

CITY OF RICHMOND

Youth Council Meeting

Thursday, September 23, 2021

5:00 PM to 6:30 PM

Meetings are being held virtually until further notice.

MINUTES

<p>Members:</p> <p>Chandra Davies, Chair</p> <p>Mian Shah</p> <p>Sofia Pereda-Zanni</p> <p>City Council Liaison:</p> <p>Demnlus Johnson III,</p> <p>Councilmember</p> <p>Staff Liaison:</p> <p>Trina Jackson-Lincoln</p> <p>(510) 620-6581</p>	<p>Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82740213400?pwd=S05rR2YxOHV1RmNtSidZLzlaUWpDdz09 Meeting ID: 827 4021 3400 Passcode: 04222021</p> <p>A. Call to Order at 5:02</p> <p><i>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</i></p> <p>B. Roll Call – Present: Mian Shah and Sofia Pereda and applicants Arika Giselle and Anuoluwapo Olabode</p> <p>C. Open Forum (3 minutes per speaker) – Cordell Hindler gave comments Arika shared information about the Diversity Club and is excited to learn more about the Youth Council. Kyndelle, Youth Listening Project – uplift youth voices in Richmond, moving forward with a just transition project in Richmond, Zoom Conference 9/25. Would like to obtain youth experiences for youth between the ages of 14-24 years. Input received, will help to inform the RPA project to push policy to the City Council @ richmondlisteningproject</p> <p>D. Review and approve minutes from the previous meeting. Minutes were reviewed by members present.</p> <p>E. Status of the Youth Council membership</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Resignations● Applicants<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Goals – asked applicants to think about their goals and encouraged them to advise the City Council on policy or legislation● Resources and access <p>F. Officer and Staff Liaison Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Chair – met with Councilmember Jimenez along with applicants Kevin and Anu to share goals and● Staff Liaison – Informed applicants that she will check on status of apps <p>G. Report on School Supply Drive - The drive was successful. Refer to attached report.</p> <p>H. Update on Oktoberfest Planning – No report</p> <p>I. Grassroots Fair Update – No report</p> <p>J. Upcoming agenda items – Youth Council members may indicate if they would like to bring an item before the Youth Council for discussion.</p> <p>K. Confirm next meeting date: October 27, 2021</p> <p>L. Announcements and Adjournment</p>
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POSTED 9/23/2021 - As a result of the Richmond Youth Council School Supply Drive, we received enough supplies to donate 15 backpacks filled with supplies for students at LoVonya DeJean Middle who are in the Families in Transition Program, 8 bundles of supplies to youth in the Recreation Complex Afterschool Program and 42 COR Tote Bags for youth in the Shields-Reid Afterschool Program. We are thankful to our employees that donated supplies, the City Manager's Office that donated 30 COR tote bags, the Shimada Commission that donated soft lunch bags and water bottles and the Safe Return Project that blessed us with an enormous amount of supplies and backpacks that allowed us to extend our donations by 50%.



Supply Drive Announcement Posted in the City Manager's Weekly Report

The Richmond Youth Council is holding a School Supply Drive from August 30th through September 10th, 2021. There will be a collection bin located in the lobby at 450 Civic Center Plaza Monday through Friday during business hours. The donations will be delivered to an elementary school or youth serving organization during the week of September 13th. If you would like to contribute, please leave your donation in the bin in the lobby of the main building or bring them to the City Council Office. The target recipients are elementary and middle school students in Richmond. Please phone 510-620-6581 for more information.

