



Minutes Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission October 16, 2007

Minutes of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission held on October 16, 2007, 7:00 p.m., at the Tempe, Public Library Board Room, 3500 S. Rural Road 2nd Floor, Tempe, Arizona.

MEMBERS Present: Alex Austin, James Funk, Carmen Gammage, Allie Gorton, Jevin Hodge, Cecilia Iole, Leslie Klein, Enrico Lage, Caitlin Long, Amanda Lovins, Sachin Nair, Corie Owens, Jeremy Pompa, Veekas Shrivastava, Kimberly Trudgen, Gonzola Vilichis, Brant Ziemba and Kurtis Zinger.

MEMBERS Absent: Krystal Thacker

City Staff Present: Kim Bauman

Guests Present: None

Meeting convened at 7:05 p.m.

Allie Gorton called the meeting to order.

Agenda Item 1 – Minutes from October 2, 2007 Meeting

Veekas Shrivastava read the minutes from the October 2, 2007 meeting.

MOTION: **Sachin Nair** motioned to approve the minutes.

SECOND: **Leslie Klein** seconded the motion.

DECISION: Minutes were approved.

Agenda Item 2 – Treasurer's Report

Caitlin Long provided the treasurer's report.

Agenda Item 3- Announcements

- 1) **Kim Bauman** announced that Allie Gorton and Kimberly Trudgen will be attending the National League of Cities Congress of Cities conference next month as Tempe's youth delegates.
- 2) **Allie Gorton** announced that Kimberly and she will be presenting the 2007 Youth Town Hall Report to the Mayor and City Council on November 8, 2007. MYAC members are welcome to attend the Issue Review Session which begins at 6 p.m.
- 3) **Kim Bauman** announced that MYAC's web page has been revised and past Youth Town Hall reports can now be accessed on-line.

Agenda Item 4 – Student Government Day Planning

- 1) **Corie Owens** provided an overview of Student Government Day. The event will be held on January 16, 2008.
- 2) **Kim Bauman** provided information on two possible topics for the mock city council meeting. MYAC members were in consensus that of the two possible choices the issue regarding the licensing of a tattoo parlor in North Tempe would be the best.
- 1) **Corie Owens** had MYAC members break into three planning committees, select a chairperson, begin event planning, and report on their progress to the entire commission.
 - **Caitlin Long, Food Committee Chairperson** reported they decided to use Lisa Kirch Catering for the luncheon. The menu includes meat lasagna, penne pasta with marinara, caesar salad, rolls and butter and brownies. The committee also determined the continental breakfast.
 - **Leslie Klein, Registration Committee Chairperson** reported they determined that participant applications would be sent to the schools on November 14th and the deadline date for the applications to be returned would be December 19th. They are also working on school announcements.
 - **Veekas Shrivastava, Program Committee** reported they updated the event agenda including reducing the time for the lunch so the mock city council meeting can begin earlier and the event can end earlier.

Agenda Item 5 – Future Agenda Items

- Student Government Day Planning
- Meeting with Mayor Hallman
- Possible community service project

The Commission's next meeting will be **November 6, 2007**.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Prepared by: Kurtis Zinger

Reviewed by: Allie Gorton

Allie Gorton, MYAC Chairperson
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