

Youth Commission

Goodyear City Hall - Canyon Trails 1 & 2
1900 N. Civic Square
Goodyear, AZ 85395



Wednesday, November 15, 2023

5:30 p.m.

Meeting Minutes

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Omar Abdul-Gawad called the Youth Commission meeting to order at 5:37 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Commissioner Omar Abdul-Gawad; Commissioner Paloma Sanchez; Commissioner Sophia Bobadilla; Commissioner Azyus Byrd; Commissioner Lucy Castro; Commissioner Alexander Godbold; Commissioner Michaela Grumbling; Commissioner Mia Ishay; Commissioner Kadin Keller; Commissioner Marissa Kutt; Commissioner Mackenzie McElDowney; Commissioner Emily McGee; Commissioner Ethan Murillo; Commissioner Sebastian Orozco; Commissioner Analicia Ortiz; Commissioner Aleksander Piatek; Commissioner Natalia Piatek; Commissioner Aariya Singh; Commissioner Ameera Singh; Commissioner Alan Torres Arroyo; Commissioner Aleena Torres; Commissioner Skylar Turner; Commissioner Emma Yocopis

Absent: Commissioner Corina Butierez; Commissioner Ivan Diaz; Commissioner Alanah Doyle; Commissioner Christian Garcia; Commissioner Kaleigh Guajardo; Commissioner Lucas Hamblin; Commissioner Krislyn Lyons; Commissioner Rory Readinger

Staff Present: Community Engagement Coordinator Jeremy Dyck

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

BUSINESS

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approve the draft minutes of the Youth Commission Meeting on October 25, 2023.

MOTION BY Commissioner Paloma Sanchez, **SECONDED BY** Commissioner Michaela Grumbling

2. **PRESENTATIONS**

Presentations for those wanting to attend the League of Cities conference in Washington, D.C. in March 2023. Youth Commission Chair Abdul-Gawad and Co-Chair Sanchez approved four members to attend the National League of Cities (NLC) trip to Washington, D.C. in March 2024.

Analicia Ortiz gave an overview of the Arts & Culture Commission meeting.

Michaela Grumbling gave an overview of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission meeting.

3. **SERVICE OPPORTUNITY**

Emily McGee to update the Commission on a Robotics Fair service opportunity.

NEXT MEETING

Future meetings are tentatively scheduled as follows: January 25, 2024 Youth Commission 5:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss, Chairman Omar Abdul-Gawad adjourned the meeting at 6:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Jeremy Dyck, Board Secretary

Date:_____