

# City of Sugar Hill Youth Council Session Minutes

## Wednesday, September 25, 2019

City Hall Council Chambers,  
5039 West Broad Street  
Sugar Hill, GA 30518

Members in attendance: Khushi Mehta, Lexi Ducote, Daniel Park, Bhaumi Shah, Avery Tam, Bailey Coleman, Milen Patel, Harshika Mehta

Meeting called to order at 5:35 pm

### Agenda

- 11. Mayor-Council government moved to next week
- Milen motions to approve, Bhaumi seconds it. Vote was unanimous

### Minutes

- Minutes will be approved next week due to errors.

### Council Reports

- Milen had his first Chick fil A leadership meeting.
- Daniel has nothing to report.
- Lexi will be participating at the Lanier Parade for Robotics.
- Bailey went caving and had lots of fun.
- Avery volunteered for the Suwannee Parade.
- Bhaumi shares about an event held by her internship and brings up the idea of some council members coming to the event. The Youth Ambassadors will be having their first meeting on Wednesday, the 2nd of October from 4:30-5:15. Bhaumi is also working on the T-shirt design.
- Nadia talks about the Volunteer Appreciation Event and is looking for a venue. There is the \$2 movie next week on Tuesday at 11 am and 7 pm.
- Mike shares about an artist, Craig Tillery, in Sugar Hill that he met who is very inspirational. Also, Mike went to see a movie, "Official Secrets", and talks about how it relates to the current Whistle Blower issue in the news this week.
- Khushi was over at Texas over the weekend visiting Rice University.
- Harshika has nothing to report.

### Proposed 6 month Moratorium on E-scooters

- The voting for this moratorium was postponed from City Council because Councilmen Hembree wanted feedback from the Youth Council before the City Council heard it.
- Bhaumi motions and Milen seconds for the support of the Moratorium. Vote was unanimous

### High School Liaisons

- In terms of Lanier, Mr. Cate will be the liaison for Youth Council, for now.
- In terms of North Gwinnett, Khushi has not been able to find a liaison due to lack of willingness to commit.

### Get out the Vote

- Although there may be people out of town, country, etc., Mike is looking to work with the council during the summer in order to get ready for future elections in the city, especially among high schoolers to spread awareness.

### Red Ribbon Week

- Vaping is a huge issue in high school and Red Ribbon Week is an opportunity for the Youth Council to spread awareness of saying no to drugs. It is up to the Youth Council, who are in high school, to spread awareness.
- Khushi believes that handing out red bracelets is ineffective at North.

### Vaping Speaker

- Bailey will speak to someone she knows at CDC if they can come to speak to the Youth Council.
- The discussion of whether the information meeting will be private or public is a big discussion. Mike suggests that we do a private in the fall to gain more knowledge and maybe go for a public meeting in the future.

### October Calendar

- The events for October are posted on our GroupMe and Youth Council should decide whether they can make it or not as soon as possible.

Daniel motions to adjourn, Bailey seconds. Vote was unanimous

Meeting adjourned at 7:03 p.m.