

A meeting of the **Troy Youth Council (TYC)** was held on September 26, 2007 at 7:00 PM at Troy City Hall, 500 W. Big Beaver. Kristin Randall and Nicole Vitale called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Disha Bora
 Maxine D'Amico
 Rishi Joshi
 Jessica Kraft
 Joseph Niemiec
 Anupama Prasad (Secretary)
 Kristin Randall (Co-chair)
 Shaina Sekhri
 Neil Shaw
 Katie Thoenes
 Nicole Vitale (Co-chair)
 David Wylie

MEMBERS ABSENT: Geon Woo Kim

VISITORS: Chris Crachiola, Teens Taking Action

STAFF PRESENT: Scott Mercer, Recreation Coordinator

1. Roll Call

2. Approval of Minutes

Resolution # TY-2007-9-14

Moved by Thoenes

Seconded by Niemiec

RESOLVED, That the minutes of August 22, 2007 be approved.

Yes: All – 12

No: 0

Absent: 1 – Kim

3. Attendance Report:

Report reviewed by council members, no comments.

4. Visitor: **Chris Crachiola, Teens Taking Action (TTA)**

-Discussed programs that the TTA are involved in including:

TATO – Tobacco

Sticker Shock – Alcohol

Youth Dialogue Day – Held every other year and will involve middle school age students in 2008.

TTA meets every 2 weeks

7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens

5. Troy Daze Festival Update

Review of 2007 event. Comments were positive with some concern regarding the drop off area and signage.

6. Teen Room Naming Competition

-Discussed advertisement of competition and recommended emails, high schools, middle schools, community center and newspapers.

-One month time frame for competition.

-Would like Teens Taking Action and TYC to pick winner at a joint meeting.

-Recommended prize is a gift certificate to Somerset Mall.

7. Special Events and Projects for 2007-08

Ideas discussed at August meeting have been presented to the legal department for approval.

8. Motion to Excuse Absent Members Who Have Provided Advance Notification

Resolution # TY-2007-9-15

Moved by Niemiec

Seconded by Bora

RESOLVED that Kim is excused.

Yes: All - 12

No: 0

Absent: 1 – Kim

9. Youth Council Comments - None

10. Public Comments – None

11. Adjournment – 7:38 p.m.

Kristin Randall, Co-chair

Scott Mercer, Recreation Supervisor

Reminder Next Meeting: October 24 at 7:00 P.M.