

**Meeting Minutes
Garland Youth Council
September 16, 2008**

Members Present:

Beate Hall – vice chair of 2007-08 GYC

Jade Crutch

Jaywin Malhi

Valencia King

Katie Bosler

Celeste Vielma

Brianda Reyes

Phillip Graham

Dakota Thompson

Jennifer Sims

Adrienne Johnson

Christa Vielma

Dorothy White – staff liaison

Daniel Krzyzanowski – staff liaison

Members of the Garland City Council, City Staff, parents of GYC members and other family members were present as guests.

Dorothy White chaired the meeting and called it to order at 5:30 p.m.

1. Installation Ceremony for 2008-09 Youth Council Members

Beate Hall, vice-chair of 2007-08 GYC, led installation ceremony. Mayor Ron Jones spoke briefly to the new members and thanked them for their service. The Mayor introduced other City Council members, who also shared congratulatory comments, and some City staff.

2. Officer Elections for 2008-09 Youth Council

Chair – Jaywin Malhi

Vice Chair – Phillip Graham

Secretary – Jennifer Sims

Historian – Katie Bosler

3. Committee Assignments

GYC decided that committees would meet on Tuesdays in Dorothy White's office. Members & meeting dates are as follows:

Ordinance Update – 2nd Tuesday of each month

Adrienne Johnson

Christa Vielma

Dakota Thompson

Celeste Vielma

TDS/Projects – 3rd Tuesday of each month

Katie Bosler
Phillip Graham
Jaywin Malhi
Brianda Reyes

Promotions – 4th Tuesday of each month

Jade Crutch
Valencia King
Jennifer Sims

4. Youth Council Ordinance Change Procedures

City Attorney Brad Neighbor briefed the GYC on procedures for making changes to the City Ordinance that governs the GYC's structure.

5. City Government 101

Brief presentation of City Government structure, organization and responsibilities.

6. Citizen Comments – there were none.

7. Future Agenda Items – GYC was reminded of our next meeting on Tuesday, October 7th at Audubon Recreation Center. The main topic that evening will be Teens in the Driver Seat.

8. Adjourned at 6:30 p.m.