

Date: April 20, 2018

To: City of Avondale Youth Advisory Commission (AYAC)

From: Lauren Twigg, Community Engagement Coordinator, Neighborhood and Family
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Subject: Meeting Notes – April 9, 2018

The AYAC regular meeting was held on Monday, April 9, 2018.
Called to order at 6:06 PM

The following members were in attendance:

Simone Foster
Narmeen Ghazawneh
Andrea Hernandez
Daisy Medrano
Ulysses Altamirano
Emanuel Rodriguez
Iris Palomino
Aissatou Camara
Litzzy Hernandez
Santiago Chavez
Adriana Gillespie
Edrick Vazquez
Michelle Oblea-Dirzo

The following staff members were in attendance:

Lauren Twigg

The following guest(s) attended the meeting:

The following topics were discussed:

Approval of Minutes and Attendance – Approved

Homeless Youth Connection/Arizona Gives Day - Recap of event and outcome.
AYAC raised about \$250. Fundraise total of event was \$15,000. All students were in agreement that AYAC should participate in future Arizona Gives events.

Parks, Recreation and Libraries Events – Youth delegates will plan to fundraise at Parks and Rec Movie Night in the park on Saturday, April 14. AYAC will sell sodas, bottled water and glow sticks at event to help raise funds in support of future AYAC events and activities. Logistics were discussed.

Global Youth Service Day – Youth delegates will commit to attend this event on Saturday, April 21, 9am to 12pm at Tres Rios Wetlands, as the official sponsor for this event. Logistics and planning were discussed.

Gov. Ducey's Youth Leadership Day 2018 - AYAC delegates will attend this event on Friday, May 4 at Grand Canyon University. More than 1,000 high school students from across the state will get together to hear inspiring speakers, attend leadership development workshops, and network with their peers. The goal of this special day is for all Arizona youth to recognize their inherent skills and to help make Arizona a more prosperous state.

AYAC logo – Youth delegates shared thoughts and ideas on revamping the AYAC log to help keep the group up-to-date with design and marketing efforts and to gain more attention from peers in community to heighten awareness. This will continue to be a work in progress and include the City's marketing dept for assistance.

Fundraising efforts - Tabled

The meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Approved:

AYAC Chair or Designated Representative