

Minutes Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission April 18, 2017

Minutes of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission held on April 18, 2017 6:30 p.m., at the Tempe, Public Library Teen Center, 3500 S. Rural Road lower level, Tempe, Arizona.

<u>MEMBERS Present</u>: Daniel Bish, SaTavia Chest, Juliet Farr, Sophia Gonzalez, Noble Harasha, Nicholas Hargis, Liam Huggins, Carter Miller, Clara Moffitt, Alexia Moreno, Emma Moriarty, Nomith Murari, Amber Price, Sophia Price, and Bhavanapriya Giridar.

<u>MEMBERS Absent</u>: Kevin Dunnahoo, Hayden Eastwood, Gabriel Edwards, Ryan Emerson, Andrea Lara-Romero, Nandini Mishra, Jaren Savage, and Carter Vierra, Safiyah Zubair.

City Staff Present: Lily Villa.

Guests Present: None.

Agenda Item 1 – Call Meeting To Order

Nomith Murari, MYAC Chair, called the meeting to order at 6:37pm.

Agenda Item 2 - Consideration of the Meeting Minutes: April 4, 2017

Daniel Bish, MYAC Vice Chair, read the meeting minutes from April 4, 2017.

Motion: Nicholas Hargis motioned to approve the minutes.

Second: Liam Huggins, MYAC Community Service Project Chair, seconded the motion.

Decision: Minutes were approved.

Agenda Item 3 – Treasurer's Report

Emma Moriarty, MYAC Treasurer, gave the treasurer's report.

Agenda Item 4 - Announcements

- 1) **Nicholas Hargis** and **Sophia Gonzalez**, **MYAC Youth Town Hall Chair**, attended the 2017 YouthFest Changemakers and Courage Awards Recognition Banquet on April 17th. The event was beautiful, the food was good, and the award recipients' stories were very moving. They encouraged the other MYAC members to attend in the future.
- 2) Lily Villa, MYAC Advisor, reminded the members of the meeting that Mauricio Suchowlanski, ASU Professor of Philosophy, will facilitate a history and politics debate for the MYAC members on April 27, 2017 from 4:00 to 6:00 P.M. They will meet at the Tempe Public Library. This event is posted on the MYAC event calendar and no official MYAC business will be discussed during that time.

- 3) **Lily** also reminded the members that the MYAC picnic will be on Friday, April 21 from 4:00 to 6:00 P.M. at Tempe Beach Park. The event is posted on the MYAC event calendar and no official MYAC business will be discussed during that time.
- 4) **Sophia** and **Liam** presented the survey results relating to the sustainability presentation on Earth Day, April 22, 2017. **Liam** and **Sophia** will present at 10am on Saturday, April 22nd. The MYAC members are encouraged to attend.

Agenda Item 5 – Finalize Community Service Project Logistics

- 1) **Liam** asked the MYAC members to develop a list of necessary supplies for the April 29th 5k-9 event. The following materials are needed:
 - bottled water
 - dog treats
 - cones
 - fruits/snacks (including granola bars, apples, and bananas)
 - bowls for dogs
 - bags for dog feces
 - banners for the start/finish
- 2) **Liam** also reminded the MYAC members to recruit school clubs who are willing to volunteer for the event.

Future Agenda Items

- Community Service Project Debrief
- MYAC End of Year Party

Next meeting: May 2, 2017

Meeting adjourned at 7:28 p.m.

Prepared by: Carter Miller

Reviewed by: Lily Villa

Nomith Murari, Chair Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission