

CITY OF PEORIA, ARIZONA
APRIL 9, 2013

A **Regular Meeting** of the Youth Advisory Board of the City of Peoria, Arizona was convened at 9875 N. 85TH Avenue in open and public session at 6:35 p.m.

Members Present: Jacob Jelinek, Elizabeth Gonzalez, Sean Proia, Lorraine Barker, Arriq Reams, Kody Knuth, Dominique Peterson, Thomas Prior, Emily Sarbacker

Members Absent: Tyler Crump-excused, Ian Mullane-excused, Alec Willems-excused, Tayler Paradiso-unexcused, Lincoln Crump-unexcused, Mariah Hearne-unexcused, Kiley Perkins-unexcused, Usamma Amjad-unexcused

Municipal Officials Present: Kevin Naughton-Teen Supervisor, Terri Smith-Council Assistant and Selena Ferreira- Administrative Assistant

Audience: 0

Presentation: None

Note: The order in which the items appear in the minutes is not necessarily the order in which they were discussed at the meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA

All items listed with a "C" are considered to be routine by the Youth Advisory Board and were enacted by one motion.

MINUTES:

1C Discussion and possible action to approve/excuse members absent from the March 12, 2013 regular meeting.

2C Discussion and possible action to approve the minutes of March 12, 2013, regular meeting.

A motion was made by Thomas Prior to approve the consent agenda; the motion was seconded by Sean Proia and the motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Young Ambassador Youth Exchange

Thomas Prior explained what the ambassador exchange was and shared his past experiences. Board then broke into two groups to brainstorm on new ideas to do with ambassadors. Some ideas were fundraising for a need, make a quilt, make a painting, TV interviews and virtual tours. No action taken

2. Youth Government Day

Kevin Naughton asked for feedback (pro's and con's) from the event. Pro's: longer tours were a success, smaller sized groups worked better, more interactive this year than in the past, Q&A cards work great. Con's: overall turn out was less than last year, come up with ways to be even more interactive and be involved in all areas, Sports Complex was not on the tour and should be. No action taken

3. Youth Bill of Rights

Kevin Naughton handed out a page of questions for the Board to review and discussion. From these questions a survey will be compiled and eventually passed out among the youth throughout the city for feedback. No action taken

CALL TO PUBLIC (NON-AGENDA ITEM): None

Report from Staff: Councilmember John Edwards reached out to Kevin Naughton seeking YAB member to possibly sit on the panel during council meetings.

Report from Board: Emily Sarbacker discussed her activity with helping to find funds to complete the building of her new school campus. She went before the Peoria Council seeking assistance. Lorraine Barker is performing in the upcoming play Hansel & Gretel at Theater Works

ADJOURNMENT: Being no further business to come before the board, the meeting was duly adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Jacob Jelinek, Chair

Selena Ferreira, Administrative Assistant