

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE YOUTH COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LOS  
ALTOS, HELD ON MAY 07, 2018 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE HILLVIEW COMMUNITY CENTER  
AT 97 HILLVIEW AVE, LOS ALTOS, CALIFORNIA**

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT COMMISSIONERS: Galatin, Gujral, Kolla, McKean, Rajagopalan, Shetty

ABSENT COMMISSIONERS: Bharati, Jain, Suresh, Xu, Zhu

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

None

**ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION**

- 1) Approve minutes of the regular meeting of April 02, 2018

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Rajagopalan, seconded by Commissioner McKean, the Commission unanimously approved the minutes of the meeting of April 02, 2018. The motion was approved unanimously by 6 Commissioners.

- 2) Regarding Last Youth Commission Meeting May 7<sup>th</sup> or June 4<sup>th</sup>

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Rajagopalan, seconded by Commissioner McKean to have the last meeting take place on June 4<sup>th</sup>. The motion was approved unanimously by 6 Commissioners.

Discussion:

There was discussion regarding when the last meeting will take place. Will it be May 7<sup>th</sup> or June 4<sup>th</sup>. The Commission decided to have the last meeting take place on June 4<sup>th</sup> because they felt it was important to have one last meeting to wrap up the year.

**INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

- 3) Receive information and announcements from City Staff

Action: Staff Liaison Matheson let the Youth Commission know that the LAYC Dance that was originally going to take place on May 25<sup>th</sup> has been cancelled. The dance that took place in April had zero participants. The attendance and interest in these dances has dropped significantly throughout the years. The plan is to try to do different activities that will be more interesting to the teens.

4) Town rival softball game

Action: None

Discussion:

Staff Liaison Matheson shared information regarding a Town Rival softball game between Los Altos Hills and The City of Los Altos. Sarah Robustelli, Recreation Supervisor for Los Altos Hills wanted to see if the Youth Commissions from Los Altos and Los Altos Hills would like to sell concessions during this game that would be taking place on Saturday, August 18<sup>th</sup>. This would be a fundraising opportunity for both commissions. If anyone is interested, Staff Liaison Matheson can start a list of names and give that list to Sarah Robustelli. Staff Liaison Matheson said she would send an email out about this opportunity after this meeting.

5) Different Teen Special Events

Action: None

Discussion:

Staff Liaison Matheson wanted to share different special event alternatives for the teens since the LAYC Dances have not been doing well.

Three ideas were brought up, the first was to have a House Party Game Night Friday, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. The Commission appeared to be interested in this activity. The second idea was to have a Battle of The Bands event take place on Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> or Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. The Youth Commission suggested a Talent Show instead of Battle of The Bands, because they feel that there will be more participation. The third idea was brought up at the last meeting that took place in April. This idea was known as the Youth Commission Carnival, this activity could take place in the Winter or Spring. This activity could potentially be a project that is discussed at the next commission meeting. Staff Liaison Matheson will email details about the Talent Show after this meeting. Since this would be a City event as many Commissioners are welcome to participate as possible.

## COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS AND COMMENTS

- Teen Friendly Business Award Subcommittee

None

- City Flag Subcommittee

None

**DIRECTIONS ON FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Follow up on Teen Special Events, Youth Carnival

**ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Rajagopalan moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:47p.m.