

Youth Council Members
Mayor Stear
Advisor: Maresa Stear
President: Kurtis Abel
Vice President: Brandon Hurd
Admin Secretary: Desirae Barrus
Media: Kylee Young

Youth Members:
Kacie Andrus
Tayla DeHaven
Jace Hudon
Trystan Rousseau
Joaquin Ruby

City Staff
Audra Barkulis
Bobby Withrow



CITY OF KUNA

Mayor's Youth Council, 751 W 4th Street, Kuna, Idaho 83634

Mayor's Youth Council Meeting

Minutes

Thursday November 9, 2017

4:00pm-5:15pm

In Attendance: Mayor Stear, Kurtis Abel, Kylee Young, Tayla DeHaven, Jace Hudon, Trystan Rousseau

Guest: Kenya Morales

City Staff: Audra Barkulis, Bobby Withrow

Welcome & Opening Comments from Mayor Stear

Mayor Stear welcomed our guest Kenya Morales and thanked everyone for coming to the meeting.

1. Consideration to approve Mayors Youth Council Minutes
 - a. Approve Regular Mayors Youth Council Minutes, October 12, 2017

Youth Council Member DeHaven moved to approve the October 12, 2017 minutes. Seconded by Youth Council Member Rousseau. Motion carried 6-0.

2. Update on promotional ideas and activities/fundraisers - Youth Council Members

Youth Council Member DeHaven suggested having a bake sale to help raise funds for the MYC.

Guest Morales suggested having high school students help an Elementary School with a carnival to help raise funds.

- a. Update on using the High School Library once a week for students that are interested in knowing more about the MYC

Youth Council President Abel said approval is need from the school office, for the use of the library and the use of electronics.

- b. Update on the poster for the High School hallways to help get more members involved

This item was tabled because Youth Council Admin Secretary Barrus did not attend the meeting.

3. Update on research from students regarding school lunches – Youth Council Members

Youth Council President Abel is concerned with students that come out of D Tech classes, they don't have enough time to eat, then they get marked tardy.

- a. What types of food would they like to see in the lunch room?

Youth Council Member DeHaven found out students would like to have hot food, most of the food that is being served was still cold or frozen. Students also said that the school runs out of food, they don't get a choice by the time they reach the counter.

Youth Council Member Dehaven researched what students would like to see on the menu. Students would like to see lasagna, Subway, more French bread pizza. Students would also like to see the school bring back the finger steaks and ham & cheese sandwiches.

- b. Does the lunch room need more tables?

Youth Council Members stated that students are sitting on the floor in the lunch room.

Youth Council Members also stated that you can leave campus during lunch, this brings more vehicles into the parking lot and only 1 other person can be in your vehicle for liability issues. A few accidents have already happened in the parking lot.

4. Update on equipment for the Community - Bobby Withrow, Parks Director

Parks Director Bobby Withrow said the water fountains are not installed yet.

- a. Reallocation of Funds

Mr. Withrow asked to reallocate \$2,500.00 out of the \$4,238.22 that were set aside for the basketball court. Mr. Withrow would like to purchase a few volleyball nets, court outlines, a couple spike ball sets and concrete corn hole games.

President Abel asked if the basketball nets and backboards around town would still get repaired?

Mr. Withrow said yes, they would get repaired.

Youth Council Member Young moved to approve the reallocated funds.

Seconded by Guest Morales. Motion carried 6-0.

b. Exercise equipment installation

Mr. Withrow said the exercise equipment would be installed early Spring of 2018.

c. Splash pad

Mr. Withrow said the permit for installation would be ready by December of 2017.

5. Mayor/Youth Council/Staff Announcements

Youth Council Member Young suggested to have 2 meetings a month.
Youth Council Members agreed on the second and the fourth Thursday of every month starting January 2018.

6. Adjournment:

**Youth Council Member Rousseau moved to adjourn.
Seconded by Youth Council Member DeHaven. Motion carried 6-0.**

Meeting adjourned at 4:58 pm.



Kurtis Abel, President

ATTEST:


Not Available for signature
Desirae Barrus, Admin Secretary

*Minutes prepared by Audra Barkulis, City Clerk's office
Date Approved: 12.14.2017*