

CITY OF RICHMOND

Youth Council Meeting

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

online teleconference



Members:

Ashlee Davis, Chair

Laiba Noor, Co-Chair

Kashaf Iqbal

City Council Liaison:

Demnlus Johnson III,

Councilmember

Staff Liaison:

Trina Jackson

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MINUTES

A. Call to Order – The meeting was held via FaceTime

B. Roll Call - Youth Councilmembers Ashlee Davis, Laiba Noor, and Kashaf Iqbal were present, as well as Youth Council applicant Ozmar Huerta.

C. Welcome and Meeting Procedure

Until further notice, meetings will be held remotely. Please contact Trina Jackson for additional information at 510-620-6581 or trina_jackson@ci.richmond.ca.us

D. Open Forum(3 minutes per speaker)

E. Review and approve minutes from the previous meeting. – Motion to approve by Ashlee Davis and seconded by Kashaf Iqbal. Minutes approved.

F. Discuss potential volunteer opportunities during the shelter-in-place-order. The Youth Council decided to gather monetary donations and food donations to provide to food pantries. Ashlee Davis will revise a donation request template that was previously drafted. The Youth Council will contact the companies below.

- a. Ashlee Davis – Target
- b. Laiba Noor – Trader Joe’s
- c. Kashaf Iqbal – Chevron and Wal-Mart
- d. Ozmar Huerta – Sprouts and Safeway

G. Discuss the needs or concerns of youth during this time. How can the City Council help? The Youth Council agreed that the youth are getting bored and restless during COVID-19 due to the shelter-in-place order. The Council would like to partner with RYSE to host trivia nights, game nights, and other online activities to form a sense of community with the Richmond youth. Member Davis suggested creating an Instagram account to advertise the event.

H. Activities, requests, or good news from Youth Councilmembers. – Members Davis, Iqbal, Noor, and Huerta shared information about their shelter-in-place life and exciting graduation announcements.

I. Announcements

J. PENDING items – Members could possibly be recruited through the online game nights or through the Instagram account.

K. Adjourn – The meeting was adjourned at 6:30pm.