

CITY OF RICHMOND

**Youth Council Meeting**

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond Room

**This meeting is held in a building that is accessible to people with disabilities.**



**Members:**

Ashlee Davis, Chair

Laiba Noor, Co-Chair

Kashaf Iqbal

Satine Walz

**City Council Liaison:**

Demnlus Johnson III,

Councilmember

**Staff Liaison:**

Trina Jackson

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**MINUTES**

- A. Call to Order**-The meeting was called to order at 5:36
- B. Roll Call**  
Youth Councilmembers Laiba Noor, Kashaf Iqbal and Ashlee Davis were present. Richmond Youth Council applicant Ozmar Huerta listened in on the call.  
Absent: Richmond Youth Councilmember Satine Walz
- C. Welcome and Meeting Procedure**  
*Until further notice, meetings will be held remotely. Please contact Trina Jackson for additional information at 510-620-6581 or [trina\\_jackson@ci.richmond.ca.us](mailto:trina_jackson@ci.richmond.ca.us)*
- D. Open Forum( 3 minutes per speaker)**  
No public speakers
- E. Review and approve minutes from the previous meeting.**  
Upon review of the minutes, Youth Councilmember Iqbal made a motion to approve, seconded by Youth Councilmember Noor and approved unanimously.
- F. Discuss process for April and May meetings.**  
The April and May meetings will be conducted by FaceTime group. Councilmember Noor volunteered to start the calls.
- G. Consider ways to stay safe and cope with life during the season of COVID-19**  
The Richmond Youth Council shared experiences and expressed the importance of staying positive and connecting through social media. Staff Liaison Jackson shared information on resources available.
- H. Pending items to be agendized when regular meetings of the Youth and City Council resume**
- a. **Discuss the status of the removal of library fees.**
  - b. **Presentation from Maddie Orenstein on the Community Leadership Institute**
  - c. **Recruitment of members**  
Ideas: Advertise on website, distribute flyers at schools, and create an Instagram page - project subcommittee will complete task
- I. Reports from Youth Councilmembers**  
Councilmembers Iqbal and Noor distributed recruitment flyers, spoke to the principal and activity director about RYC outreach.  
Councilmember Iqbal spoke with Jonathan about the Support for Summer Program. Jonathan will reach out when he's ready to proceed. Kashaf Iqbal also mentioned that Satine Walz confirmed that her school band is available for proposed Back to School event.
- J. Announcements** – Ms. Jackson gave report on Women's Day Event on 3/7/20
- K. Adjourn** – Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm