Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Youth Commission

Consider:
Who benefits? Who is burdened?
Who does not have a voice at the table?
How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Wednesday, June 30, 2021 | **5:30 PM** | **Virtual meeting**

A. Call To Order

Chair Benson called the meeting to order at 5:38 p.m.

Present 5 - Chair MEGHAN BENSON, Supervisor ELENA HAASL, Supervisor ALEX JOERS, ARVAN AHUJA, and SREEJA BANDREDDI

Absent 4 - KHADDY JARJOU, SHRIYA KATA, KEMA WILLIAMS, and ANDREW MCKINNEY

B. Consideration of Minutes

2021 MIN-140 MINUTES FROM MAY 19, 2021

Attachments: 2021_0519 Youth Commission Minutes

A motion was made by AHUJA, seconded by HAASL, to approve the minutes. The motion carried by a voice vote (5-0).

C. Action Items

None.

D. Presentations

None.

E. Reports to Committee

1. New Youth Commissioners

First meeting of our new member Bandreddi. Application of the rep from Madison Metropolitan School District is still being processed, should be finalized for next meeting.

2. Discussion of Presentation to Health & Human Needs Committee

Benson informed the Commission of the presentation she gave to the Health and Human Needs Committee earlier in the month. Her presentation was an intro to the work of the Commission, including initiatives it funds, such as By Youth For Youth. She also presented on the Dane County Youth Assessment and how the summary report should be available later this summer. Lastly, she shared qualitative data around the importance of youth centers that was gathered from listening sessions with youth.

3. Timeline of Approval for Youth Assessment Overview Report

Vote planned for subcommittee to pass the report to the Commission for approval on July 13th. Then Commission members have to review and can vote at the meeting on July 21. The report must be approved in order to submit to the County Executive for approval and ultimately be able to share with the public.

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

Next meeting: July 21 at 5:30 p.m.

Discuss timing of next meeting

G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

None.

H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

For discussion at a future meeting, the Commission would like to explore more equitable ways to recruit new Commissioners.

I. Adjournment

A motion was made by AHUJA, seconded by HAASL, to adjourn. The motion carried by a voice vote (5-0).

The meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Megan Meinen.