



**Youth Council Minutes**  
**November 12, 2014**  
 Maricopa County Human Services Department  
 234 N Central Avenue 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
 Phoenix, AZ 85004



- I. **Call to Order – Tony Maldonado, Chair**
  - a. Tony Maldonado, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.

- II. **Roll Call – Quorum (7)**

**Members:**

Alex Jovanovic (T)	Ernest Rose (P)	O’Zandra Floyd (P)
Bruce Walls (P)	Jenese Bojorquez (T)	Patricia Wallace (P)
Chris Lopez (T)	Louis Goodman (P)	Shon Moore (A)
Donna McHenry (P)	Mike Bane (P)	Tony Maldonado (P)

- III. **Pledge of Allegiance – Tony Maldonado, Chair**

- IV. **Approval of Minutes – Action**

- a. Tony Motion moved to approve meeting minutes 8/13/14, Donna made motion to approve; Ernest Rose seconded motion

- V. **Action Items –**

- a. Future meetings; monthly meetings on the second Wednesday of every month at 10:00 a.m.

- VI. **Mission/Goals for Fiscal Year– Action, Patricia Wallace, Assistant Director**

- a. Workforce Development Division Goals, discussed restructure of Youth Services, Procurement of 14 elements, Youth Program staff, Youth Centers, discussed how to promote program via community education sessions, community partner organization meetings, Access points, create awareness of services provided, corporate sponsorship. Discussed Housing Authority and need to promote program to their participants.

- VII. **Milestones For Youth Council- Patricia Wallace, Assistant Director**

- VIII. **New Task Force Committees– Patricia Wallace, Assistant Director**

- a. Literacy/Job Readiness
- b. Job Development and Training
- c. Data Analysis
- d. Marketing

Youth Staff to assist with task force committees, discussed structure of the committees, need for continued supports to youth in navigating the different programs available to them and the need for meaningful relationships, discussed need to increase soft skills for youth. Patricia asked everyone to send 3 things they would like the Youth Council to achieve by the end of the year by the end of the week, performance driven service delivery and quality of services.

- IX. MWC Youth Program Updates- *O'Zandra Floyd, Youth Council Liaison***
  - a. Youth Center Updates- Open house in Avondale and Mesa and Tempe to be determined soon. Peoria Youth Center, City of Guadalupe and interest in having youth center in their community. City of Wickenburg and department discussing having mobile RV to provide services in the outlining areas.
  
- X. New Board Members- *Patricia Wallace, Assistant Director***
  - a. Angelo Maisto Nomination
  
- XI. Call To The Public**
  
- XII. Adjournment**
  - a. Tony Maldonado Chair made motion to adjourn meeting at 11:28 AM