# YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING MINUTES June 8, 2022

1. CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by Chair M. Kala at 6:04 p.m.

# 2. ROLL CALL:

- a. Present: Cherukuri, Vice Chair Dhillon, Ha, Chair M. Kala, S. Kala, Kaur, Mahendran, McAdams
- b. Absent: Karthikeyan, Razi, Satishkumar
- c. Tardy: Randhawa
- d. Adult Commissioners Present: Arbogast
- e. Staff Present: Amanda Jensen, Recreation Coordinator
- f. Recorded by: Amanda Jensen, Recreation Coordinator

#### 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by Chair M. Kala.

### 4. ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE:

There were no comments from the public.

#### 5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

a. Review and approve the Regular Meeting Minutes from May 11, 2022.

**ACTION:** A motion was made to approve the minutes by Vice Chair Dhillon and seconded by Commissioner S. Kala. A roll call vote found all in favor. Passed and so ordered.

#### 6. OLD BUSINESS:

a. Review and Discuss the Youth Advisory Commission Goals, Objectives, and Work Plan for 2022.

Chair M. Kala reviewed the 2022 Youth Advisory Commission Goals, Objectives, and Work Plan. Commissioner discussion followed.

The Commission discussed the following Goals and Objectives

- 1. Goal Program Enhancement
  - 1.A.1. Plan and implement a mental health awareness event or program

A subcommittee meeting was scheduled to discuss new ideas for a lunch time activity.

1.D.1 – Participate and attend at least two Rollin' Rec program days (per season).

A subcommittee meeting was scheduled to discuss activity ideas for future event dates.

### 2. Goal - Community Outreach

**2.A.1.** – Work with local service clubs and organizations to plan various marketing efforts to outreach to teens and the community.

A subcommittee meeting was scheduled to narrow down the list of potential ideas.

b. Provide an Update on the Summer Youth & Teen Camp Programs and Marketing Strategies.

Staff Jensen provided updates on the enrollment status of the various camps. She noted that the first week of the Creative Space Camp was cancelled due to low enrollment and the So, You Think You Can Cook Camp was canceled for the entire summer due to low enrollment as well.

Chair M. Kala, Commissioner S. Kala and McAdams shared their experience assisting at the first week of the Ready, Set, Bake Camp. Chair M. Kala stated that the camp was fun, and the participants were learning how to measure ingredients and follow directions. Commissioner S. Kala enjoyed that the camp was hands on, and the participants were making friends. Commissioner McAdams thought the camp was interesting and the participants enjoyed being able to bake without a lot of hoovering.

Commissioner McAdams notified Staff Jensen that she will be available at the Ready, Set, Bake Camp Monday through Thursday since her prior commitment was canceled, and she would like to help at the Summer Adventure Camp in the evenings. Commissioner Cherukuri volunteered to assist at the Ready, Set, Bake Camp the week of June 21-June 24. Commissioner Ha volunteered to assist at the Creative Space Camp the week of July 11-July 14. Commissioner Kaur and Dhillon volunteered to assist at the Girl Talk Camp the week of June 27-June 30. Commissioner Ha volunteered to assist at the Creative Space Camp on July 11-July 14. Commissioner Mahendran volunteered to assist at the Summer Adventure Camp on June 21.

#### 7. NEW BUSINESS:

a. Consider Canceling the Regular Commission Meeting Scheduled for July 13, 2022, Due to the Potential Lack of a Quorum.

Staff Jensen explained that historically many Commissioners take their vacations or graduation trips during the summer and previous meetings have had to be canceled.

Chair M. Kala asked the Commissioners for their thoughts.

Commissioner discussion followed.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Dhillon with a second from Commissioner S. Kala to approve canceling the regular commission meeting scheduled for July 13, 2022, due to the potential lack of a quorum. A roll call vote found all in favor. Passed and so ordered.

b. Discuss and Approve the Youth Advisory Commission Cohosting a Senior Game Night.

The subcommittee provided an update on the event. The game will be played in brackets with potentially four buzzers being used. The event will take place after 4pm to ensure that high schoolers would be able to participant.

Commissioner discussion followed.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Dhillon with a second from Commissioner McAdams to approve the YAC cohosting a Senior Game Night. A roll call vote found all in favor. Passed and so ordered.

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## 8. ITEMS FROM STAFF:

a. Calendar

Staff Jensen reminded the Commissioners of the Movies on the Plaza dates and notified the Commissioners that if they know anyone interested in volunteering, they can sign up to help. Staff Jensen also discussed the upcoming Rollin' Rec dates for the Summer.

# 9. ITEMS FROM COMMISSION:

Chair M. Kala thanked the Commission for their participation, and she wished them good luck in the future.

Adult Commissioner Arbogast thanked all of the seniors for their time on the Commission and wished them success on their future.

# 10. ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE:

There were no comments from the audience.

#### 11. ADJOURNMENT:

Time: 6:37pm

ACTION: A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Commissioner Dhillon and seconded by Commissioner Ha. Roll call found all in favor. Passed and so ordered.

The above amended agenda was posted at the Tracy City Hall on June 1, 2022. The above are action minutes. A recording is available at the Parks and Recreation Department.

Amanda Jensen, Staff Liaison