

**Sacramento County Youth Commission**  
 Tomorrow's Leaders Leading Today

Minutes  
 Monday, April 16, 2007

Chair:	Amanda Koire
Vice Chair:	Christine Braziel
Secretary:	Harkirat Hansra

**Attendance:**

District 1	Katie Batten	Absent
	Kristina Wong	X
	<i>Vacant</i>	<i>Vacant</i>
District 2	Elissa Ouchida	Absent
	Clark Taylor	X
	Cynthia Tsay	X
District 3	Amanda Koire	Absent
	Rachel Sussman	X
	Dale Till	X
District 4	Christine Braziel	X
	Naomi Endsley	X
	Leah Bloom	Absent
District 5	Harkirat Hansra	X
	Stacey Howell	Absent
	Tiffany Jones	X

**Advisor:** Michele Watts

**Guests:** Sylvia Perscheid, Supervisor Don Nottoli's Office  
 Paul Hicks, YES (Youth Engaged in Sacramento)

**Agenda:**

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:19 p.m.
2. **Announcements and Comments:**
  - Youth Commissioners Speak is an on-line dialogue regarding youth commissions (May 13-May 16)
  - Survey by CA Research Bureau on State Government is conducting a survey of youth
  - YSPN Announcements circulated
3. **Approve Minutes of March 19, 2007 Meeting:**

- Cynthia motioned to approve the minutes the minutes of the March 19<sup>th</sup> meeting and Rachel seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.
4. **Monitoring of Board of Supervisors Agendas:**
    - The annual child death review team report was presented to the Board
    - April is Child Abuse Prevention Month
    - April/May/June agenda monitoring is assigned to District 2 Commissioners
  5. **Project Updates:**
    - **Safety Fair:** There has been no new information from Mr. Dietrich.
    - **Volunteering at Boys & Girls Club of Sacramento:**
      - We looked over the packet
      - Two hours of volunteering a week may be too much
  6. **Youth Issues Survey Development & Planning:**
    - Questions have been organized by topic and style
    - We can have the survey online and print out copies for distribution
    - Do the survey when school starts in the fall
    - Research Division at Sacramento County Office of Education as Distribution Plan A
    - Straight to Principals as Distribution Plan B
    - Have stacks at libraries and after-school programs
    - Radio programs
    - Demographic type questions
    - No permission slip needed
    - E-mail the survey out to the Commission
    - Add questions from the list that was distributed
  7. **Hands on Sacramento YES (Youth Engaged in Sacramento) Project Presentation:**
    - Hands on Sacramento helps match volunteers with projects
    - YES:
      - Looking for representatives to be ambassadors to schools and youth groups
      - Get people to volunteer
      - Mentor programs wanted
      - Audience is schools and communities
      - Meeting at the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Sacramento at their downtown Sacramento location this Thursday, April 19, 2007 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm
    - Sacramento Children's Book Drive is going on
    - Hands on Sacramento's Children's Book Drive is going on
  8. **Other Business:**
    - No May meeting
      - Correspond on survey through e-mail
  9. The meeting was adjourned at 7:28.