



**CITY OF SANTA BARBARA  
SANTA BARBARA YOUTH COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**Monday, September 9, 2019  
5:15 p.m.**

**Louise Lowry Davis Center  
1232 De la Vina Street, Santa Barbara**

**MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting was called to Order at 5:16 pm by Chair Quinn Stefan.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Led by Chair Quinn Stefan

**ROLL CALL**

Chau, Austin  
Chow, Alex  
Flanagin, Davis  
Goodman, Laila  
Minor, Julia  
Proulx-Kelly, River  
Sánchez Gómez, Veronica  
Stefan, Quinn

**Junior High Representatives**

Chow, Victoria  
Calzadilla, Dhaira  
Thakrar, Alok  
Weber, Madison

**Staff Present**

Isis Castañeda, Youth Council Advisor

**Liaisons Present**

Jacob Lesner-Buxton, Parks and Recreation Commissioner  
Oscar Gutierrez, City Councilmember

**Youth Council Members Absent**

Broeffle, Sean  
Palmerin Piña, Marco

**CHANGES TO THE AGENDA**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

## **COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS**

### **Isis Castañeda, Youth Council Advisor**

- Day of Caring September 14<sup>th</sup> 9am-12pm at the Yanonali Community Garden. Permission slips needed from the City and United Way has their own. Look out for an email with that link.
- Today the subcommittee will be focusing on the Anti-Vaping PSA.
- An opportunity came to Youth Council regarding another mini grant for another PSA on Preventing Cannabis use amongst youth.

### **Oscar Gutierrez, City Councilmember**

- Introduced himself to new members.
- Will be helping the Youth Council with the PSA's.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **1. Subject: Non-discrimination and Harassment Training– For Information Only**

Recommendation: That the Youth Council receive a presentation Non-Discrimination and Harassment.

Summary: The presentation provided an overview of the City's Non-Discrimination and Harassment Policy. Committee members were provided a copy of the policy and an acknowledgement form to sign and return.

Documents:

- City of Santa Barbara Non-Discrimination and Harassment Policy and Employee Complaint Procedure
- Non-Discrimination and Harassment Policy and Employee Complaint Procedure Acknowledgement

Speaker:

- Sarah Gorman, City Clerk Services Manager

### **2. Subject: Subcommittee Breakout Groups – Discussion and Action**

Recommendation: That the Youth Council members breakout into subcommittees to discuss and plan Youth Led Candidates Forum, Fundraising, Anti-Vaping PSA, and Marketing and, if necessary, take action to recommend an item for consideration at a future YC meeting.

Summary: Events subcommittee met and created an action plan on the Youth Led Candidate's Forum. The Ad Hoc Teen Vaping PSA met with Councilmember Gutierrez for insight, as well as created steps for the PSA. Both subcommittees will report out on September 16<sup>th</sup>.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:04 pm.

Next special meeting:

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*Monday September 16, 2019 5:15pm*