



STATEMENT OF PROCEEDINGS
FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
LOS ANGELES COUNTY YOUTH COMMISSION'S
YOUTH ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE
KENNETH HAHN HALL OF ADMINISTRATION
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LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012
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Monday, August 5, 2024

6:30 PM

Video for the Entire Meeting. (24-3298)

Attachments: [VIDEO](#)

I. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Land Acknowledgement. (24-3018)

La'Toya Cooper, Chair, Youth Engagement Committee, called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m. County Staff conducted Roll Call, and Commissioner Pena read the County Land Acknowledgement.

Present: Commissioner La'Toya Cooper, Commissioner Clarissa Peña, Commissioner Brittianna Robinson and Commissioner Myriah Smiley

Absent: Commissioner Luisa Flores Urrutia

2. Approval of minutes from the meeting of July 8, 2024. (24-3019)

On motion of Commissioner Myriah Smiley, seconded by Commissioner Clarissa Peña (Commissioners Luisa Flores Urrutia and Brittianna Robinson being absent), the minutes from the meeting of July 8, 2024, were approved.

Attachments: [SUPPORTING DOCUMENT](#)

II. DISCUSSIONS

3. Discussion about upcoming Listening Sessions. (24-3020)

Chair La'Toya Cooper opened the floor to discussion regarding the upcoming Listening Sessions. Commissioner Clarissa Peña shared her thoughts and commended Commissioners Florencia Valenzuela and Evelyn Rodriguez for their work on the Listening Session held in the First District. The Listening Session was workshop based and a valuable opportunity for community engagement.

Executive Director, Tiara Summers, added that Commissioner Valenzuela led a workshop on leadership and Commissioner Rodriguez led a workshop on advocacy. The Third Supervisorial District will hold their Listening Session on Saturday, September 14, 2024, at Valley College. Their theme will be based on Leadership and Empowerment and will include music and art. She stated that each District provides unique formats and a variety of perspectives from each panel.

4. Discussion about planning for the YEC End-Year Event in October and current survey results. (24-3021)

Chair La'Toya Cooper opened the floor to discussion regarding the planning of the YEC End Year Event (Event) in October. She reported that the Event will be held on October 26, 2024, at the Department of Mental Health building located on Vermont Avenue. Discussion ensued regarding the time of the Event. After discussion, the Committee agreed the event should be held from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Executive Director, Tiara Summers, indicated that the Event will include an update from the Operations Committee. Commissioners agreed on the following agenda items:

- **Opening Remarks and Land Acknowledgement.**
- **CSEC Video and another video for the Recognition Month.**
- **Operations Committee Update.**
- **Listening Session Presentation by District.**
- **Part I Survey Data (General Data).**
- **Part II Survey Data including YEC Presentation Q&A and Next Steps.**
- **Individual Recognition.**
- **Closing.**

Additional discussion ensued regarding lunch and break times. After discussion Commissioners agreed to each bring an agenda version for discussion to the next YEC meeting.

III. MISCELLANEOUS

5. 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. (24-3022)

No members of the public addressed the Committee.

6. Adjournment. (24-3023)

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 9, 2024, at 6:30 p.m.

On motion of Commissioner Clarissa Peña, seconded by Commissioner Myriah Smiley, there being no objection, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50