

CITY OF ELK GROVE Youth Commission

MINUTES OF THE YOUTH COMMISSION Regular Meeting May 13, 2025

1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL:

Youth Commission Chair, Lindsey Ngo, called the Youth Commission to order at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Abbas Chaudhry; Adielle Nelson; Adrian Bayardo; Andres Guzman; Kara Hughes; Lindsey Ngo; Marho Akpo; Ohm Shah; Pratham Rangwala

Absent: Manjot Rai

Late: None

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: The Land Acknowledgment was read by Youth Commission Chair Lindsey Ngo.

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Youth Commission Chair, Lindsey Ngo, led the Pledge of Allegiance

4. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA: None

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Approval of minutes – (M/S) Abbas Chaudry/Pratham Rangwala 9/0/1

6. REGULAR AGENDA ACTION ITEMS:

6.1 Receive information from the Family Fun Day subcommittee.

The event was favorably reviewed by Commissioners. Participation was highly impressive. Next year, there will be need to inform people about what to do with their tickets. Also, better signage would be needed if the STEM project is repeated.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

6.2 Receive information from the Scholarship subcommittee and discuss action.

The scholarship application winners were announced, and they have been invited to the next Council meeting. Emma Chang from Franklin High School won

the \$1,000 Senior Community Impact scholarship and Jayson Nguyen from Elk Grove High School won the \$500 Merit-Based Scholarship.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

6.3 Receive information from the Food Drive subcommittee and discuss action.
The subcommittee reported the drive was going great and they plan to sensitize more people to donate before the closing date.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

6.4 Review presentation for the City Council meeting scheduled for May 14, 2025
The Commissioners reviewed the Council presentation. Commissioners were reminded of the need to arrive at City Hall by 5:30 p.m. on May 14.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

7. GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATES/ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The Commission discussed the possibility of a mental health event in September and will work on it through Summer.
- Commissioners submitted ideas to help Council enhance youth empowerment in the City. The Youth Commission Advisor will pass them on to Council.

8. ADJOURNMENT:

The May 13, 2025, Youth Commission meeting was adjourned at 6:22 p.m.

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