

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

**Minutes:** Regular Meeting of the Youth Advisory Commission  
**Date of Meeting:** Thursday, August 14, 2008  
**Time of Meeting:** 7:00 p.m.  
**Place of Meeting:** 1325 E. Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas Teen Center

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**A. ROLL CALL**

Chair Fong called the meeting to order at 7:11pm.

**Commissioners/Alternates Present**

Josephine Fong, Sareen Sandhu, Lorden Fok, Ryan Ng and Lovin Cortez

**Commissioners Absent**

Jay Kumar, Jason Nguyen, Nida Asif, Richard Albana, Calvin Liang, Lan Ngo and Brian Leon

**City Council Present:**

Debbie Giordano, City Councilmember

**City Staff Present:**

Samu Tiimalu, Program Coordinator

**B. SEATING OF ALTERNATES**

Ryan Ng sat in place for Jay Kumar and Lovin Cortez sat in place for Jason Nguyen

**C. FLAG SALUTE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**D. ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**MOTION** to adopt the minutes from Thursday, April 10, 2008 meeting.

**M/S:** Sandhu/Fok      **Ayes:** All

**E. PUBLIC FORUM**

**F. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**G. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

**MOTION** to adopt the agenda for the Thursday, August 14, 2008 meeting.

**M/S:** Sandhu/Cortez      **Ayes:** All

## **H. OLD BUSINESS**

### **1. Media Report update**

The commission decided to forego the monthly articles to focus on other teen related issues.

**MOTION** to forego the monthly articles.

**M/S:** Sandhu/Ng                      **Ayes:** All

### **2. Talent Show**

Chair Fong commented that she felt the event was a success. Vice Chair Sandhu stated she felt there could have been more of a variety of acts such as comedians, dancers, etc. The commission felt the event could have been better if they planned for it more in advance. Chair Fong also suggested making sure the date didn't conflict with Milpitas High School events (junior prom was held the same day).

## **I. NEW BUSINESS**

## **J. OTHER BUSINESS**

### **1. City Council Liaison Report**

Councilmember Giordano reported that the City Council had adopted a new Mobile Home Ordinance, Front Yard Beautification Ordinance, approved additional housing in Milpitas, and reviewed the progress on the new library and the public art program. She also stated the City Council had approved a full time Tidal Waves Swim Coach position for Parks & Recreation.

### **2. Staff Report**

Program Coordinator Samu Tiumalu reported that attendance at the Teen Center had increased due to the summer break. He also stated the first day of After the Bell registration took place on Thursday, August 7 with over 200 parents registering for Burnett, Curtner, Weller and Zanker Elementary School after school programs.

### **3. Future Agenda Items**

## **K. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Chair Fong adjourned the meeting at 7:50 pm to Thursday, September 11, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. at the Milpitas Teen Center.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Samu Tiumalu  
Youth & Teen Coordinator