

## **GREELEY YOUTH COMMISSION MINUTES**

Rodarte Community Center  
920 A Street, Greeley, CO 80631

**Monday, August 23, 2021 6:00 PM**

Meeting Called to Order: 6:04 pm

### **1. ROLL CALL**

Commissioners Bhanji, Hollingshead, Hernandez, Willard and Zeller were present. City staff present were Brecken Arnold and Scott Schuttenberg. Ex-Officio's Kathryn Heffron and Julie Lewis were present.

### **2. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE JULY 26, 2021 MINUTES**

There was not a quorum to approve this item. This will be moved to the September 27, 2021 meeting for approval.

### **3. ATTENDANCE CHART UPDATE**

There was not a quorum to approve this item.

### **4. CITIZEN INPUT**

None at this time.

### **5. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

CITY COUNCIL UPDATE/COMMENTS-No report for this month.

EX-OFFICIO COMMENTS- No report for this month.

STAFF LIASON COMMENTS- The After School Program at the Rodarte Community Center and Anna Gimmestad is in full swing. The Recreation Division is hiring part time positions, so if you are looking for a job apply at [www.greeleygov.com/jobs](http://www.greeleygov.com/jobs).

### **6. NEW BUSINESS:**

Youth Commission Retreat recap by Commissioner Hernandez.

- A) The City Attorney's Office gave a history of Robert's Rules of Order and practiced meeting situations, in which Robert's Rules of Order can guide and benefit meetings.
- B) City staff led a goal setting session for Commissioners to set goals for the 2021-2022 school year and prompt Commissioners to share what they wrote down during the session. Below are some of the goals.
  - A. Target and improve mental health issues among youth. Focus on mental health, encourage access to recreational sports, fund programs that focus on health and wellness.
  - B. Increase access to vehicle resources/DMV access/financial support.
  - C. Vaping awareness and substance abuse.
  - D. Increase volunteering and community service.

C) City staff reviewed the Youth Commission manual

D) Voted on officers and below are the results:

A. Chair: Brookelynn Hernandez

B. Vice Chair: Claire Willard

C. Secretary: tie to be decided

E) Participated in team building exercise

SMART Goal setting exercise to prioritize goals for the 2021-2022 was conducted by Scott Schuttenberg. The Commission did initial brainstorming for two goals, which will be continued at the September meeting.

**7. OLD BUSINESS**

None at this time.

**8. NEXT MEETING AGENDA ITEMS**

b. 2021-2022 Goals

c. Board and Commission representation

**9. NEXT MEETING:** Monday, September 27, 2021 6:00 pm in person at the Rodarte Community Center

Meeting adjourned 7:00 pm

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Secretary-

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Chair-