

Sacramento County Youth Commission

Tomorrow's Leaders Leading Today

Minutes
Monday, June 18, 2007

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

Attendance:

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

Advisor: Michele Watts

Guests: None

Agenda:

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:23 p.m.
2. **Announcements and Comments:**
 - Amanda got a certificate from Supervisor Peters recognizing her service on the Youth Commission since 2002.
 - There will be a meeting this week in Oak Park to discuss city government funding for youth programs.
 - Improving Odds for Youth Forum will be held July 10, 2007 and Commissioners who want to attend should talk to Michele.
 - The results of the first Institute for Local Government Web Dialogue for Youth Commissions were shared. Highlights included:
 - Recruit Members

- Share Project Ideas
3. **Approve Minutes of April 16, 2007 Meeting:**
 - Amanda motioned to approve the minutes of the April 16th meeting and Rachel seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.
 4. **Monitoring of Board of Supervisors Agendas:**
 - Expansion of Juvenile Hall
 - Appointment of Stephanie Taylor to the Youth Commission (Clark's Sister)
 5. **Special Election**
 - Harkirat steps down from Secretary position.
 - **Chair:** Harkirat announced his intent to seek the position of Chair. No other Commissioners were nominated. Harkirat was unanimously elected as Chair (6-0)
 - **Vice-Chair:** Rachel announced her intent to seek the position of Vice-Chair. No other Commissioners were nominated. Rachel was unanimously elected as Vice-Chair (6-0)
 - **Secretary:** Cynthia announced her intent to seek the position of Secretary. No other Commissioners were nominated. Cynthia was unanimously elected as Secretary (6-0)
 6. **Project Updates:**
 - **Safety Fair:** Mr. Dietrich has finally contacted Harkirat.
 - Lots of material that can be covered
 - We need to continue discussions with Mr. Dietrich
 7. **Youth Issues Survey Development & Planning:**
 - We have some work to do in contacting Christine for the draft Youth Issues Survey
 8. **Sacramento County Human Services Element**
 - We looked over the proposed document
 - "Human Services" includes Support & Protection: Everything involved with being a human
 - SCYC can provide input on youth issues
 - Read the document for Surinder Singh's presentation next month
 9. **Youth Commission Report to the Board of Supervisors:**
 - 2004 Meeting Report passed around
 - We need to do a write-up on activities since the last report
 - Relay the facts in a positive manner
 10. **Other Business:**
 - We need to get people to come to the meetings

- We need to ensure that everyone shares their opinions and contributes to the meetings
- Amanda officially resigns

11. The meeting was adjourned at 7:20.