

SIERRA VISTA YOUTH COMMISSION MINUTES  
MARCH 17, 2015



**1. CALL TO ORDER**

K. Ellis, Vice-Chair, called the meeting of the Sierra Vista Youth Commission to order at 5:05 p.m. at the Teen Center, 3405 E. Fry Blvd., Sierra Vista.

**2. ROLL CALL**

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Krysta Ellis  
Rachel Jacobs  
Kameron Peyton  
Tim Tolmie  
Dominic Valentin

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Rachel Southee

**OTHERS PRESENT**

Emily Scherrer, Library Administrator  
Alesia Ash, City Council Liaison  
Debra Chatham, Library Staff, Recorder  
Joseph Nunnally, Member of the Public  
Robert Fenceroy, Member of the Public  
Sandra Hurlbut, Water Wise Youth Program

**3. ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA**

D. Valentin moved that the agenda be accepted. R. Jacobs seconded the motion.

VOTE: 5—0. The motion carried.

**4. ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 17, 2015**

R. Jacobs moved that the minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 17, 2015 be accepted as written. D. Valentin seconded the motion.

VOTE: 5—0. The motion carried.



*Leisure & Library Services*

**5. CITY COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT ON CITY RECENT COUNCIL ACTIONS—  
Councilmember Alesia Ash:**

Councilmember Ash reported that the Council is busy with the city's strategic plan and she is looking forward to receiving the Youth Commission's priorities.

**6. STAFF LIAISON REPORT ON DEPARTMENT ACTIONS AND ACTIVITIES—Emily Scherrer:**

Emily mentioned that the Commission needed to work on their strategic plan priorities during the meeting and talked about the Commission's PowerPoint presentation to Council.

Teen Center staff are working on marketing the Teen Center. Once the librarian position is filled, it is hoped that programming will be enhanced and more teens will be attracted to the center.

**7. VOLUNTEER / PUBLIC SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

Sandra Hurlbut, Water Wise Youth Program, explained how the Youth Commission could assist with Water Awareness Month.

**8. OLD BUSINESS**

a. Letter to Area Student Council

There was no new information to discuss.

b. Leadership Project

The Commissioners will attempt to contact potential speakers for the event. This item will remain on the agenda.

c. Youth Commission Vacancies

The Commission has one application to review. Vice-Chair Ellis will attempt to contact the applicant and will report at the next meeting.

Commissioners Jacobs', Ellis', and Southee's terms will expire this summer. They will consider reapplying.

d. Strategic Leadership Plan

The Commissioners discussed priorities for the city's strategic leadership plan.

e. City Branding

There was no new information to discuss. This item will be removed from the agenda.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

a. Presentation to City Council

The Commissioners discussed preparation of their presentation to City Council on Monday, April 27, at 4:00 p.m.

## **TEEN CENTER DESIGN, POLICIES, & PROGRAMMING**

Emily mentioned staff are working on new programming.

## **CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

Mr. Nunnally, member of the public, introduced himself and offered his assistance to the Youth Commission.

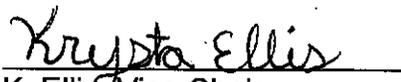
## **REQUESTS OF THE COMMISSION AND FUTURE DISCUSSION ITEMS**

There were no requests of the Commission.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 5:48 p.m.

The next Regular Meeting will be April 21, 5:00 p.m., at the Teen Center, 3405 E. Fry Boulevard, Sierra Vista.

  
K. Ellis, Vice-Chair

The purpose of the Youth Commission is to advise City Council on matters of concern to the youth of Sierra Vista, and to recommend and encourage action programs and legislation beneficial to the youth of the community; promote better understanding and integration of youth and the local government, and assist in the planning, operation and evaluation of the local service delivery system for youth related services as consumers of these services.