



## Minutes Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission January 25, 2022

Minutes of the MAYOR'S YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION (MYAC) held on Tuesday, January 25, 2022, 5:33 p.m.

**(MEMBERS) Present:**

Riteesha Asam	Jaelyn Montes
Mackenzie Beattie	Sofia Piraino
Shalae Clemens	Rucha Sathe
Addison Forbes	Lia Taylor
Eashani Ghosh	Jo Villanueva
Anisha Grayson	Melanie Valdez
Tamsin Hurlbut	Alix Walker
Denzel Higiroy	Sjaahn Washington
Kaylee Joshlin	Kailana Williams
Jack Masche	Mariam Zubair
Jillian McDonald	Siri Pattipati
Ben Moriarty	Katie Lim

**(MEMBERS) Absent:**

Clare Bergin  
Jaz'Myn Flakes  
Ashley Gutierrez Hernandez  
Katie Lim  
Ben Lopez  
Liliana Pearson  
Michael Haskovec  
Ghais Redmond Jr.

**City Staff Present:**

Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor

**Agenda Item 1 – Call to Order**

Chairperson, Sjaahn Washington, called the meeting to order at 5:33 pm.

**Agenda Item 2 – Public Appearances**

No public comments.

**Agenda Item 3 – Attendance Roll Call**

Sjaahn read the attendance roll call.

**Agenda Item 4 – Chair and Advisor Remarks**

Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor shared about

**Agenda Item 5 – Review and Approval of Minutes- January 25, 2022 Meeting**

Sjaahn Washington read the minutes from the January 25th, 2022 meeting.

Motion to approve the meeting minutes for January 25th, 2022. Motion passed on a 25-0 vote.

Ayes: Commissioners, Denzel Higiroy, Kaylee Joshlin, Jack Masche, Ben Moriarty, Sofia Piraino, Melanie Valdez, Sjaahn Washington, Siri Pattipati, Eashani Ghosh, Katie Lim

Absent: Commissioners- Clare Bergin, Jaz'Myn Flakes, Ashley Gutierrez Hernandez, Ben Lopez, Lilitana Pearson

**Agenda Item 6 – Bernadette Coggins talks about substance abuse**

We talked about substance abuse and how teens these days are affected by drugs. We had a lot of discussion about how substance abuse affects the teenagers these days use substance abuse and that this affects their health mentally and physically, and this will affect their health and the people they live with because a teen can become too addicted, and this can potentially lead to fights and between families.

**Agenda Item 7 – Subcommittees meets**

We went into meets and then we went to our groups where we made a group chat and talked about what the positions are going to be.

**Future Agenda Items**

- Subcommittees and planning for YTH

**Meeting adjourned at 7:10 pm.**

The next meeting will be on February 8, 2022.

Minutes Prepared by: Riteesha Asam, MYAC Admin Recorder

Minutes Reviewed by: Adrian Cascio, MYAC Advisor

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Sjaahn Washington, Chair

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