Minutes: Regular Meeting of the Youth Advisory Commission  
Date of Meeting: Thursday, October 11, 2007  
Time of Meeting: 7:00 p.m.  
Place of Meeting: 1325 E. Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas Teen Center  

A. ROLL CALL  
Commissioner Kumar called the meeting to order at 7:05pm.  

Commissioners Present:  
Josephine Fong, Jay Kumar, Sareen Sandhu, Calvin Liang, Lan Ngo, Richard Albana, and Jason Nguyen (7:10pm)  

Alternates Present:  
Brian Leon and Ryan Ha  

Commissioners Absent:  
Nida Asif and Lorden Fok  

Alternates Absent:  
Ryan Ng and Lovin Cortez  

City Council Present:  
None  

City Staff Present:  
Samu Tiumalu, Program Coordinator  
Patti Clark, Recording Secretary  

B. SEATING OF ALTERNATES:  
Brian Leon sat in place of Lorden Fok and Ryan Ha sat in place of Nida Asif.  

C. FLAG SALUTE  
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.  

D. ADOPTION OF MINUTES  
MOTION to adopt the minutes from Thursday, September 13, 2007.  
M/S: Fong/Sandhu  
Ayes: All  

E. PUBLIC FORUM  
None
F. ANNOUNCEMENTS

G. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

    MOTION to adopt the agenda for the Thursday, October 11, 2007 meeting.
    M/S: Fong/Sandhu Ayes: All

H. OLD BUSINESS

1. Graffiti Terminators
   The Commission discussed discontinuing the Graffiti Terminators project. After much
discussion, the commission decided to work with the Milpitas Volunteer Partners (MVP)
for other volunteer opportunities. The commission discussed volunteering at the Milpitas
Food Pantry during the holiday season. Commissioner Fong volunteered to schedule a
volunteer date.

    M/S: Sandhu/Fong Ayes: All

2. Media Report
   The commission discussed volunteering at the local Food Pantry and then writing an
article about volunteering in your community during the holiday season. Commissioner
Josephine Fong volunteered to take the lead on the article and provide a draft at the
November meeting.

    M/S: Sandhu/Fong Ayes: All

I. NEW BUSINESS

1. Library Project Update
   The City of Milpitas Capitol Improvement Manager Steve Erickson along with Don Phillips
Teen Librarian and Andrea Will of Group 4 Architecture provided the commission with an
update on the new library project. Ms. Will provided samples of furniture, carpet and
other design elements for the commissioner’s input.

2. Election Of Officers
   Commissioners were able to nominate other commissioners for the position of Chair and
Vice Chair. Sareen Sandhu nominated Josephine Fong for the Chair position with no
other nominations made. Nominations for Vice Chair opened with Josephine Fong
nominating Sareen Sandhu for the Vice Chair position with no other nominations made.
The commission voted Josephine Fong as Chair and Sareen Sandhu for Vice Chair.

    M/S: Sandhu/Ha Ayes: All

J. OTHER BUSINESS

1. City Council Liaison Report
   None

2. Staff Report
   Program Coordinator Samu Tiumalu reported that the Teen Center was averaging 25
teens a day and that the Teen Center has started a Homework Club on Mondays and
Wednesdays from 4:00-6:00pm. He also reported that the After the Bell after school
programs were at maximum at each of the school sites.
3. Future Agenda Items
   - Public Art Presentation
   - Media report Update
   - T-shirts for Commissioners
   - Youth summit

K. ADJOURNMENT
   There being no further business, Commissioner Kumar adjourned the meeting at 8:15 p.m. to Thursday, November 8, at 7:00 p.m. at the Milpitas Teen Center.

Respectfully Submitted,
   Patti Clark
   Recording Secretary