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Barnstable Youth Commission Minutes

March 30, 2021 ~ 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M. – Zoom meeting

A quorum being duly present, **Lucas McCauley** called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m. via Zoom virtual meeting.

Notice of Recording: Yes – Meeting being recorded through Zoom and audio recording for minutes.

Roll Call:

Present: Lucas McCauley (Chair), Lily Beal – (Vice – Chair), Piper Hunt, Luc-Andre Sader, Connor O'Reilly, Julianna O'Reilly, Nina Barrette, Isabelle Rudy, Mark Beal, Jenna Schmidt, Alexandra Stampfl, Rep. Kip Diggs (Adult Advisor), Madeline Noonan (Director of Community Services), Deputy Chief Jean Challies (Barnstable Police Dept.), Patti Machado (Director of Recreation)

Absent: Michaela Stampfl, Officer Brian Morrison, and Jen Cullum (Town Council Liaison)

Guest: Amy Harwood, Councilor Gordon Starr, and Alex Arabadzhev

Julianna O'Reilly made a motion to approve the minutes from March 9, 2021 meeting. **Lily Beal** seconded. All in favor. Motion passed.

Public Comment:

Welcome to Caleb Levesque ~ our newest Youth Commissioner

Old Business:

A. Climate Change - Update

- Sub-committee has just about completed the presentation. Will meet on April 7th to finalize it.

B. Youth Job Fair – Amy Harwood

- 32 businesses have joined in to date. Amy expects as many as 50.
- The Fair is scheduled for April 28th with two sessions; 3:00 – 4:00 for 16&17 year olds; 4:30 – 5:30 for 14 and 15 year olds.
- MassHire will host breakout rooms for job coaching.
- Subcommittee will meet again to iron out the format and review logistics.
- Job listings are already on the TOB link. A QR code has been added for convenience.

C. Grant

- **Thank you Deputy Chief Challies** for securing the \$5,000 Pharmaceutical Research Grant. The basis of the Grant was opioid prevention. The proceeds will be used for the Substance Abuse Prevention Forum in October.
- **Deputy Chief Challies** suggested extending an invite to Kevin Bourque to the Substance Abuse Forum so he can see firsthand how the grant money was applied to the program.

D. One Love – update

- This is **not** a virtual meeting. This is an in-house presentation.
- **Alex Stampfl** updated the Commission. One Love presentation will be at SJP on April 14th from 8:30 to 10:00 (approximately). Only the Junior class will be attending and will be broken into eight groups.
- Because SJP does not allow adults in the school because of COVID reasons, **Patti** is working out a new plan with Annika. Possibly have five Youth Commissioner and Alex has three Team Leaders.
- **Patti** will touch base with Kristin Harmon from BHS on an update.

E. Recreation Commission Liaison – Lily Beal

- **Lily** said the meeting went well. She is no longer able to attend the meetings due to extracurricular activities.
- **Julianna** will attend the next meeting on April 5th, 2021.

New Business:

A. 2021-2022 Commissioners returning:

Mark Beal, Piper Hunt (will return if Zooming, otherwise will not be able to attend meetings), Connor O'Reilly, Julianna O'Reilly, Luc-Andre Sader, Jenna Schmidt, Mikayla Stampfl, Isabelle Rudy. Leaves the Commission to seek out 3-4 new members in addition to **Caleb Levesque** and **Alex Arabadzhiev**.

B. Matters not reasonably anticipated by the Chair

- **Town Manager Ells** is seeking out the Commissioners assistance with the Silent Springs Institute. **Patti** will put Mark Ells and Nina in touch with each other so they can discuss what is needed and if the Commission can do anything to help.
- **Rep Diggs (Suicide Prevention)** spoke on the **Nan Project**. **Lucas** said that Supt. Mayo-Brown is incorporating this into the school curriculum.

Piper Hunt made a motion to adjourn. **Luc-Andre Sader** seconded. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Next meeting – April 13, 2021 @ 6:30 p.m. Via Zoom
Meeting ID: 919 7686 8813
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