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**YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES**  
**Monday, February 18, 2019 ~ 6:00 pm**  
**Rowlett Community Centre**  
**5300 Main Street, Rowlett TX 75088**

**PRESENT:** Aria Morgan, Grace Motes, Thuy-Linh Trinh, Christina Shipley, Keaton Costlow, Chelsey Udoji, Alex Collier, Caitlin Jackson, Sarah Provost, Anjali Michael, and Charles Reilly

**ABSENT:** Carly Cavaness, Braden Smith, Tye Fairley, Mirana Emigh, and Kelly Long

**VISITORS:** Vladisalv Steere and Elise Bowers

**STAFF:** Blake Margolis, City Council Liaison and Lindsay Prasifka, Staff Liaison

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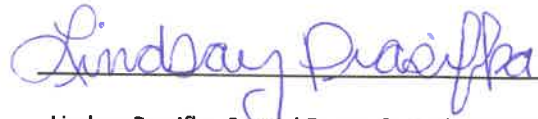
1. Chair Grace Motes called meeting to order at 6:00 pm.
  - a. Chelsey Udoji and Alex Collier arrived at 6:01 pm.
2. Approval of the minutes from January 28, 2019 as written.
  - a. Christina Shipley made a motion to approve the minutes as written.
  - b. Thuy-Linh Trinh seconded the motion.
  - c. Motion carries.
3. City Presentation by Vladisalv Steere from the Finance Department
  - a. Vladisalv Steere, the city's Budget Officer, began presenting at 6:02 pm.
  - b. Anjali Michael arrived at 6:07 pm.
  - c. Elise Bowers arrived at 6:09 pm.
4. Youth Advisory Summit Discussion
  - a. Lindsay provided information regarding the schedule for the Youth Summit and passed out polo shirts to the council.
5. Neighborhood Life Class Discussion
  - a. Elise Bowers led the discussion, which began at 6:23 pm.



- b. Members of the council signed up to help with marketing, curriculum development, and hosting the class.
6. Voter's Initiative Discussion
  - a. Blake reminded council members of the council's goal of encouraging voter registration
  - b. Christina Shipley suggested holding an event for youth to watch candidates debate
  - c. Alex Collier suggested that the council create fact sheets detailing how to register to vote that could be placed around in high schools
7. Participation in Events
  - a. Lindsay passed around a volunteer sign up sheet for some of the city's upcoming events
8. Youth Council Sponsored Event Update
  - a. Christina Shipley and Caitlin Jackson provided an update. Their are budget concerns, and the location will either be Community Park or Springfield Park.
  - b. Lindsay suggested reaching out to local businesses to obtain sponsors for the event.
9. Update from City Council Liaison, Blake Margolis
  - a. No update.
10. Public Input
  - a. No public comments.
11. Public Announcement. Members of the Board or Commission and/or staff may make announcements of local civic events. No member of the board or commission may discuss nor take any action with regard to the announcement.
  - a. Alex Collier suggested the Rowlett High School Student Council as a possible work force for the Youth Council Sponsored Event.
12. Members of the Board of Commission may request topics for future agenda meetings. No member of the board or commission may discuss any of the requested subjects until such matter has been properly placed on a posted agenda.
  - a. Christina Shipley requested that other council members provide more ideas for the council sponsored field day.
13. Meeting adjourned at 6:49 pm.
  - a. Christina made a motion to adjourn the meeting.
  - b. Anjali Michael seconded the motion.
  - c. Motion carries.



Grace Motes, Youth Advisory Council Chair



Lindsay Prasifka, Special Events & Marketing Coordinator