



**STATEMENT OF PROCEEDINGS
FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
LOS ANGELES COUNTY YOUTH COMMISSION
YOUTH ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE (YEC)
KENNETH HAHN HALL OF ADMINISTRATION
500 WEST TEMPLE STREET, ROOM 374-A
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012
<https://youthcommission.lacounty.gov>**

Monday, March 4, 2024

6:30 PM

Video for the entire meeting. (24-0906)

Attachments: [VIDEO](#)

I. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Land Acknowledgement. (24-0781)

In the absence of YEC Chair La'Toya Cooper, Commissioner Clarissa Pena called the meeting to order at 6:54 p.m. County Staff conducted Roll Call, and Commissioner Pena read the County Land Acknowledgement.

Present: Commissioner Luisa Flores Urrutia, Commissioner Clarissa Peña and Commissioner Brittianna Robinson

Absent: Commissioner La'Toya Cooper and Commissioner Myriah Smiley

2. Approval of minutes from the meeting of February 5, 2024. (24-0782)

On motion of Commissioner Robinson, seconded by Commissioner Flores Urrutia, and duly carried, the minutes from the meeting of February 5, 2024, were approved by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Commissioner Luisa Flores Urrutia, Commissioner Clarissa Peña and Commissioner Brittianna

Absent: 2 - Commissioner La'Toya Cooper and Commissioner Myriah Smiley

Attachments: [SUPPORTING DOCUMENT](#)

II. DISCUSSIONS

3. Discussion about the upcoming Listening Sessions. (24-0783)

Commissioner Peña reviewed the schedule for the upcoming Listening Sessions. Supervisorial District (SD) 5 will hold their Listening Session on March 23, 2024, and SD 1 will hold their Listening Session on August 10, 2024. Collaborating discussions have begun with community-based organizations for SD 4 for the provision of an arts and crafts table, tote bags, and other handouts and activities. Commissioner Urrutia Flores confirmed that the SD 5 Listening Session will be held in Lancaster from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., with Supervisor Kathryn Barger scheduled to attend.

Executive Director Tiara Summers expanded on the progress of the Listening Sessions: SD5 planning is going well, SD 2 is in the process of selecting a location and SD 4 will partner with the City of Long Beach Office of Youth Development.

4. Discussion about preparing and planning for the YEC End-Year Event in October. (24-0785)

Commissioner Peña opened the floor for discussion regarding the YEC End-Year Event in October. Executive Director Tiara Summers stated that the purpose of the Event is to report out to the information and data collected from all five District Listening Sessions. The Event will also provide an opportunity for the Committee to inform youth in the community of the Youth Commission's work and ongoing strategic plan and to foster collaborative partnerships. The Event will also serve to update the Commission as-a-whole of critical information.

Executive Director Tiara Summers encouraged Commissioners to think about the format of the Event and how the information will be consolidated between the five Districts and reported out. She encouraged the YEC to consider their purpose in engaging the community, youth, and key stakeholders. Discussion ensued on how to make the event creative and

5. Discussion about exploring options to further spread awareness of various topics within the 2024 Youth Commission focus areas to empower and engage youth. (24-0786)

Commissioner Peña opened the floor for discussion regarding spreading awareness of topics within the 2024 Youth Commission focus area. During the discussion the following points were made:

- **Share two 30 second videos, one regarding Commercially Sexually Exploited Children (CSEC) to be played at every meeting, and one regarding another focus area.**
- **Create a document with links to specific videos so that all Commissioners can review them.**
- **Review already created videos and extract clips from them to keep the videos within a reasonable time frame.**
- **Have the monthly awareness videos available on the Youth Commission Website.**
- **Post resource links on the Youth Commission (YC) website. It was suggested that the listening sessions may be able to produce QR Codes to be placed on the YC website.**

After discussion, it was agreed that the duration of all videos played would not exceed 3 - 5 minutes. The YEC will be responsible for researching videos, and work in collaboration with individual Commissioners that wish to highlight a specific topic.

III. MISCELLANEOUS

6. Opportunity for members of the public to provide comments to the Commission on item(s) not on the agenda, that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. (24-0787)

No members of the public addressed the Committee.

7. Adjournment. (24-0788)

The next Youth Engagement Committee meeting will be held Monday, April 8, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

On motion of Commissioner Robinson, seconded by Commissioner Flores Urrutia, there being no objection, the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.