

The Brighton Youth Commission
June 16th, 2022
Formal Meeting Minutes

Excused Absences: Annie, Alyssa, Cole, Mikayla

Unexcused: Amelia, Cynthia, Dahaan, Emmanuel, Esmi, Fernando, Jacob, Kaela, Landin, Mariah, Mia, Nicole, Sophia, Ellie

Business:

1. 1st/last Meeting
 - a. Date will be selected on Tuesday
 - b. Place: park outside of City Hall
 - c. Committee planning: Ethan, Corrina, Antjuan, Neyla, Nia, Giana, Diana
 - i. First meeting Monday 27th at 2:15pm
2. Precious Child
 - a. July 20th, 11-4pm
 - b. Sign up will be up after tomorrow
 - c. Spots are limited
 - d. What will you be doing: Filling up backpacks!! Its lots of fun
3. City BBQ
 - a. July 21st
 - b. BYC helps out! Give out food, etc
 - c. @ 4 pm
 - d. Wear BYC t-shirts
 - e. Please tell Diana ahead of time if you will not be at the BYC meeting on this day.
You will be unexcused if you are not present and have not communicated.
4. Interviews
 - a. When: June 30th
 - b. We will be interviewing applicants for the BYC from 8:30-6pm. Plan to be here all day
 - c. Please come in BYC t-shirt
 - d. Meeting to plan interviews- June 27th at 3:15pm
 - i. If you attend this meeting, please be at interviews
5. Senior Recognition
 - a. Seniors, please attend June 28th's City Council Meeting!
 - b. Seniors will be recognized in front of council
 - c. Please arrive at 5:50pm, wear your polos
6. 2nd reading
 - a. VERY IMPORTANT! Last step to change a law to be able to expand the BYC!!

- b. Please arrive at 5:50pm to support
- 7. Young Entrepreneurs
 - a. Few spots still open
 - b. Sign up on Facebook or city website
 - c. This wednesday, 9-5pm, training will be held
 - d. Opportunity to sell products at the city BBQ!!
- 8. Elections
 - a. New officer elections will be coming soon
 - b. May be in late July, early of August
- 9. Retreat
 - a. Sometime in August 5th, 6th and 7th
 - b. Team bonding, tons of fun!!
 - c. Mark those dates and plan ahead to be open these days
 - d. More info coming
- 10. Parent Meeting
 - a. Update parents on what their youth are doing on the BYC
 - b. July 13th @ City Hall
 - c. EVERYONE must come with a parent. Even if you are 18.
 - d. Tell Tawnya as soon as possible if you can not make it.
- 11. City Boards
 - a. Since most of our seniors who sit on city boards are leaving, there are openings on every board!
 - b. Interested: Neyla- Legacy/Ethan-Public Arts/Hannah-Planning or Legacy
 - c. Let Tawnya know if you are interested!
 - d. Please take this opportunity to join a board! It is a great experience to have your voice be heard and work with adults one on one!

Open Forum

1. Christian

- a. Christian this past week went to Washington D.C for the 10th anniversary of DACA.
- b. Christian spoke to many state representatives such as Senator Bennet, Congressman Jason Crow, Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez and many more! He spoke about the issue many undocumented immigrants are experiencing and what the supreme court should do about this.
- c. Advice Christian gave: Take EVERY opportunity you can to speak to any government representative. Do not be afraid to use your voice and speak about an issue you are passionate about. If you can, call or send a letter to state representatives to spread awareness on immgration issues.
- 2. Alijah and Ashley's last meeting was today!!!!
 - a. Good luck in college!!!!

- b. Alijah will be leaving for the Navy June 28th and Ashley will be heading to Chigaco July 3rd.