



# City of Santa Clara

## Meeting Minutes Youth Commission

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05/13/2025

6:00 PM

Cafeteria - City Hall East Wing  
1500 Warburton Avenue  
Santa Clara, CA 95050

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### CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

**This meeting is called to order by Chair Liang at 6:07p.m.**

**Present** 13 - Commissioner Allysa Domensino, Commissioner Simren Garg, Commissioner Namita Gaidhani, Commissioner Srikha Gopiseti, Commissioner Julianna Arias Hernandez, Commissioner Neha Israni, Commissioner Maryam Ismail, Commissioner Ryan Kim, Commissioner Rebecca Kunze, Commissioner Kira Liang, Commissioner Malia Martin, Commissioner Hiranya Parekh, and Commissioner Brian Rong

**Absent** 2 - Commissioner Samaira Mehta, and Commissioner Samarth Suresh

**A motion was made by Commissioner Arias Hernandez, seconded by Commissioner Israni to excuse Commissioner Mehta and Commissioner Suresh from the May 13th meeting. The motion was carried by the following votes:**

**Aye:** 13 - Commissioner Domensino, Commissioner Garg, Commissioner Gaidhani, Commissioner Gopiseti, Commissioner Arias Hernandez, Commissioner Israni, Commissioner Ismail, Commissioner Kim, Commissioner Kunze, Commissioner Liang, Commissioner Martin, Commissioner Parekh, and Commissioner Rong

**Absent:** 2 - Commissioner Mehta, and Commissioner Suresh

### CONSENT CALENDAR

1. [25-473](#) Action on the Youth Commission Meeting Minutes of April 8, 2025

**A motion was made by Commissioner Kunze, and seconded by Commissioner Parekh to approve the minutes as presented. The motion was carried by the following votes:**

**Aye:** 13 - Commissioner Domensino, Commissioner Garg, Commissioner Gaidhani, Commissioner Gopisetti, Commissioner Arias Hernandez, Commissioner Israni, Commissioner Ismail, Commissioner Kim, Commissioner Kunze, Commissioner Liang, Commissioner Martin, Commissioner Parekh, and Commissioner Rong

**Excused:** 2 - Commissioner Mehta, and Commissioner Suresh

### **PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS**

None

### **GENERAL BUSINESS**

2.        [25-475](#)        **Discussion and Possible Action on Youth Commission FY2024/25 Work Plan & Goals**

Community Building with Santa Clara residents:  
Committee is continuing the planning of a multicultural event, Harmony of Cultures to be held next term.

Public Outreach & Education:  
The committee finalized the New Resident Welcome resource packets and made suggestions for the publication and how the packets maybe maintain for future use.

Youth Empowerment:  
The committee reported on a potential strategy to survey the teen population for upcoming workshops and events.

**STAFF REPORT**        **Gayle Ichiho, Recreation Supervisor, announced the upcoming Summer Recreation programs and Special Events. Youth Commissioners will be recognized at the May 13th City Council meeting.**

### **COMMISSIONERS REPORT**

None

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Israni, and seconded by Commissioner Parekh to adjourn the meeting at 6:22 p.m.**

**Aye:** 13 - Commissioner Domensino, Commissioner Garg, Commissioner Gaidhani, Commissioner Gopisetti, Commissioner Arias Hernandez, Commissioner Israni, Commissioner Ismail, Commissioner Kim, Commissioner Kunze, Commissioner Liang, Commissioner Martin, Commissioner Parekh, and Commissioner Rong

**Excused:** 2 - Commissioner Mehta, and Commissioner Suresh

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