





MEETING MINUTES

Marin County Civic Center, Room 401 **Tuesday, February 14, 2017**

In Attendance: Abby, Elise, Christian, Ethan, Sarah, Nick, Josh, Ruby, Brooke, Kylie, Omree, Henry, Noah, Vaughan

Absent: Jonathan

6:30pm - Meeting Called to Order

- Call to order/Roll call; Approval of Agenda
- Time for public expression (3 minute limit p/p)
- Call to order/Roll call; Approval of Agenda & Minutes
 - Call to order at 6:33
 - Vaughn motions to approve minutes, seconded by Christian none opposed
 - Sarah motions to approve agenda, Josh seconds, none opposed
- Time for public expression (3-minute limit per person)
 - District Attorney Ed Berbarian spoke regarding the Hate Crime Hotline and gave the commission a document regarding the Hate Crime Hotline
- Commissioner Reports
 - District 1 Youth Commissioners are meeting with Supervisor Damon Connelly soon
 - Ruby's mom is going the be the aid for the the District 4 Supervisor (Dennis Rodoni)
 - District 5 is meeting with Supervisor Judy Arnold soon

| 6:40pm - 6:55pm - Welcome/Opening | Introductions and Icebreaker (10 minutes) Game Review of Group Agreements |
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| 6:55pm – 7:00pm – Old Business | |
| 7:000pm - 8:10pm - New Business | Social Justice Movie Night (5 mins) March 17th looks like a good date Youth Court Documentary (25 mins) Don Carney, Director of the YMCA Youth Court speaks about the background surrounding Youth Court and the restorative services department of the YMCA Novato School District is where the Restorative Services department is most developed, this is because of NUSD work around restorative practices. Youth Court is possible because of the Chief of Probation Mike Daly Josh asks how many youth have been diverted Don responds with over 1,000 Ethan asks what the biggest hurdles have been Don responds that adults stuck in old ways of doing things has been the biggest challenge Don also spoke about harm reduction tactics including myths that kill which is why he was late Henry asks what people do if someone knows the respondent on the San Mateo Youth Conference (10 mins) This is conference that the San Mateo Youth Commission is putting on around youth empowerment and engagement, they have asked MCYC to present. Vaughn is interested in doing the work around this work. If anyone else is interested contact Ruby Public Narrative & Story of Self, Us, Now. (30 mins) Wendy presents on public speaking, specifically through a story on why people do what they do. Wendy asks if people have had experience with public speaking, which everyone has |

| | There is a diverse range of speaking experiences from the commission, from the board of supervisors, classrooms, presentations on police brutality and many other topics. It is important that you have to own your voice it is important to tailor your message to your audience Went over tips for effective and impactful public speaking (see tip sheet) Omree adds that the training he has received through Beyond Differences that you should address that you are nervous CRITICAL to alter your style depending on your audience Vaughn says that it can be very effective to "put on a character" Wendy is bringing some mouth exercises to use at the next meeting |
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| 8:10pm - 8:15pm - Announcements | Teen Advisory Group (TAG) The county library is creating a teen advisory group Next MCYC Meeting is Feb. 28, 2017 Next Cabinet Meeting Feb. 21, 2017 Planning meeting for the Youth Commission Convention Anna and Wendy are presenting on social norms in the county on March 8th Rodof Shalom is having a speaker on Thursday, February 16th on addiction |
| 8:15pm - 8:20pm - Clean Up | |
| 8:20pm - 8:30pm Closing and Adjourn | Motion to adjourn by Christian, seconded by Omree, none opposed |
| Additional Notes: | TO DO: • Email out: • Minutes to MCYC |