



MEETING MINUTES

Marin County Civic Center, Room 401 Tuesday, October 23th, 2018

In Attendance: Elliott, Jojo, Alex, Kat, Kenya, Elise, Adam, Jack, Julia, Clarissa, Francesca, Abby, Diego, Ruby, Lizbeth, Ava, Gabe, Marlowe, Josh, Micherice

Absent: Louglin

6:30pm - Meeting Called to Order

- Call to order/Roll call; Approval of Agenda
- Time for public expression (3 minute limit p/p)
- Commissioner Reports

Call to order/Roll call; Approval of Agenda & Minutes

- Meeting called to order at 6:34
- Gabe motions to approve minutes, Diego seconds. Yes unanimously.
- Elise motions to approve agenda, Marlowe seconds. Yes unanimously

Time for public expression (3-minute limit per person)

- Wendy Dodgers are in the world series!
- Ruby Rose Strauss, a former youth commissioner contacted me to see if anyone was interested in working with their schools on climate change in relation to the Paris Agreement. Let me know if you are interested! Also, I hope y'all registered to vote and are keeping an eye on what Trump is doing with interfering the transgender community. Also look at affirmative action and the case that is going on with that. Also fill out my doodle pools!
- Elliot There is a debate in my neighborhood about renaming the Dixie school district so I would like to bring that to the attention of the racial justice subcommittee.

Commissioner Reports

- Jack The keynote presentations were cool especially the one relating to environmental issues which was scary and interesting. I feel more inspired to do things now.
- Kenya Patrice Colors, one of the founders of Black Lives Matter did a really interesting
 activity around activism and the world that we want to see and I think that we should take

	 some time to do the same activity. Marlowe - There was more individually focused and self-improvement focused. That was nice. Gabe - There was this design contest for biomimicry which was really cool. Kenya - This women, Lyla June, brought out some Miwok women and said that "if you want to look at the health of the land, look at the native people." Wendy - Bioneers uploads all of the keynotes to youtube so please look at those. We also need to remember that we are on stolen land and to think about how Natives are affected by this history. Francesca - District 4 supervisor meeting was really good and they gave us good feedback and gave us constructive criticism. Elliot - District 1 supervisor meeting was not amazing. Connolly was late and didn't acknowledge that he was late. I didn't get that much out of it because he didn't listen to us or give us feedback. He didn't commit to doing anything for us. Wendy - Send a email to your supervisor thanking them and reminding them of your minutes. Josh - District 5 had our meeting with Arnold. She said that board would vote unanimously to ban flavored tobacco and was passionate about the state of mental health. She also talked about the sheriffs conforming to SB44. Marlowe - The trainings went well and there were no major issues besides the rush to set up. Elliot - In some of mine, there were some kids who had other focuses like sexism and I asked them to follow up afterwards.
6:40pm – 6:55pm –Welcome/Opening Introductions Icebreaker Review Agreements	Introductions Icebreaker • Turn to the person next to you and find something you have in common. Then we will try to find something that we all have in common. Quick as possible. Review Agreement
6:55pm – 7:00pm – Old Business	

7:00pm - 8:10pm - New Business

TAY Advisory Youth Council

- Kat I am 17 and go to Branson and am on TAY.
- Vince I was on MCYC and was on YLI. I am 29 years old and work at the community school.
- Vince The Growing Roots project works to figure out how to help young adults from underserved communities access culturally responsive services that support their mental health and well-being. We use non-traditional ways.
- Kat The TAY Council is composed of 12 diverse members. We made a needs assessment and found diverse providers to address what the young adults said that they needed.
- Vince The providers do outreach, figure out how to continue services, transportation, make sure that the services are relatable and respectful, and take on supportive roles.
- Kat This project is time-limited due to funding. A part of the grant is to do an evaluation about the program.
- Elise How can you see MCYC participating?
- They are working on the evaluation now but we can come and present the results to you.
- Kat Something interesting that I learned was the 1 in 3 youth in high school were dealing
 with mental health issues. The accessibility of resources was shockingly poor. Not enough of
 these organizations are actually coming together.

Personality Survey

- Elise We are doing the 16 personalities test.
- Josh The purpose of this is to see how our fellow subcommittee members work.
- Josh Now we are going to see how these personalities play out in real life. Each of you can
 make a forum based on the interest of you subcommittees also based on what you
 subcommittees play out.
- Josh Does anyone have any reflections on working with your group in this process?
- Francesca We work well together and have the same sort of ideas.
- Kat The mental health subcommittee had a good experience with everyone contributing ideas. We were really listening together.
- Gabe I didn't feel like I was being listened to.
- Marlowe I am the devoted secretary of our group and Gabe was doing a bad job of taking notes.
- Elise How did people see your personality type come up in the planning process?
- Elliot A part of the personality type is the planner so I went for the structure first.

	 Jack - A few of us tend to get off task in our group and that was evident. Marlowe - Gabe was like we should get the details down and I thought that there should be a purpose. So that was interesting. Elliot - I saw Ruby's personality type in play because she wanted the parameters down. Julia - I am a campaigner so that fit my personality because I am extraverted. Kenya - One of my characteristics was helping people in tangible ways which fit the way I approach advocacy in general.
	 New MCYC Logo Josh - Logos are important and Kenya has decided some new ones. Kenya - These are our different logos options. Discussion? Greet Wendy with your favorite fried food (if any) Elise - I like the tan one with blue. Micherice - I like the tan one in blue because I like the fists coming the bottom. The blue gives it a more modern feel. Ruby - I like the tan one's font because it had a nice font like a Frank Lloyd Wright type thing. Kenya - If we print these out, do you think the colors matter? Elaine - If it was a solid color, it would help so maybe a solid blue. Jack - Maybe a lighter shade so it doesn't get weird when printed out. Elliot - We need a color that makes the font pop.
8:10pm – 8:15pm – Announcements	 Announcements Next MCYC Meeting on November 6th(election night). The next sub-committee meeting is on October 30th. The next cabinet meeting is on October 29th. The YLI gala is going to happen on November 15th. Dress formal and there will be other YLI youth and food. It doesn't cost money. Confirm by Friday, even if you are on the list so email me.
8:15pm – 8:20pm – Clean Up	

8:20pm – 8:30pm Closing and Adjourn	Meeting adjourned at 8:07. Julia motions, Diego seconds. Yes unanimously.
Additional Notes:	TO DO: