



MINUTES
LAWDALE YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING – January 12, 2016

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairperson Sarah Gomez called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m. at the Harold E. Hofmann Community Center located at 14700 Burin Avenue in the City of Lawndale, California.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Chairperson Sarah Gomez, Vice-Chairperson Kaleb Hafner, Committee Member Katie Barrios, Kobe Cuevas, Sandy Garcia, Emily Vargas

Members Absent: Committee Members Katelyn Maheia

B. CEREMONIALS

Flag Salute led by Chairperson Sarah Gomez

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of the December 8, 2015: Motion to approve by Kaleb Hafner and seconded by Kobe Cuevas.

Approved 5-0-1 not present

D. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA

None

E. COMMENTS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

None

F. ADMINISTRATION

1. **Continued discussion of the upcoming 2015-2016 YAC goals** – Recreation Coordinator Jennifer Muelot reported to YAC that an update on this was not yet available. YAC wanted additional information on being able to fundraise and sell items at events and until this was addressed they did not want to collectively decide on a goal.
2. **Ideas for Volunteering** – Recreation Coordinator updated YAC on the opportunity to volunteer for the Easter Egg Hunt on March 26th in addition to having the opportunity to participate in the Youth Day Parade again. Chairperson Sarah Gomez suggested that the Pirate theme change. She felt that it was boring to do the same theme each year and suggested that City Council should change the theme. Sandy recommended changing it since it would be boring to do another pirate themed float. Kobe suggested that the committee be changed so that the

same people wouldn't be able to pick the theme. Kaleb agreed with YAC and motioned to send City Council a memo to change the theme and Sarah seconded, vote 6-0. The top three themes picked by YAC for the future were space, era, and movie.

3. **Upcoming events, programs, and classes** – Recreation Coordinator updated YAC on the upcoming special events such as the Easter Egg Hunt, Lawndale Bike Ride and Youth Day Parade, along with the Health and Safety Fair. She informed YAC that soccer registration had begun and was going very well and encouraged YAC to take some flyers to get the word out to the community. Recreation Coordinator let YAC know that the Winter 2016 contract class season had begun.

G. ITEMS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

H. ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Sarah Gomez adjourned the meeting at 5:56 p.m.

Chairperson-Sarah Gomez

Attest:

Jennifer Muelot
Recreation Coordinator