

# City of Gulfport, Florida

## Teen Council Meeting Minutes

### Friday, September 12, 2014

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The Meeting of the City of Gulfport Teen Council was held on Friday, September 12, 2014, at Gulfport City Hall, 2401 53rd Street South, Gulfport, Florida.

Vice-Chair Taryn Spence called the meeting to order at 3:25 p.m.

#### **Roll Call**

Present was Emerald Mancini, Savannah Roderick, Taryn Spence, Abigail Zigmund and Advisor Marivel Gutierrez.

#### **1. Public Session.**

There was no Public Session.

#### **2. Advisor Report.** Advisor Marivel Gutierrez reported:

That Michael Froid was appointed by the City Council on September 2<sup>nd</sup> but unfortunately he was unable to attend the meeting.

That the Mission Statement was going to be presented to City Council on Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>.

That she received a flyer from Vice-Mayor Christine Brown regarding a Pinellas County Sheriff's Advisory Board Community Grant Program. Marivel also reported that the deadline to submit the information was Friday, September 19, 2014.

That the Gulfport Weird Mini-Triathlon was being held on Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> and that if the Teen Council was available to volunteer they would assist on the beach.

That the Relay for Life was being held on Friday, November 7<sup>th</sup> from 6 p.m. - Midnight behind the Recreation Center. The Teen Council has been asked to assist with the City's tent and partake in the walking.

#### **3. Consent.**

##### **a. Consider approval of the Teen Council Meeting minutes of August 8, 2014.**

Taryn Spence read the consent agenda.

Motion by Abigail Zigmund, second by Emerald Mancini to approve the consent agenda.

ALL IN FAVOR.

#### **4. Elect Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer for 2014-2015 Term.**

Taryn Spence asked the members if they would like to vote for elections or wait until next month's meeting. Members suggested to wait until next month's meeting.

Motion by Abigail Zigmund, second by Savannah Roderick to wait until next month's meeting to vote for elections.

ALL IN FAVOR.

#### **5. Discuss Florida League of Cities Conference.**

Taryn Spence stated that the FLC Conference was awesome and they gathered a lot of good information. She also mentioned that some of the teen groups were aggressive.

Savannah Roderick stated that the guest speaker was amazing.

#### **6. Old Business.**

No Old Business.

#### **7. New Business.**

Taryn Spence mentioned that she would like the Teen Council to do more service projects. One idea was to collect clothes for the homeless or needy and host a project in a park to give out the clothes and possible toys and food. Marivel Gutierrez mentioned that she would need to discuss the project with the City Manager to see if that would be possible.

#### **8. Adjournment.**

The meeting was adjourned at 3:5627 p.m.

Motion by Savannah Roderick, second by Abigail Zigmund to adjourn.

ALL IN FAVOR.