

Meeting of the Miami-Dade County Youth Commission:

On November 15, 2012 the meeting of the Miami-Dade County Youth Commission was called to order at 4:15 pm by Chairman Jude Bruno. Jude also gave the inspirational moment.

Naomie Delva serving as Parliamentarian Pro-tempore led the pledges and called roll. Quorum was announced.

Present:

Brenda Abreu-Molnar
Jude Bruno
Walford Campbell
Cesar Castillo
Naomie Delva
Emily Freeman
Leon Fussell
Lilijuan Gonzalez
Natalia Gonzalez
Michael Ivory
Cynthia Larroque
Nicklaus Matos
Daniela Nunez
Stephanie Pardinas Liuzzi
Estrella Quiroz
Ashley Sanchez
Shakira Santos
Daniel Tirado

Excused Absence:

Anyssa Chebbi
Isis Clark
Ivonee Logo
Ambar Mesa
Morgan Owens
Lina Rojas
Haley Zilberberg

Unexcused Absence:

Christoper Fisk Kolyckine
Stephanie Gastelu
Virginia Lafontant
Jacob Stern

Secretary Emily Freeman announced that the minutes from the October meeting were emailed out. The minutes were approved as emailed.

Amy Carswell spoke about the community relations board. Their job is to get people to take their concerns and anger and turn them into trust and cooperation. They want to help us in our initiative to help change Miami-Dade County for the better. They are hoping to have a Press Conference on December 4th with us involved in some way, a Youth Summit in January or February and they would like our help with that as well, the topic being how do we have non-violent social change? As developed by Dr. King.

Jude also discussed the Memorandum Committee Structure and Member Assignments, for any questions, please consult such memorandum.

The budget was discussed. The voted on and approved budget is stated below:
Motion passed unanimously.

Meetings: \$0
Community: \$40,000
Supplies: \$2,500
Advertisements: \$9,000
Travel: \$8,500

Mr. George Steele instructed us to create a timeline for the community events in order to get funding, which shall be a priority at upcoming meetings. The procedure for requesting funds is as follows: Committee→Youth Commission Meeting→Voted on→Approved→Funds Allotted- Or –Office of the chair may request through the JSD. No vote required. None of us may ever purchase anything and expect re-imburement from the budget, we must get funding through county venders. No budget funds may roll over into next year.

Every committee is to meet on December 13 to come up with a plan of action in order to discuss at the December meeting and allocate proper funds (a timeline). Even if you are not on a certain committee, please pass any ideas to the committee chair.

Maria Baswell from the State JSD, as requested by Director Copeland, is having a teen focus about developing a healthier relationship with law enforcement, to be held on December 13 in Miami Gardens.

Ms. Garcia will contact BCC Chair to determine a date for the induction ceremony.

Financial Committee motion failed.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:49 pm by Chairman Jude Bruno.