



# MINUTES

## Regular Meeting of the San Marcos Youth Commission

Monday, May 1, 2017 4:00 PM

1 Civic Center Drive San Marcos, CA 92069

Regular Commission Meeting

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### CALL TO ORDER

CHAIR ANDREWS CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 4:04 PM

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

LED BY CHAIR ANDREWS

### ROLL CALL

PRESENT:			
	Chair	ANDREWS	(10/10) 100%
	Commissioner	ATHALYE	(8/10) 78%
	Commissioner	FLATLEY	(7/10) 78%
	Commissioner	HERNANDEZ	(7/10) 67%
	Commissioner	ISTVANYI	(9/10) 89%
	Commissioner	MADHAVA	(8/10) 89%
	Commissioner	MANIKA	(8/10) 78% (4:15)
	Commissioner	MORRISON	(9/10) 100%
	Commissioner	VIJAYAKUMAR (ALT)	(8/10) 78%
	Vice Chair	VONGSACHANG	(10/10) 100%

### ABSENT:

ALSO PRESENT Youth Commissioner Staff Advisor Cheryl Salazar & Secretary Krystal Mainprize

### PRESENTATIONS

NONE

### ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

NONE

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

YOUTH COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES FROM APRIL 3, 2017 WERE MOVED BY CHAIR ANDREWS AND SECOND BY VICE CHAIR VONGSACHANG. COMMISSIONER FLATLEY, MADHAVA AND MORRISON ABSTAINED.

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### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **1. SPRING SAN MARCOS 360 REVIEW**

Further Details can be found in the Recreation Guide of the San Marcos 360 Magazine.

- Family Night – May 3 @ Community Center, 6 pm
- Fun Friday Nites! – May 5 @ Community Center & San Elijo Rec Center, 6 to 10 pm
- San Marcos City Hike – May 6 @ San Elijo Hills Parks, 8:30 am
- Mother's Day Tea – May 12 @ Senior Activity Center, 3 to 4 pm
- Concert in the Garden – May 20 @ Wood House Garden, 7:30 pm
- Water Safety Day – May 20 @ Woodland Park Pool, 12:30 to 4:30 pm

#### **2. SOCIAL MEDIA REQUEST**

- May Requests: Kids Connect To Culture & Application Period
- Please submit requests for the month of June

### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **1. KIDS CONNECT TO CULTURE**

Commissioner Flatley will not be able to make the event because she has cheer tryouts. Flatley asked if another Commissioner could take over for her. She will have everything prepared and ready to present. Flatley will make sweet bread for the snack and have horchata or jamaica as a drink. They will play loteria as the game to play with the children. Commissioner Andrews will be the main organizer for the event and Commissioners Madhava and Morrison will assist with the event.

#### **2. COMMISSION GOALS & ACTION ITEMS UPDATE**

Staff Advisor Salazar told Commissioners she has booked the Valley of Discovery Room to hold the end of the year get together after the June meeting. Newly appointed Commissioners will be invited to attend. Chair Andrews asked to have a calendar for the year to outline what events and meetings the Commissioners usually attend. Commissioner Madhava suggested doing an icebreaker so everyone can get to know each other. Commissioner Morrison and Chair Andrews said they can all discuss what issues they want addressed and what service opportunities are available.

#### **3. OUTDOOR DINING/SMOKING BAN**

Chair Andrews said after the Vista Community Clinic presentation last month the Commission decided to support the smoking ban in outdoor dining areas. Staff Advisor Cheryl Salazar said the next step would be to create a statement of support and provide that to the Community Services Commission. The Community Services Commission would then bring it to the attention of the City Council. Commissioners will collaborate through Google docs and Commissioners Athalye & Morrison will head up the project.



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**MOVED BY CHAIR ANDREWS, SECONDED BY MADHAVA AND CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY TO CREATE A STATEMENT IN SUPPORT THE VISTA COMMUNITY CLINIC OUTDOOR SMOKING BAN THAT WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION.**

### **4. SUBSTANCE ABUSE ON CAMPUS**

Staff Advisor Salazar spoke to the Neighborhood Services Coordinator with the City who does teen outreach and works closely with the Sheriff's Department and she recommended contacting the clubs on campus.

Commissioner Morrison noted we can reach out to the 8<sup>th</sup> graders and speak to them to prevent them from using drugs as they will be incoming freshman and need to be aware of these issues. Staff advisor Salazar said we could also collaborate with the Red Ribbon week coordinators at the schools.

### **REPORTS**

#### **1. COMPOSING PROJECT SUBCOMMITTEE**

Commissioner Manika noted the event went well as Commissioners engaged the families with their projects. There were about 10 families in attendance.

#### **2. SPRING EGG SCRAMBLE**

Commissioners did not attend the event this year but in years past it was a great event.

### **WRITTEN COMMUNICATION**

None

### **ORAL COMMUNICATION**

Chair Andrews noted the Plus organization is doing a walk for water event to raise waters for children in other countries.

### **COMMISSION COMMENTARY**

Next meeting is Monday, June 5, 2017.



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**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOVED BY CHAIR ANDREWS, SECONDED BY VONGSCHANG AND CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY TO  
ADJOURN THE MEETING OF THE SAN MARCOS YOUTH COMMISSION AT 4:26 PM.**

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DANA ANDREWS, CHAIR  
CITY OF SAN MARCOS  
YOUTH COMMISSION

ATTEST:

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KRYSTAL MAINPRIZE, SECRETARY  
CITY OF SAN MARCOS  
YOUTH COMMISSION