



City of Goodyear

See meeting location
below

Meeting Minutes

Youth Commission

Wednesday, March 27, 2019

5:30 PM

City Hall, Room 117
190 N. Litchfield Rd.
Goodyear, AZ 85338

1. CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner See called the meeting to order at 5:36 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: 13 - Commissioner Crubaugh, Commissioner M. Gue, Commissioner Mackie, Commissioner R. Mena, Commissioner Navarro, Commissioner Columbia, Commissioner Blankenship, Commissioner Castro, Commissioner See, Commissioner Rice, Commissioner Caraway, Commissioner R. Gue and Commissioner Lauritano

Excused: 6 - Chairman Burton, Vice Chairman Ferrall, Commissioner Hall, Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Carlson and Commissioner Early

Staff Present: Assistant to the Council John Raeder

MOTION BY Commissioner Crubaugh, SECONDED BY Commissioner Navarro, to EXCUSE Chairman Burton, Vice Chairman Ferrall and Commissioners Carlson, Early, Hall and Williams. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 13 - Commissioner Crubaugh, Commissioner M. Gue, Commissioner Mackie, Commissioner R. Mena, Commissioner Navarro, Commissioner Columbia, Commissioner Blankenship, Commissioner Castro, Commissioner See, Commissioner Rice, Commissioner Caraway, Commissioner R. Gue and Commissioner Lauritano

Absent: 6 - Chairman Burton, Vice Chairman Ferrall, Commissioner Hall, Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Carlson and Commissioner Early

3. APPROVE MINUTES

[MINUTES](#) Approve draft minutes of the Youth Commission meeting held on March 5, 2019.
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MOTION BY Commissioner Navarro, SECONDED BY Commissioner Rice, to APPROVE the minutes of the Youth Commission meeting held on March 5, 2019. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 13 - Commissioner Crubaugh, Commissioner M. Gue, Commissioner Mackie, Commissioner R. Mena, Commissioner Navarro, Commissioner Columbia, Commissioner Blankenship, Commissioner Castro, Commissioner See, Commissioner Rice, Commissioner Caraway, Commissioner R. Gue and Commissioner Lauritano

Excused: 6 - Chairman Burton, Vice Chairman Ferrall, Commissioner Hall, Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Carlson and Commissioner Early

4. CITIZENS COMMENTS/ APPEARANCES FROM THE FLOOR

None.

5. OLD BUSINESS

None.

6. NEW BUSINESS

6.1 Governor's Youth Leadership Day (John Raeder, Assistant to the Council)

Assistant to the Council John Raeder presented on Governor Ducey's Youth Leadership Day Conference at Grand Canyon University on May 3, 2019. During the conference, high school students from across the state will get together to hear inspiring speakers, attend leadership development workshops, and network with their peers. The goal of the conference is for all Arizona youth to recognize their inherent skills and to help make Arizona a more prosperous state.

Commissioners expressed an interest in attending Governor Ducey's Youth Leadership Day Conference.

6.2 National League of Cities (NLC) "Love My City" Campaign (John Raeder, Assistant to the Council)

Assistant to the Council John Raeder presented information on the National League of Cities (NLC) "Love My City" Campaign. The Love My City Campaign is supported by a foundation of four pillars of work: encouraging civic engagement, uplifting legacy cities, creating communities for all generations, and ensuring housing for all.

Mr. Raeder explained that during the NLC Congressional Conference, several youth-developed "Love My City" films were featured.

Commissioners expressed interest in creating a short Goodyear "Love My City" film and discussed different concepts and ideas for the film.

6.3 Goodyear "Hop & Hops" Youth Commission Booth (John Raeder, Assistant to the Council)

Assistant to the Council John Raeder presented on Goodyear's first ever "Hop & Hops" event that

will be held at Goodyear Ballpark on Saturday, April 20, 2019, from 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. "Hop & Hops" will feature the Easter Bunny's arrival, the ultimate egg pit, a temporary tattoo/egg dying station, candy, giveaways, games, live music and multiple egg drops that are sure to captivate and electrify attendees.

Commissioners discussed opportunities to get involved in the Goodyear "Hop & Hops" event. Commissioners expressed interest in doing an egg and spoon race and face painting for the event.

Mr. Raeder will submit the ideas to the Parks and Recreation Department for review.

7. INFORMATION ITEMS

Commissioner Crubaugh requested that Mr. Raeder email the Commission information on city of Goodyear summer job opportunities.

8. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Youth Commission is scheduled for Wednesday, April 24, 2019.

Assistant to the Council John Raeder noted that the meeting might need to be rescheduled due to a conflict.

9. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss, Commissioner See adjourned the meeting at 6:18 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by:

John Raeder, Assistant to the Council

Gabriella Burton, Chairman

Date: _____