



## YOUTH COMMISSION

# MINUTES

**Commissioner Chair, Kavya Shankar, James Hill, Aaron Carrera, Kimberly Loo, Destiny Trevino, Nicholas Taxera, Amanda Aldama, Nwakaego Uzoh, Katie Hawn, Nicholas Polussa and Darlene Tu**

## YOUTH COMMISSION TRAINING MEETING MINUTES

The San Jose Youth Commission convened a training meeting on **April 5, 2009** at City Hall Tower Building Conference Room 955 at 1:00p.m.

### **1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

Present: Commissioner Shankar, Hill, Carrera, Taxera, Aldama, Uzoh, Hawn, and Tu.  
Excused Absent: Commissioner Loo, and Polussa  
Unexcused Absent: Commissioner Trevino

### **2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

None

### **3. ORAL COMMUNICATION**

None

### **4. WORK PLAN UPDATES**

#### A.) Work Plan Review –

Commissioner Taxera conducted a brainstorming session to identify the research needed to support the Smoking Ban in Apartment Complex recommendation. Commissioners agreed on a time line to gather information and formulate their recommendation. Draft Time Line was set for after the summer recess.

#### B.) 2010 Conference –

Commissioner discussed what will be required to host the 2010 youth conference. Main discussion was based on the available funds and those needed for the conference

### **5. REPORTS**

#### A.) April Agenda review -

Commissioners reviewed Youth Commission April Agenda items to include the

Executive Report.

## **6. TRAINING TOPICS**

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- A.) 2009 Youth Conference Celebration – Commissioners celebrated with pizza.
- B.) Training topics were selected for the rest of the year. Training selection were; Leadership Compass, Project Planning, Parliamentary Procedures, Presentational Skills, Persuasive Speaking, Public Speaking, Building Rapport, Agenda Process and Public Relations

## **7. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

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None

## **8. ADJOURNMENT**

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