

City of San José Youth Commission

District 1 – Gordon Chen

District 3 – Nicole Hoang

District 5 – VACANT

District 7 – Ananya Sriram

District 9 – Agam Singh

Citywide - Aroshi Ghosh

Veer Juneja – District 2

Amelia Uytingco - District 4

Anaiy Somalwar – District 6

Paula Escobar – District 8

Alexander Lee – District 10

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES November 22th, 2021

6:30 P.M. – 8:30 P.M Virtual

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87608059221

I. Call to Order & Orders of the Day

- A. Roll Call
- B. Land Acknowledgement

The meeting was called to order at 6:34 P.M. Quorum was achieved with 7 Commissioners present.

On the motion of Commissioner Ghosh, seconded by Commissioner Juneja, the Commission unanimously voted to move the discussion of the transition of the newsletter to a blog format to the first item under V. Discussion/Action Items.

- II. Public Record: There was no correspondence for the Commission to review.
- **III. Open Forum:** B. Bleekman addressed the Commission.

IV. Consent Calendar

- A. Approve October 25th, 2021 Meeting Minutes
- B. Approve October 25th, 2021 Attendance Record.
- C. Approve District Specific Youth Advisory Council (YAC) Work Plans On motion of Commissioner Ghosh, seconded by Commissioner Escobar, the Commission unanimously voted to approve all above items of the Consent Calendar.

V. Discussion/Action Items

A. Discuss the transition of the Youth Commission Newsletter to a blog format. (A. Ghosh)

Previously Item D. On the motion of Commissioner Chen, seconded by Commission Uytingco, the Commission unanimously voted to approve the transition of the Youth Commission Newsletter to a blog format.

- B. Discuss and approve District 4 Project Proposal regarding Advise.Inspire.Motivate (A. Uytingco)
 - On the motion of Commissioner Escobar, seconded by Commissioner Somalwar, the Commission unanimously voted to approve District 4 Project Proposal regarding Advise.Inspire.Motivate.
- C. Discuss and approve District 1 Project Proposal regarding a District 1 group discussion. (G. Chen)
 - Commissioner Ghosh left the meeting at 6:49 P.M. On the motion of Commissioner Uytingco, seconded by Commission Sriram, the Commission unanimously voted to approve District 1 Project Proposal regarding a District 1 group discussion.
- D. Discuss and approve District 9 Policy Proposal regarding electric vehicle charging stations. (A. Singh)

The Commission received a review of the proposed policy from District 9 YAC member, Rithvik Saddam. Blair Bleekman addressed the Commissioners. On the motion of Commissioner Chen, seconded by Commissioner Escobar, the Commission unanimously voted to approve District 9 Policy Proposal regarding electric vehicle charging stations.

VI. Reports and Information Only

A. Council Liaison Report

Patricia Andrade, City of San José Council District 8 Community Relations Coordinator, provided an update on current and upcoming projects for their Council Office.

- B. San Jose Library Report
 - City of San Jose Public Library Librarian Megan Maloy, updated the Commission on current services and upcoming events in the Library. Visit www.sjpl.org for more information.
- C. Commission Chair Report (N. Hoang)
- D. Commissioner's Report per City District
 The Commissioners provided updates on upcoming District Specific work plans, trainings, recruitment, and projects.

VII. Items for Future Commission Meeting Agendas

The Commissioners requested to discuss policy proposals from District 1, District 3, and District 6, as well as a joint policy proposal between Districts 2, 3, and 8.

VIII. Adjournment

On the motion of Commissioner Uytingco, seconded by Commissioner Chen, the Commission voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 P.M.

YOUTH COMMISSION Regular Meeting Minutes November 22th, 2021

The next regular meeting will be December 13nd, 2021, via Zoom webinar at 6:30 P.M.