



Agenda
Village of Arlington Heights
Youth Commission
Arlington Heights Memorial Library
500 N. Dunton Ave. Arlington Heights, IL 60005
October 20, 2016
6:00 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. Minutes from 9/15/16

IV. REPORTS

- A. Park District
- B. School District
- C. AH Memorial Library
- D. Police Department

V. OLD BUSINESS

- A. 2017 Teen Job Fair

VI. NEW BUSINESS

VII. OTHER BUSINESS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

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Item: Minutes from 9/15/16

Department: hs

ATTACHMENTS:

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**Village of Arlington Heights
Youth Commission
Minutes from September 15, 2016**

I. CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Arlington Heights Youth Commission was called to order by Chair Spicer at 6:02pm at the Arlington Heights Memorial Library.

II. ROLL CALL

Present:

Chairman Spicer
Commissioner Healy
Officer Pete Hamrick
Commissioner Moore
Commissioner Prusener
Commissioner Glasgow
Commissioner Guerra
Commissioner Sordo-Palacios

Absent:

Commissioner Kho
Commissioner Robinson
Commissioner Allaire
Commissioner Dyer

Also Present:

James McCalister, Director of Health & Human Services

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

A motion was made by Officer Hamrick to approve the June 16, 2016 minutes and seconded by Commissioner Healy. Motion passed by unanimous consent.

IV. REPORTS

Park District – Commissioner Healy stated that the Park District still had some part-time jobs open – lifeguards & front desk personnel. He also stated that the Park District is thinking of starting intermural sports for high schoolers. He asked the Commissioners to contact him if they or any of their friends might be interested.

School District – The Youth members shared what they are doing at school/after school this fall.

Arlington Heights Memorial Library – Chair Spicer said that there was a college application boot camp scheduled for this evening to help high school students with the application process.

Police Department – Officer Hamrick said the Peer Jury Program has started and will run through June. Next week the Braze Challenge which is a basketball tournament/fundraiser involving Thomas and South Middle Schools girls' basketball teams for Special Olympics. This will be held at South Middle School.

V. OLD BUSINESS

2017 Summer Teen Outdoor Movie – Chair Spicer suggested they table planning the Outdoor Movie until March – after the Teen Job Fair.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

2017 Projects – Chair Spicer stated he had three things he would like to work on as a Commission. He wanted to start with some of the questions that came up at the previous Job Fairs – the most useful and efficient time to schedule our 4th Annual Teen Job Fair. There were some responses from the businesses that suggested it would be better for them if held on a Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday in the evening. He also wants to develop a time line for the 2017 Teen Job Fair and when the Youth Commission can start building the list of employers in Arlington Heights on the Google Drive document.

The Commissioners discussed holding the Teen Job Fair on a weeknight vs. weekend and decided to hold the 2017 Teen Job Fair on Wednesday, February 8th from 6:00pm-8:00pm.

Chair Spicer explained how the Youth Commissioners use a Google Drive document after talking to a local business for the Teen Job Fair to update the new Youth Commissioners. Chair Spicer asked the Youth Commissioners what they thought could be done to help them approach local businesses. One of the Youth Commissioners commented that a local business he approached was not nice or happy to have a teen ask the manager about participating in a job fair and he suggested that it might be better to have an adult approach a new business and the teens approach the returning businesses.

Chair Spicer asked when the Commissioners thought they should start planning the 2017 Teen Job Fair. It was decided to start in October.

The Youth Commission had a picture taken of the group to be put on social media.

VII. OTHER BUSINESS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Commissioner Guerra and seconded by Commissioner Sordo-Palacios. Motion passed by unanimous consent. The meeting was adjourned at 6:45pm.

The next meeting is scheduled for October 20, 2016 at the Arlington Heights Memorial Library.