# **City of Coral Gables**

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**Meeting Minutes** 

Wednesday, February 2, 2022

7:00 PM

Youth Center, Conference Room

Parks and Recreation Youth Advisory Board

# CALL TO ORDER

@7:00pm

ROLL CALL

Alec Schneider Kirk Menendez, Jr Gabriella Toyos Mihir Pabby Natalie Gonzalez

Absent: Jorge G. Hernandez Samantha Simpson

A MOTION TO EXCUSE JORGE HERNANDEZ ABSENCE WAS MADE BY ALEC SCHNEIDER AND SECOND BY MIHIR PABBY. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

# APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

a. Approval of November Minutes

A MOTION TO APPROVE THE NOVEMBER MEETING MINUTES WAS MADE BY ALEC SCHNEIDER AND SECOND BY NATALIE GONZALEZ. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

#### SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

Youth Center Supervisor Carlos Pichardo began by announcing and emphasizing the summer hirings and opportunities. Pichardo also mentioned that volunteer opportunities are available and signaled as well about the increase in staff wages. The hiring process is in full effect, and summer duties start on June 13th with 8 weeks of summer programming.

Carlos Pichardo also shared with the board that the annual Daddy Daughter Dance will be taking place on Saturday, February 12, 2022 at the UM Alumni Center. The theme of this year's dance is Dancing on Cloud Nine.

#### NEW BUSINESS

The Administrative Assistant Sarah Espino informed the board about the Parks and Recreation Master Plan's new announcements and the approval of the Park's Referendum (November voting).

# OLD BUSINESS

The Administrative Assistant Sarah Espino touched base on Board Members referrals so new candidates can begin their application process for submission to the commissioners. The Youth Center Supervisor Carlos Pichardo mentioned the requirements for eligibility on becoming a Board Member

# **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Administrative Assistant Sarah Espino also added to the conversation, information about government related internship opportunities. Board Members clarified doubts with some of their questions regarding internships and externships.

ITEMS FROM THE SECRETARY

The next meeting is scheduled for March 2, 2022 at 7pm

ADJOURNMENT

at 7:20pm

NOTE