

**APPROVED MINUTES
CITY OF MILPITAS
YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION**

Minutes: Regular Meeting of the Youth Advisory Commission
Date of Meeting: Thursday, September 8, 2011
Time of Meeting: 7:00 p.m.
Place of Meeting: 1325 E. Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas Sports Center

A. ROLL CALL

Commissioner La called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm.

Commissioners/Alternates Present

Veenu King, Monica La, Brian Leon, Vicky Tu, Sahil Sandhu and Sabrina Leon

Commissioners Absent

Patricia Do, Celine Cacho, Isaiah Rigmaiden-Daniels, Darren Lim, Diana Tran, Sabina King and Andie Tonnu

City Council Present

Debbie Giordano, City Council Liaison

City Staff Present

Samu Tiumalu, Program Coordinator

B. SEATING OF ALTERNATES

Commissioner La sat Sahil Sandhu for Patricia Do and Sabrina Leon for Celine Cacho

C. FLAG SALUTE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION to approve the minutes for the Thursday, May 12, 2011 meeting.

M/S: B. Leon/Sandhu **Ayes:** All

E. PUBLIC FORUM

F. ANNOUCEMENTS

G. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOTION to approve the agenda for the Thursday, September 8, 2011 meeting.

M/S: Leon/V. King **Ayes:** All

H. OLD BUSINESS

1. Milpitas' Got Talent debrief

The commission said the event went very smooth and the acts were great. They felt the quality of the acts were the best so far. Commissioner La thanked Walgreens for

sponsoring the event by selling concessions and donating all proceeds to the Teen Center. The commission had a few changes for the Talent Show in 2012:

- New sound technician; the bands were too loud and you couldn't hear the vocals.
- Need a better variety of acts (dancing, comedians, etc).
- Create a commercial or skit advertising the Youth Advisory Commission and to generate more interest and involvement from the teen community.

The commission decided on either April 6, 2012 or March 2, 2012 or May 4, 2012 for the next show. Program Coordinator Tiumalu stated he would check on the availability of the Community Center auditorium and report at the October 13 meeting.

MOTION to reagendaize the Milpitas' Got Talent to confirm the date for the 2012 show.

M/S: B. Leon/V. King **Ayes:** All

I. NEW BUSINESS

1. Goals for term 2011/2012

The commission discussed different goals they would like to focus on for the 2011/2012 term.

- Fundraisers for the Teen Center
- More events for teens to participate in.
- Peer Counseling (training through the Bill Wilson Center).

The commission then created an Fundraiser subcommittee to research the feasibility of the fundraisers and report back at the October 13 meeting. The subcommittee consists of Commissioners Tu, La and V. King.

MOTION to reagendaize so subcommittee report back to the commission.

M/S: B. Leon/V. King **Ayes:** All

J. OTHER BUSINESS

1. City Council Liaison Report

None

2. Staff Report

None

3. Future Agenda Items

- Milpitas' Got Talent
- Goals for term 2011/2012
- Brown Act & Open Government Ordinance Training
- Election of Officers
- Review Bylaws for the Youth Advisory Commission

K. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Commissioner La adjourned the meeting at 8:01 pm to the meeting on Thursday, October 13, 2011, at 7:00 pm at the Milpitas Sports Center.

Respectfully Submitted,
Samu Tiumalu
Youth & Teen Coordinator