



City of Mountain View

Minutes - Draft

Youth Advisory Committee

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

4:30 PM

The View Teen Center, 263 Escuela Avenue

1. CALL TO ORDER

Vice Chair Luna called the meeting to order at 4:34 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL - Committee Members Andrzejek, Byon, Jhin, John, Lew, Ma, Montano, Nair, Oh, Rajasekaran, Tan, Wazhi, Zayats, Vice Chair Luna, and Chair Chan

Present 12 - Member Dylan Andrzejek, Member Katie Byon, Member Ryan Jhin, Member Naisha John, Member Sophia Lew, Member Taylor Luna, Member Victoria Ma, Member Leilani Montano, Member Jiwoo Oh, Member Shahana Rajasekaran, Member Kaelyn Tan, and Member Meital Zayats

Absent 3 - Member Natalie Chan, Member Jayan Nair, and Member Kavya Wazhi

3. APPROVE MINUTES

3.1 Minutes Approval

To approve the January 6 meeting minutes.

Yes: 12 - Member Andrzejek, Member Byon, Member Jhin, Member John, Member Lew, Member Luna, Member Ma, Member Montano, Member Oh, Member Rajasekaran, Member Tan, and Member Zayats

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

None.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

6. NEW BUSINESS

6.1 Subcommittee Updates

Committee members met for 30 minutes in their Subcommittees. Each subcommittee provided the entire committee with an update on what they are working on.

6.2 Teen Week

Committee members broke out into their Teen Week Subcommittees and spent 30 minutes working on their event/tasks. The website - MountainView.gov/TeenWeek - has been updated to reflect the most current info.

6.3 YAC-Sponsored Pickleball Event

Youth Advisory Committee member-at-large, Miguel, shared his ideas for a YAC-Sponsored Pickleball event. Committee members were very interested in the event idea and will explore it further at future meetings.

6.4 Santa Clara County Youth Networking Event

This agenda item will be moved to Unfinished Business at the Feb. 3 meeting.

6.5 2025-26 Youth Advisory Committee Recruitment

Recreation Coordinator, Lauren Eck, shared information on the 2025-26 Youth Advisory Committee recruitment. Applications open Feb. 3 at MountainView.gov/YAC. Committee members will advertise the recruitment at their schools through morning announcements, word of mouth, and a video put together by Social Media Coordinator, Miguel.

6.6 Earth and Arbor Day Event Volunteering

Committee members discussed the city's Earth and Arbor Day event and how they would like to be involved. The committee overwhelmingly agreed to host a YAC-led activity at this year's event.

7. COMMITTEE/STAFF COMMENTS, QUESTIONS, COMMITTEE REPORTS**8. ADJOURNMENT**

Vice Chair Luna adjourned the meeting at 5:58 p.m.

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