiro
Kaylee Joshlin
Issyss Kelly
Brooke Kirk
Katie Lim
Jack Masche
Ben Moriarty
Ruben Palmerin
Siri Pattipati
Liliana Pearson
Sofia Piraino
Surabhi Sajith
Devynn Thurston
Melanie Valdez
Sjaahn Washington
Mariam Zubair

(MEMBERS) Absent:

Shea Catero
Sabrina Dagher
Rowan DeBaise
Tyler Johnson
Kristen Pigon
Rachel Russell

City Staff Present:

Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor
Mary Mezey, Social Services Supervisor

Agenda Item 1 – Call to Order

Chairperson, Issyss Kelly, called the meeting to order at 4:31 pm.

Agenda Item 2 – Attendance Roll Call

Surabhi Sajith read the attendance roll call.

Agenda Item 3 – Public Appearances

No public comments.

Agenda Item 4 – Chair and Advisor Remarks

Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor, updated commissioners about ongoing projects including the MYAC newsletter, spring meeting schedule, and new MYAC intern. Adrian also spoke about website updates- communication updates may be shared via the MYAC webpage until a plan to share the newsletter is ready.

Agenda Item 5 – Review and Approval of Minutes- December 8, 2020 Meeting

Sjaahn Washington read the minutes from the December 8th, 2020 meeting.

Motion to approve the meeting minutes for December 8th, 2020. Motion passed on a 18-0 vote.

Ayes: Commissioners- Eleanor Buchta, Shalae Clemens, Denzel Higiroy, Kaylee Joshlin, Issyss Kelly, Brooke Kirk, Katie Lim, Jack Masche, Ben Moriarty, Ruben Palmerin, Siri Pattipati, Liliana Pearson, Sofia Piraino, Surabhi Sajith, Devynn Thurston, Melanie Valdez, Sjaahn Washington, Mariam Zubair

Absent: Commissioners- Shea Catero, Sabrina Dagher, Rowan DeBaise, Tyler Johnson, Kristen Pigon, Rachel Russell

Agenda Item 6 – MYAC Committee Overview

Sofia Piraino, project management chair, and Sjaahn Washington, vice chair, shared information and resources for subcommittees, including directions, roles, and future steps. Commissioners decided on their desired subcommittee and began planning.

Agenda Item 7 – Future Agenda Items

- MYAC subcommittee updates
- Ordinance review, part of Diversity and Inclusion subcommittee

Agenda Item 8 – Subcommittee Breakout Room

Subcommittees met in their respective breakout rooms after the meeting was adjourned.

Meeting adjourned at 5:40 pm.

The next meeting will be on January 26th, 2021.

Minutes Prepared by: Surabhi Sajith, Administrative Recorder

Minutes Reviewed by: Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor

Issyss Kelly, Chair

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