

**CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS
YOUTH LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE**

City Hall – Council Chambers

6:30 p.m.

Monday, August 5, 2013

MINUTES

Chairperson Felipe Rangel called the meeting to order at 6:38 p.m.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Felipe Rangel

2. ROLL CALL

Attendance: Marisa Gonzalez, Paul Legarreta, Victoria Molina, Lawrence Ordaz, Gabriel Perez, Precious Ramirez, Jesus Ramirez, Felipe Rangel, Joshua Rojo and Dominique Walker

Absent: Destiny Cardona, Danielle Garcia, Lawrence Ordaz, Victor Ugarte, and Cameron Velasco

Council Liaison: Councilmember Louie M. González, excused

Staff: Executive Secretary, Jeff Mahlstede, excused
Christian Alarcon, Staff Liaison
Manuel Cantu, Staff Liaison

Guests: None

3. EXECUTIVE SECRETARY REPORT

Christian Alarcon reported that the Youth Leadership Committee will be managed by the Family and Human Services Division beginning in September 2013. Christian shared his gratitude in working with the youth leadership over the past years.

Christian Alarcon introduced Manuel Cantu, Program Coordinator from Family and Human Services Division as the new Staff Liaison for the Youth Leadership Committee. Manuel shared with the committee his ideas on getting them involved and working with other teens in our city. He also shared the different possibilities of networking with other programs and agencies that would help committee members broaden and expand their horizons.

Christian Alarcon, conducted the election of officers and announced the results on behalf of Executive Secretary Jeff Mahlstede. The 2013 Youth Leadership Committee chairs are as follows: Chairperson, Felipe Rangel, Vice Chairperson, Precious Ramirez, and Secretary, Paul Legarreta.

New members introduced were Joshua Rojo and Gabriel Perez to the Youth Leadership Committee. All other member introduced themselves as well. All

members expressed a little bit about themselves and some of their hobbies.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Precious Ramirez and seconded by Marissa Gonzales to approve the Minutes of August 5, 2013. The motion was carried unanimously.

5. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT

None

6. OLD BUSINESS

Council Meeting Schedule - Thursday, August 8th and 22nd at 7:00 pm.

The following members will attend the scheduled City Council meetings as follows:

August 8th: Precious Ramirez, Marissa Gonzales and Felipe Rangel.

August 22nd: Felipe Rangel, Dominique Walker, Victoria Molina, Marissa Gonzales, Paul Legarreta and Joshua Rojo.

7. NEW BUSINESS

Relay for Life Fundraising – Marissa Gonzales reminded the committee about Relay for Life fundraising. She passed out envelopes to all the committee members and encouraged them to raise \$100.00 for the event. Also the committee is waiting on approval to sell snow cones at the pool and the farmer markets per Carole Joseph. Marisa Gonzales requested the purchase of Puffy Paint to design shirts for the Relay for Life event.

Farmers Market – Christian reported that the city is still hosting a Certified Farmers Market on Thursdays from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Town Center Plaza.

Teen Program (Recreation Department) - Christian Alarcon announce that the teen program will be a hosting a teen dance in the near future themed back to school dance. He would report back at the next meeting with the times and date of the event.

T.E.E.N.S. Program (F&HS) – Manuel Cantu announced that the Family and Humans Services TEENS Program will be hosting three events, (1) Controlling the Road to College (2) Parents Role for Success and (3) Performing Arts Night. Flyers will be provided at the next meeting.

8. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Item 1: Relay for Life Sub-Committee making shirts on August 22, 2013

Item 2: Farmers Market will be open till 7pm on August 22 due to a band performing

Item 3: Fiesta Patrias Booth and volunteering

10. NEXT MEETING

Monday, October 7, 2013

11. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Precious Ramirez and seconded by Marissa Gonzales to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Edmund Ramirez,
Executive Secretary