

**Youth Advisory Commission**  
General Meeting  
Monday, March 13, 2006  
4:00pm – 7:00pm  
City Hall, Hearing Room #4  
Oakland, CA 94612

Youth Present: Edward Baraona, Glenda Frost, Attalah Gaines, Malcolm Gaines, Katrina Gilbert, Olivia Lau, Rocio Molina, Andy Nguyen, Rico Robinson, Lexus Monae Stromas, Annie Takahashi , Patrick Sean Weston,  
Staff Present: Andrea Tacdol, Helen Wu, Aida Mariam  
Community Member Present: Representatives from Asian Youth Promoting Advocacy and Leadership

MINUTES

1. Pre-Meeting Social Gathering
2. Meeting called to order by Edward Baraona at 5:00PM.
3. Introductions and Ice Breakers facilitated by Baraona and Tacdol.
4. Baraona reviewed commission agreements.
5. Members of Asian Youth Promoting Advocacy and Leadership spoke on their campaign to implement the Williams Case. They spoke on the history of the campaign, the forms they are distributing to public school students to record facility and supply problems at their school, etc.
6. Meeting minutes were approved by youth.
7. Report Back
  - A. Meeting with the Mayor's Staff: Tacdol updated youth that the mayor's office did not get the paperwork in and they will not be appointed on March 21<sup>st</sup> as told to them previously. Baraona suggested they still go to the City Council meeting to speak in front of the Council.
  - B. Youth VOTE: Mariam updated on Mayor Forum and the project Youth Uprising and other youth organizations would like to do. Youth discussed whether they wanted to join the collaboration. Youth voted on working with collaboration where Robinson, Nguyen and/or Molina would attend the Wednesday meetings. Mariam reminded youth that the Y-Files interviews have been scheduled with candidate.

- C. Public Service Announcement Update: Robinson and Baraona went over their ideas for the PSA storyboard with finalized forms in agenda. Tacdol mentioned that we are waiting for K-TOP to get back to us about timeline.
  
- 8. Old/New Business
  - A. Committee Break-Out
    - none-
  
- 9. Open Forum: Rocio mentioned old teachers and how two of her sister's teachers have passed away. Baraona said youth was shot in front of his sister's school a few weeks ago. Baraona mentioned that he attended a event in SF for homicide prevention.
  
- 10. No new Items for next agenda. Weston volunteered to facilitate.
  
- 11. There were no announcements.
  
- 12. The meeting was adjourned at 6:45PM by Baraona.