



CITY OF OAKLAND

Youth Commission

Meeting Minutes

Monday March 4, 2024

5:00 PM

Please See the Agenda to Participate in the Meeting

General Meeting Minutes

Meeting officially begins at 5:00 P.M.

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order at 5:07pm
- II. Roll Call Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS: Sarah Turley (D1), Calupe Kaefusi (D2), Quincy Russell (D3) Anokhi Meta (D4), Katie Liang (D5), Amber Johnson (D6) Brian Ibarra Morales (D7), At-Large Commissioners: Mia Hatfield, Sophia Hesseltine, Bryce Hunt, Areli Chavez, Nathan YuHeng Li, Ana Xu li, Steve Nguyen, Michelle Wong, Haniel Kedebe, Olivia Richardson Feldman

Absent: Steve Nguyen

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- III. Welcome, Agenda Review, Agreements & Approve Minutes from 2/5/23

Minutes approved from 2/5 and 2/26 by a vote of 16 Ay, 0 Nay
- IV. Public Comment/Open Forum

No public comment given
- V. OYC Action Report Backs
 - *Recast - Finalized application and is now live (closes March 29)*
 - *Youth Vote -Preparing to attend a board of supervisors meeting to combat recent comments from opponents of youth vote*
 - *CTE Hub - Studying Hustle/Flow culture and how to implement it into the hub, also working on what services that are gonna be in the hub, mental health etc...*
 - *YPAR Fellows - Shifted our research area transitions to adulthood for youth in school, and what anxieties and dopes those people have about the transition from youth to adult*
 - *Adulthood Training - We are delivering the training tomorrow at All City Council's Middle school conference at Mills College*
- VI. Announcements

Review upcoming meetings and calendar

April 20 - Day of Service with City of Oakland for Earth Day - 10 volunteers confirmed
- VII. Guest Presentation: Chief Holly Joshi, Department of Race and Equity

Chief Holly Joshi of the City of Oakland's Department of Violence Prevention came and participated in a question and answer discussion about her life story, career pathway, and knowledge of violence prevention. She shared the core programs within the Department, as well as the revitalization of Ceasefire Program and the role DVP plays in it and new efforts under the current administration to curtail violence in Oakland. Many youth commissioners had questions to better understand how violence prevention work can be done to prevent mass incarceration.
- VIII. Meeting adjourned at 7:03pm