

Youth Commission Meeting

Monday, September 9, 2019 at 6:30pm

Martin Luther King Jr. Youth Services Center, 1730 Oregon St., Berkeley CA, 510-981 6670

Mission Statement

The Berkeley Youth Commission identifies the needs of youth, reviews and recommends youth services and programs.

Commission Members

<u>District</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Name</u>
Mayor	Maya Ng-Yu	BUSD/Brown	Vacant
Kesarwani	Vacant	BUSD/Leyva-Cutler	Andrea Morales-Mendoza
Davila	Vacant	BUSD/Appel	Vacant
Bartlett	Manni Spicer Saavedra	BUSD/Student Director	Auden Friedman
Harrison	Gabriella Lerman	BUSD/Sinai	Daijah Conerly
Hahn	Rachel Alper	BUSD	Max Schlosberg
Wengraf	Samuel Kaplan	BUSD/Alper	Evie Berg
Robinson	Vacant	BUSD	Mallika Hari
Droste	Vacant	BUSD	Ceara Schreiberstein

AGENDA

Preliminary Matters

1. Call to Order (Chair)
2. Roll Call (Secretary)
3. Announcements (Chair)
4. Approval of Agenda (Chair)
5. Approval of Minutes (Chair)
6. Public Comment (Chair)
7. Director's Report

Discussion Items

8. Berkeley High School Environmental Initiatives Update (All)
9. Update on City of Berkeley Aquatics, Swim Lessons, and Willard Pool (Lerman)
10. Gender Neutral Bathrooms Update (Chair)
11. Discussion of Work Plan (Chair)

Action Items

12. Approval of Work Plan

13. Adjourn

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Draft Minutes

Preliminary Matters

1. Call to Order (Chair) 6:30pm: Ng-Yu, Saavedra, Alper, Kaplan-Pettus, Morales, Lim-Moreno, Conerly, Hari, Berg, Friedman and Schreiberstein. Absent: Lerman and Schlosberg. Excused absent: Garcia
2. Roll Call (Secretary)
3. Announcements (Chair)
4. Approval of Agenda (Chair) M/S/Apler/Lim-Moreno: Aye's: Ng-Yu, Saavedra, Alper, Kaplan-Pettus, Morales, Lim-Moreno, Conerly, Hari, Berg, Friedman and Schreiberstein. Noe's: None. Abstain: None. Absent: Lerman and Schlosberg. Excused absent: Garcia
5. Approval of Minutes (Chair) M/S/Saavedra/Berg: Aye's: Ng-Yu, Saavedra, Alper, Kaplan-Pettus, Morales, Lim-Moreno, Conerly, Hari, Berg, Friedman and Schreiberstein. Noe's: None. Abstain: None. Absent: Lerman and Schlosberg. Excused absent: Garcia
6. Public Comment (Chair)
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Discussion Items

8. Conversation with Berkeley High Green Team Members Isabel Davidoff and Sam Saxe-Taller on Green Bins at Berkeley High and Environmental Friendly Initiatives (Chair, Hari, and Kaplan-Pettus)
9. Berkeley Aquatics Update on Investigating Berkeley Swim Lessons and the Willard Pool (Lerman)
10. Appointment of Commissioners to Gender Neutral Bathrooms Subcommittee (Chair)

- 11. Vision 2050 Update, an Initiative to Create a Plan for Sustainable Infrastructure in Berkeley (Chair)
- 12. Discussion of Letter Regarding Data Collection Through the Institute for Child Poverty & Homelessness (Chair, Vice Chair, Friedman, and Conerly)

Action Items

- 13. Adjourn 7:10pm M/S Berg/Moreno Aye’s: Saavedra, Lerman, Alpler, Kaplan, Garcia, Mendoza, Moreno, Friedman, Conerly, Schlosberg, Berg, Hari. Noe’s: None; Abstain: None. Absent: Conerly. Excused absent: Schreiberstein

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Berkeley Youth Commission – 2019-2020 Work Plan

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Activity	Resources	Outputs (What Has Happened So Far?)	Next Steps	Goal	People
Vision 2050 Education	Vision 2050 Committee: Ray Yep Tano Trachtenberg Nathan Dahl	1. Met with Ray Yep and Nathan Dahl to brainstorm ideas and talk possible Vision 2050 curriculum.	1. Meet with Tano Trachtenberg to cover Vision 2050 audience. 2. Advertise/Publicize opportunity at BHS and Youth and Government. We need at least 5 people to start off.	Teach high school students about Vision 2050, so they can educate others (peer-to-peer support).	Maya Ng-Yu Rachel Alper
Gender Neutral Bathrooms	Sharon Arthur Willard GSA	1. Met with Willard GSA in June. Collected contact numbers and names; we scoped out possible locations for bathrooms.	1. Write up a letter to the School Board with the help of the Willard GSA.	Implement gender neutral bathrooms in Berkeley middle schools, starting with Willard.	Maya Ng-Yu
Berkeley High School (BHS) Environmental Initiative	BHS Green Team Isabel Davidoff				Sam Kaplan-Pettus Evie Berg Mallika Hari

Berkeley Homeless Research	Sophina Jones				
Berkeley Aquatics					Gabby Lerman